

## **Brittan School District**

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## Brittan School District extends the COVID-19 School Closure through May 4, 2020

After consultation with local and state health officials, as well as neighboring districts and our county office of education, the Brittan School District will extend school closures through May 4, 2020.

The latest data from public health officials make it clear that the spread of the COVID-19 virus still has the potential to overburden our community health resources, and continued isolation is necessary to slow this spread.

The May 4<sup>th</sup> extension, like the original projection of April 20<sup>th</sup>, is subject to change. Brittan will continue to monitor the situation closely and make decisions based on the best information and quidance available from public health officials.

We understand that the uncertainty of when things will return to normal is very hard on students and their families, but we must do what will best protect the health and safety of our students, our staff and our community.

We will continue to monitor our student's academic progress utilizing the distance learning platforms that were implemented by our teachers. Our focus will continue to be what is best for our children -- what will keep them learning and progressing toward their goals. Although the delivery of instruction has changed our teacher's dedication and commitment to providing our students the best possible education has not changed. We will all continue to work together during this challenging time to support our students and families.

Brittan School District will continue to monitor the COVID-19 situation and will update our school families and community as more information becomes available.

Be safe and take care of each other.

Staci Kaelin Superintendent/Principal