



Good afternoon, Palmer ISD families:

This afternoon Governor Abbott, through an Executive Order, closed schools through the end of the school year (May 21). Our teachers and staff will continue to work hard to prepare for distance learning. Student work will continue through May 21st. You should be receiving remote instruction either by mail or digitally. If you are not receiving instruction, please send an email to your campus principal.

We will continue to feed students on weekdays during the time the district is closed to students. Drive-through meal pickup lines are located at Palmer Elementary. Breakfast will be served from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and lunch will be served from 11:30 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M. Meal delivery will continue to be on Mondays only, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Breakfast and lunch for the entire week will be delivered at one time. All meals will be served at no cost to the parents.

While students are out of school, we encourage you to practice social distancing and stay close to 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 [coronainfo@palmer-isd.org](mailto:coronainfo@palmer-isd.org).

We recognize we are in unprecedented times and are making decisions as quickly as we can as information becomes available. Your support, encouragement, prayers and patience have been invaluable. On behalf of all PISD teachers and staff, thank you. Together, we will get through this time and continue to make a difference in the lives of our children.

One final note. At some point after this pandemic passes, we will hold a graduation ceremony. As of right now the next available date for graduation is July 30 at the Waxahachie Civic Center. If COVID-19 rules are lifted earlier and there is significant interest, we can hold graduation in June at the football field.

Sincerely,

Kevin Noack

Superintendent

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