

March 15, 2020

QCUSD Families:

In response to Governor Doug Ducey's announcement today (March 15) of a statewide closure of Arizona schools starting Monday through Friday, March 27, 2020, Queen Creek Unified students will not return to class from Spring Break on March 23 as previously planned.

However, if your child is enrolled in the Discovery Kids Spring Break Camp, Preschool Spring Break Camp, and/or other athletic/QCPAC enrichment camps happening next week (3/16-3/20), those camps will continue as planned. We also want to assure you that all QCUSD facilities are and will continue to be fully sanitized and thoroughly cleaned. If your child is enrolled in those camps but you want to keep them home, refunds will be made available.

As we have done from the very beginning, QCUSD is following the guidance and expertise of local and national health officials to help protect the health of our students and employees. The Superintendent's Cabinet has taken all direction from the Arizona Department of Health Services, the Governor's Office, Arizona Department of Education, and Maricopa County Department of Health. You can read Governor Ducey's full letter [here](#).

We will be sending frequent updates with information and resources via email, text messages, the website and social media channels. We hope to have an updated FAQ posted and available for staff and families in the next few days.

We are so grateful for your patience and understanding as we continue to work through this difficult situation. We will get through this challenge together.

