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Dear RUSD Families,

In light of recent school closures resulting from the public health crisis created by the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19), RUSD has developed instructional resources your child may work on at home. Parents can use these materials to support learning during the school closure between Monday, March 16, 2020 through Friday, April 3, 2020.

What resources are being provided?

Learning resources are provided for **all students** including students with disabilities, preschool through high school, Adult Transition, and Dual Language Immersion (DLI) students in these areas:

- English Language Arts (TK-12)
- Mathematics (TK-12)
- Science (7-12)

Where can I get the resources?

- Learning resources will be available digitally at www.bit.ly/RUSDELEARNING on Monday, March 16, 2020.
- Printed copies of materials will be available for pick up beginning Wednesday, March 18, 2020 through Friday, March 20, 2020 at all school sites during meal pick-up times:
 - 7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.
 - 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
- Families may pick up materials at any school site, regardless of grade level or special program. Families with children in moderate/severe special education classrooms (preschool through high school), including autism and medically/significant programs, may pick up printed copies of materials at the school site your child regularly attends. Students who attend Project T.E.A.M. may pick up printed copies of materials at the Central Registration Center located at 5700 Arlington Avenue, 92504.
- Packets will also be available at Ysmael Villegas Community Center located at 3091 Esperanza St, Riverside, CA 92504 and Bobby Bonds Community Center located at 2060 University Ave, Riverside, CA 92507 during meal pick-up times.

Does my child have to complete the instructional resources provided?

- **NO. *Completing any of the resources provided is voluntary.***
- These packets will not be graded or count in students' grades.
- Due to the rapid and fluid nature of the events that have occurred, teachers may have provided your child with work intended to be completed during the school closure. If

your child's teacher has assigned work, please know that these assignments are also optional and students will not be penalized for not completing them.

Riverside Unified is considering additional online learning opportunities if the closure extends beyond Friday, April 3, 2020.

An update on whether the school closures will be extended will be provided by the end of the day, Friday, March 27, 2020. RUSD thanks our communities in advance, knowing that lives are being disrupted to some extent during this fluid time.

Thank you,
Riverside Unified School District