Dear Bruin Families:

As the coronavirus pandemic continues and there are no firm answers about next steps in reopening schools and businesses, DePaul Cristo Rey's leaders have made plans for the remainder of this school year. We are so proud of our students, teachers and staff for embracing the sudden shift to distance learning – it surely has been a learning experience for everyone!

We will not be returning to campus for the remainder of this school year. The schedule adjustments and important details are:

- Seniors will finish their classes and turn in all assignments by Friday, May 8.
- Freshmen, sophomores and juniors will finish their classes and turn in all assignments by Friday, May 22.
- Credit recovery will begin on June 1 for any freshmen or sophomores who failed 1 or 2 classes this year; juniors who failed a class and are returning to DPCR in the fall; and seniors who need to recover credit to meet graduation requirements.
- No students will take exams but students who are in need of an opportunity to bring up
 a failing grade will be contacted by the class teacher and assigned a comprehensive
 project to demonstrate mastery of that class subject.
- We are finalizing details about when and how students will turn in their computers at the end of the semester and retrieve any belongings that have been left in lockers.

Senior Celebrations:

In addition, we have good news to share with our seniors who have been patiently waiting for an update regarding their important end-of-year celebrations. These celebrations have been rescheduled. However, <u>please know that until the current health and safety situations are resolved these events could still change.</u>

Prom has been rescheduled for Friday, July 10 on the BB Riverboat.

Commencement has been rescheduled for Saturday, July 11, at 4:00 p.m. at Mount St. Joseph University. Commencement practice will be held on Friday, July 10 at the Mount, at a time to be announced later.

In the coming weeks as we hopefully learn more about when businesses, schools and lives begin returning to normal, we will be able to finalize these events and share specific details.

Thank you for your continued patience, persistence and positivity as we all work through this – Together!