

Announcement: SIDNEY ISD CLOSURE BEING EXTENDED

Given the rapidly evolving situation with COVID-19, Sidney ISD will extend the suspension of normal district operations through Monday, May 4th in an effort to slow the spread of the novel coronavirus, or COVID-19. Sidney ISD will continue to deliver instruction during this time.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has outlined the need for all communities to implement a social distancing protocol. We want to reiterate a request to all to take the following reasonable precautions to prevent the spread of the illness:

- Don't shake hands
- Wash your hands regularly
- Limit movement within the community, especially avoiding crowded places and maintaining 3 to 6 ft of distance between people (at least an arm's length)
- If you are moving around in the community, don't congregate in large groups
- For those who have traveled to areas with known COVID-19 cases – both inside and outside of the country – we ask that you self-quarantine and monitor for symptoms. Students who have traveled should plan to stay home for two weeks after arriving home. Please contact your campus to let them know, and this will be considered an excused absence.
- If you suspect you have [symptoms of COVID-19, call your health care provider for medical advice](#).
- Keep your child at home if he/she feels ill, even if you think it is just a cold.
- Do not leave the house if you are ill, except to access medical care

This is a quickly changing situation, and we will continue on a daily basis to monitor information. Thank you for your support and cooperation as we ensure that all stay safe and healthy.