Dear CMCSSD Families:

I hope you and your family are safe and healthy.

The Extended School Year (ESY) program offered at Cape May County Special Services (CMCSSSD) is specifically designed to maintain academic, social/behavioral, communication, and other pre-vocational skills that a student has learned as part of his/her Individualized Education Program. This year, due to the extended school closures and distance learning, a major focus will be making our students feel safe and ready to return to school in the fall. Social stories and daily lessons by our teachers will help address anxiety and any questions that our students might have regarding returning to school. **This is a critical need for our student population and will assist our families with the transition back to school.**

The academic portion of the program will focus on preventing skill regression in language arts, mathematics, science, and social skills. Related services, such as Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Speech and Counseling will also be provided.

Due to the current pandemic which presents serious health and safety issues for our students, this year’s ESY Program will run remotely beginning on Wednesday, July 1, 2020, and ending on Monday, August 3, 2020.

Please know that we will continue to provide your student the high-quality educational services they are entitled to and have received from CMCSSSD.

We appreciate your continued support.

Respectfully,

Jamie Moscony
Assistant Superintendent

*Please note: Any directive given by the Governor’s Office may change the structure and date of the program. This may include continued distance/virtual learning, virtual and on-site programming, or a change in ESY programming dates.*