



## **RURAL COMMUNITY RESOURCE HUB NOW ONLINE!**

Friends, your RSA is proud to tell you about an exciting and valuable resource as we all cope with the pandemic. Prof. Mara Tieken of Bates College, the author of *Why Rural Schools Matter* recently reached out through RSA to you and school leaders throughout the nation. She asked what you needed to better lead your school community through this trying time. The result of that effort is the **Rural Community Resource Hub**.

Dr. Tieken worked with the staff at Harvard's Ed Redesign to create this open, up to date resource. It provides information for families, students and educators and offers internet-based (as well as "no internet") learning activities for students. The site is intended to help bridge the gap between rural students and their urban and suburban counterparts in continuing to learn during this time away from school buildings. Whether it's responding to your child's emotional needs, creating learning activities for little ones, how to inspire learning on and off the screen, addressing the needs of undocumented students and impoverished students or a host of other challenges you and your colleagues identified, the Rural Community Resource Hub is an easily navigable center of timely and helpful information.

We're proud to direct you to it! <https://bit.ly/2YeQzCz>

## **VIDEO BREAK**

Canandaigua Academy's students have created a wonderful video to lighten us up! Give yourself a break and watch here:



Canandaigua High School students Joey Johnson (guitar and vocals), Millie Hawkins (trumpet), Hannah Godfrey (piano and vocals), Emma Godfrey (trumpet) and Hannah Nyhan (bass) ["I Hate Quarantine."](#)