

## Dear Cedars Families,

We appreciate your patience and support through the COVID-19 global pandemic. We will close both campuses through the end of the spring semester and for an indefinite period of time beyond May 28, 2020, as part of the ongoing effort to slow the spread of COVID-19. Cedars International Academy will continue to monitor the developments regarding coronavirus. We are doing everything to keep our students, staff, and families safe.

We understand school closures can be disruptive and costly for families, both financially and emotionally. The Cedars International Schools Faculty are committed to continuing distance learning during this period. We are also committed to supporting students socially, emotionally, and academically. We are offering virtual counseling, Social Emotional Learning resources, and lessons through our counseling department.

We will continue to provide curbside meals Monday – Friday at the Cedars International Academy-Crowley Campus (8416 I-35 North, Austin, TX 78753) from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

We are grateful for the support of our Cedars community, and we look forward to greeting all of you back on campus when it is safe to do so. We are stronger together and all in this together!

For updates and information, please visit our www.cedars-academy.org/coronavirus/.

Follow the CDC guidelines to prevent the spread of coronavirus by:

- Staying home.
- Washing your hands often.
- Avoid close contact (6 feet, which is about two arm lengths) with people who are sick.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched services.
- Wear a face mask or cloth mask when out in public
- Avoid all cruise travel and non-essential air travel.
- Call your healthcare professional if you have concerns about COVID-19 and your underlying condition or if you are sick.

Sincerely, Varghese Panachakunnil Superintendent Cedars International Academy

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Vision: All children can and will learn in the village we build through community, communication, continuity, and commitment.

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Estimadas familias de Cedars,

Agradecemos su paciencia y apoyo a través de la pandemia global COVID-19. Vamos a cerrar los dos campus hasta el final del semestre de primavera y por un período indefinido de tiempo más allá del 28 de mayo de 2020, como parte del esfuerzo continuo para reducir la propagación del COVID-19. Cedars International Academy continuará monitoreando los desarrollos relacionados con el coronavirus. Estamos haciendo todo lo posible para mantener seguros a nuestros estudiantes, al personal y familias.

Entendemos que el cierre de escuelas puede ser perjudicial y costoso para las familias, tanto financiera como emocionalmente. La facultad de Cedars International Schools está comprometida a continuar con el aprendizaje a distancia durante este período. También estamos comprometidos a apoyar a los estudiantes social, emocional y académicamente. Ofrecemos asesoramiento virtual, recursos de aprendizaje social y emocional y lecciones a través de nuestro departamento de asesoramiento.

Continuaremos brindando comidas de lunes a viernes en Cedars International Academy-Crowley Campus (8416 I-35 North, Austin, TX 78753) de 10 am a 1 pm.

Para obtener actualizaciones e información, visite www.cedars-academy.org / coronavirus /.

Estamos agradecidos por el apoyo de nuestra comunidad de Cedars, y esperamos saludarlos a todos en el campus cuando sea seguro hacerlo. ¡Somos más fuertes juntos y todos estamos juntos en esto!

Siga las pautas de los CDC para prevenir la propagación del coronavirus:

- Ouedarse en casa.
- Lavarse las manos con frecuencia.
- Evite el contacto cercano (6 pies, que es aproximadamente dos brazos) con personas enfermas.
- Limpiar y desinfectar servicios frecuentemente tocados.
- Use cubrebocas o una máscara de tela cuando salga en público.
- Evite todos los viajes en crucero y los viajes aéreos no esenciales.
- Llame a su profesional de la salud si le preocupa COVID-19 y su afección subyacente o si está enfermo.

Sinceramente, Varghese Panachakunnil Superintendente Cedars International Academy

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