MEMORANDUM

TO: SCUSD Students, Parents, Grandparents, Families & Community Stakeholders
FROM: Dr. Deborah J. Dennison, Superintendent

RE: Arizona School Closures – March 16-27, 2020
Date: March 15, 2020

In effort to prevent the spread of the Covid-19, Coronavirus, and help keep Arizona kids, families and school communities healthy, Arizona Governor Doug Ducey and Arizona State Superintendent Kathy Hoffman jointly announced the closure of all Arizona public schools from Monday, March 16, 2020 through Friday, March 27, 2020. Their office will continue to assess the situation and make future decisions regarding our schools.

The following are the changes made to the daily operations for SCUSD during this time, since our district is scheduled for spring break this week. Unless you are sick, District office staff, Maintenance, Grounds, Security, Custodians, and all Administrators are still required to work and prepare for the following.

- Intersession (school for identified students during spring break) will be canceled and no extra-curricular activities will take place.
- To limit exposure, SCUSD will offer a drive through brown bag meal service process for all San Carlos community children including SCUSD, St. Charles, and other children ages 4-18 years old. Meals can be picked up at a station in the Rice Elementary Parking Lot, exiting behind the San Carlos Middle School to San Carlos drive between the hours of 9:00 am to 11:00 am daily. The brown bag will be one per child and will have both breakfast and lunch in each.
- As previously planned, all classrooms and offices throughout the district will be sanitized and deep cleaned this week and all staff will be expected to routinely wash hands and hard surfaces that are frequently touched daily.
- We will be seeking to authorize pay through the duration of March 27, 2020 for staff restricted from working due to the school closure.
- Rice Gymnasium is still scheduled to be used for elections on Tuesday, March 17, 2020.

We ask all our students, parents, families and community to please help us by continuing to practice social distancing in the community as well as continuing to teach and practice with students, techniques of thoroughly washing hands and cleaning surfaces where virus’s may be. We will keep you posted on any updates or changes as they occur.

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