



## **Montague Consolidated School**

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To Parents at Montague Consolidated -

As you are likely aware, Montague Consolidated is undergoing major renovations in order to improve the learning conditions for the school's students. While the work at Montague Consolidated is underway, it is difficult to complete much of the work while classes are in session. Therefore, the summer months are crucial in order to be able to complete the renovations.

Through collaboration with the Department of Education and Lifelong Learning, the Department of Transportation Infrastructure and the school's building committee, it has been deemed necessary to shorten the school calendar to ensure adequate time for completing the renovations. As a result, the last day of in-person classes at Montague Consolidated will be June 10, 2022.

I realize this may raise concerns about your student's instructional time. Principal Compton has reviewed the schedules for all grades and identified an additional 10 minutes/day to make up for the time that would be lost by the early closure. This will allow teachers to spread that instructional time over the year without adding additional stress to students. Further, teachers will provide learning opportunities for students while at home for the two weeks.

I hope you will join me in recognizing that the renovations at Montague Consolidated will provide a significant benefit to Montague Consolidated students and the community as a whole. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to reach out to me or Principal Compton.

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