Parents,

We at Wilder School District want you to know that given the current situation with COVID-19, we are following all guidelines and recommendations provided to us by our local health organizations, CDC and local government. Our goal is not only to keep our selves and our families safe and healthy but also to keep our students, staff and community safe and healthy.

WHAT WE ARE DOING ABOUT IT?

**Building and Food Preparation:**

- We are moving forward with remote learning
- Remote counseling services from Ambitions of Idaho will be available for all our students
- We have implemented social distancing measures within all our district buildings
- No parents or students will be allowed in the school buildings
- We are encouraging staff who have been advised to quarantine by their medical provider or are having cough, fever and shortness of breath to stay home
- We encourage hand washing for 20 seconds and if water is not available to use at least 70% alcohol base hand sanitizers
- We encourage covering coughs and sneezes – posters have been put up throughout our buildings
- Hand sanitizer and wipes are provided at building entrances
- Rooms are being disinfected several times a day by maintenance staff. Each room has been provided with a disinfectant spray as well as hand disinfectant and wipes for staff to disinfect their work areas as well
- Food preparation staff is wearing proper sanitary personal protective equipment daily to prepare and package meals. The kitchen is being disinfected per protocol each day after prepping and packaging food
- Per new USDA recommendations, only parent will be allowed to pick up a lunch/breakfast combo at pick up site for each of their kids (ages 1-18) without kids being present to avoid exposures- parents must let us know when they pick up Ipad -how many kids in household will need a lunch, so we can have a count
- We have 4 student meal distributing sites where school will be distributing meals at 11:00 am, as well as rural areas where bus (and staff) will deliver meals. All meals will be subject to change pending on availability of food items
- Staff at each site will be wearing gloves when handling sack meals. Parents will pick up meals from a table to avoid exposures to staff and other parents, all while practicing social distancing

As these are concerning times for all of us, we want to assure you that we are doing our best to help prevent the spread of communicable diseases like COVID-19. We deeply appreciate your help, support and understanding during these times.

Sincerely,

Erica Huerta –School Nurse