



March 23, 2020

Dear Roseland School District Families,

Please know that during these difficult and uncertain times, we in the Roseland School District are here to support you and your child(ren). Please read the following updates related to our current situation of school closures due to COVID-19 (Coronavirus):

School Closure/Re-Open Dates

This past week, Governor Gavin Newsome ordered a statewide shutdown, asking people living in California to Shelter-at-Home, in order to prevent the spread of COVID-19. This means that **students need to stay home from school**. The Governor has not yet notified us of when the Shelter-at-Home order will be lifted. Therefore, we are uncertain of when we will be able to bring students back to school. We will continue to update families as we learn more through robocalls, emails, and on our district website at <http://www.roselandsd.org>. You can also find updated district information on our district Facebook page. **Look for Roseland Public Schools on Facebook.**

Meals for Students

We are currently serving “grab-and-go” breakfast and lunch to all children 18 years old and under at Roseland Elementary School, from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m., Monday-Friday. We are asking families to drive through the parking lot located by the Roseland Elementary School cafeteria/gym to pick up meals. Note that lunches may need to be heated up at home. Meals will also be served to families walking, but please drive if possible so we can best practice social distancing. Please bring a grocery bag to carry meals home.

Communicating with School Site Staff

While all of our school sites, as well as the District Office, are currently closed, you can reach us via email. If you have a question or need support, please contact us at the following addresses:

<u>Name/Position</u>	<u>Email Addresses</u>
Amy Jones Kerr, Superintendent, Roseland School District	ajones-kerr@roselandsd.org
Sue Reese, Principal, Roseland University Prep	sreese@roselandsd.org
Danielle Yount, Principal, Roseland Collegiate Prep	dyount@roselandsd.org
Haley Piazza, Principal, Roseland Accelerated Middle School	hpiazza@roselandsd.org
Michelle Leisen, Principal, Roseland Elementary School	mleisen@roselandsd.org
Jenny Young, Principal, Sheppard Elementary School	jyoung@roselandsd.org
William Nilsen, Principal, Roseland Creek Elementary School	wnilsen@roselandsd.org
Maeve Mulholland, Director of Special Education Service	mmulholland@roselandsd.org

You can also leave a message at our District Office at 707-545-0102. We will return your call as soon as we are able to.

Learning at Home

The following is our plan to support optional learning at home for the next few weeks. While we do not know of our exact re-start date, we have planned the following for up to three weeks of school closure. We will be continuing to work on plans to support at-home learning to prepare for the possibility that we will need to extend school closures. We will update you as we finalize our plans.

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Elementary School Grades: PreK-6</u>	<u>Middle School Grades: 7 -8</u>	<u>High School Grades: 9 -12</u>
<u>Week One of School Closure</u> March 23 - 27	An informational flyer with activities to support learning at home was emailed to all families and posted on the district website and Facebook. Students can also complete work given to them by their teacher before Spring Break.	An informational flyer with activities to support learning at home was emailed to all families and posted on the district website and Facebook. Students can also complete work given to them by their teachers before Spring Break.	An informational flyer with activities to support learning at home was emailed to all families and posted on the district website and Facebook. Students can also complete work given to them by their teachers before Spring Break.
<u>Weeks Two and Three of School Closure (as needed)</u> March 30 - April 3 April 6 - April 10	A packet to support at home will be mailed home for your child to complete. These packets do not need to be turned in at this time but students are encouraged to complete them.	A packet to support at home learning will be mailed home for your child to complete. These packets do not need to be turned in at this time but students are encouraged to complete them.	Assignments for high school students will be posted online. Hard copies of assignments will be provided for students who do not have internet access. Assignments do not need to be turned in at this time but students are encouraged to complete them.

Reducing the Risk of Virus Transmission

Please help reduce the risk of virus transmission by following important guidelines, including sheltering in place (staying home), maintaining social distancing, washing hands frequently, etc. You can read more about county health and emergency guidelines at the SoCo Emergency Website (<http://www.socoemergency.org>). This website has information in English and Spanish.

Please take care, and hang in there!

Sincerely,
Amy Jones-Kerr
Superintendent, Roseland School District

