

March 25, 2020

Dear ROISD families and staff,

Based on an extension of the City of Red Oak "Stay Home' order, Red Oak ISD will remain closed to students and provide online instruction through Monday, April 13, 2020.

Our outstanding teachers and staff returned to 'work' this week providing online instruction and student support from their homes. Any employees deemed 'essential' and coming onsite will practice social distancing and other health-related preventive measures. Facilities are being cleaned and sanitized after any usage.

Elementary families have begun receiving online grade-level instruction via email. Secondary students have instructions for online access to Naviance activities and other platforms based on class enrollment. Services for special education are handled on a case-by-case basis.

Reminder for all families, we have outside pick-up meal distribution sites set up for all children age 18 and under to pick up breakfast and lunch. Families/students can visit any of the three sites from 10:30 a.m. to noon, Monday through Friday. Remember, each child receiving meals must be present. We will give out one sack per child with both meals included.

- Eastridge Elementary 725 E. Ovilla Rd.
- Russell P. Schupmann Elementary 401 E. Ovilla Rd.
- Red Oak Middle School 154 Louise Ritter Blvd.

The district will be canceling all district and campus events through April 13, 2020, as well. Last week, the University Interscholastic League extended its suspension of all UIL sanctioned activities, including games, practices, rehearsals, and workouts, through May 4. Beyond the April 13 date, the district is assessing scheduled activities for health and safety concerns.

While students are out of school, we encourage you to practice social distancing and stay at home. If we all work together, we can keep our community healthy and safe. As always, please reach out to us with any comments, questions, or concerns at info@redoakisd.org or check our COVID-19 webpage at www.redoakisd.org.

Sincerely,

Brenda Sanford, Superintendent

Red Oak ISD