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During this period while we are dealing with the effects of the COVID-19 Corona Virus EPISD Community Schools will gather information and community resources that can be shared with families, students and staff.

> EPISD Home Online Mobile Education



EPISD@HOME, the District's distant learning program during the school closures, is coming on Monday, March 30! Our teachers and staff are hard at work designing the online-based instruction. Check back with EPISD on Wednesday for more details on how EPISD@HOME will work.

Please note that as of now, the District plans to return to school on April 6 in order to comply with the city's health guidelines.

Stay healthy and safe!

El Pasoans Fighting Hunger Mega Food Pantries

If you know of families in need, please share with them information shout the More Food

EPISD Meal Distribution For Children



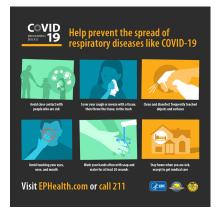
The El Paso Independent School District on Monday has begun the distribution of meals for children who may be impacted by school closures throughout the El Paso region. The free breakfasts and lunches will be available to any child ages 1-18 regardless of their enrollment status with the District.

EPISD will provide take-home meals for students at 50 school sites throughout the District in a drive-thru setting. No dining will be allowed in the cafeteria in order to practice social distancing recommended by health officials.

Take-home lunches and breakfasts for the next day will distributed be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. during the emergency preparedness weeks of March 23-27 and March 30-April Pantries being organized by El Pasoans Fighting Hunger. Monday through Friday from 10am to 2pm.



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3. The sites will distribute breakfast from 8 to 9 a.m. on Monday, March 23, only.

Please note that one lunch and one breakfast will be provided per child and that each child who receives a meal must be present at the time of distribution.

For a list of all locations go to www.episd.org

Sun Metro Providing Free Bus Service



Until further notice, Sun Metro will be providing free bus services. Please remember in line with the practice of social distancing, the following changes will be implemented:

- All passengers will board and exit buses through the rear doors. Boarding exceptions will be made for riders who have accessibility needs and require the use of the drop-down ramps located at the front doors.
- All passengers are encouraged to leave two empty seats between themselves and others.

The EPISD Community Schools Program seeks to develop high-functioning community schools at the following El Paso ISD campuses: Bowie HS, Guillen MS, Aoy ES, Douglass ES, Hart ES and Zavala ES. These schools are located in the Segundo Barrio and Chamizal neighborhoods that have some of the highest indicators of social need in the city. Our mailing address is:

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