

November 12, 2020

Dear Trix Academy Families,

Thank you for being a part of Trix. We know this school year has brought many surprises and challenges for our families and scholars. Through it all, we have had a great transition back to school, but, unfortunately, the global pandemic is causing us to shift and transition back to virtual learning.

With the increase in COVID-19 cases in the State of Michigan, Trix Academy will cancel inperson instructional lessons and close our school building until January 11, 2021. Though our building will close, we are excited that we have provided our scholars with the tools and resources so that learning can continue. We will still deliver live virtual instruction Monday-Friday using our online learning platform, Blackboard. Just visit our website <a href="mailto:trix.mecc-academies.org">trix.mecc-academies.org</a> and click eLearning to join class each day. In addition, we are going to continue to support our scholars with our supplemental food program. Food distribution will continue to take place each Monday morning. During that time, scholars will receive breakfast and lunch for the entire week.

Many of you know that one of our top priorities for the 2020-2021 school year, has been to ensure the safety of Trix staff, scholars and families. We implemented strong plans to support that effort including smaller classroom sizes, temperature checks, revised dismissal and drop-off procedures, utilizing building sanitation systems, and providing protective equipment. Unfortunately, the surge of cases in Detroit in this global pandemic is forcing our school and schools in our community to elevate safety precautions with closure for the rest of the calendar year.

Trix Academy will continue to keep families in our thoughts. We will continue to provide support in various ways as we try to overcome the challenges of this pandemic together. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at <a href="document-academics.org">d.coleman@mecc-academics.org</a>. Our PLA Help Desk and Call Center can also be reached by dialing 888. 655.0777.

Sincerely,

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Trix Academy School Leader