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March 30, 2020

Welcome to Virtual Upper School, Students!

Click [here](#) to view a brief (55-second) video from me to remind you that despite the new realities the global pandemic presents, we at BFS remain a community.

I want to share deep gratitude for the patience you have exhibited through this crisis as well as the grace and dignity you will demonstrate and share with each other online beginning today.

I must express how grateful I am to all of your teachers and to our US Emergency Remote Learning Team—Angie, Pete, Kristin, and Kamauru. Everyone gave of their time during spring break to ensure Virtual Upper School (VUS) opens today, 30 March 2020, with Quaker integrity, academic vigor, community wellbeing, and students at the center.

See you online!

Lisa