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Coronavirus Update #12 - SCHOOL CLOSURE UPDATE

Dear San Dieguito Union High School District Community,

We appreciate everyone's patience and understanding as we entered into this unprecedented time. Some of you may be aware that Governor Gavin Newsom, in his update on the State's response to the Coronavirus yesterday, stated that it is unlikely that schools will reopen before the summer break. It is important to note that he offered an opinion as a parent and has not at this time issued an order for a state-mandated closure of schools.

At this time, the closing and opening of schools is locally controlled by school district superintendents based on guidance from our San Diego County Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Paul Gothold, and the San Diego County Department of Health and Human Services Agency Public Health Officer, Dr. Wilma Wooten. Yesterday, in a guidance meeting for San Diego County superintendents, Dr. Wooten reiterated the current guidelines for San Diego County, which at this time are in place through March 31. **Based on this guidance, we will not be planning on reopening SDUHSD schools prior to Monday, April 13.** It is important to note that this may change, and, if it does, we will provide notice right away.

Parents and students will be hearing from our Educational Services team this afternoon, regarding online learning moving forward while our schools are closed.

We hope all of our families stay healthy and safe and we look forward to reopening schools as soon as it is safe to do so. Please continue to check our website for the latest information and resources.

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