

Important Family Updates Regarding COVID-19 For LCER Families

There is no higher priority to our entire Lewis Center Family than the health and safety of our staff and students. Amid the concerns about the spread of COVID-19, we are putting in place the following measures. Although this is not an exhaustive list of the ongoing steps we are taking, we want to share regular updates with our families, students and staff. Please see our website at www.lcer.org for additional resources. We will also continue to send updates out via Parent Square and social media as they become available.

If your child is experiencing symptoms of fever greater than 100.4 or respiratory illness, please keep him/her home and follow the direction of your health care provider. Perfect Attendance incentives are suspended for the remainder of the school year. Visit our website for additional proactive and reactive measures you can take at home to keep your family safe.

Custodial/Enhanced Cleaning Protocols

We are working closely with our facilities and custodial departments to ensure that all frequently touched surfaces are disinfected daily. In order to meet these increased custodial demands, we are increasing staffing hours. Additional classroom disinfecting supplies will be provided for teachers to supplement these cleaning measures.

Curtailing/Cancelling School Events/Activities- Beginning Monday, March 16th

- AAE's Senior Trip to Europe has been cancelled. Other Spring Break trips are individually being reviewed for *possible* cancellation. *Please await information from specific advisors or teachers regarding these trips.*
- All other presently scheduled field trips are being reviewed for *possible* cancellation. Administration is working with each grade level or group to determine the best course of action. Additional information will be shared with those impacted.
- AAE and NSLA are cancelling next week's Award Assemblies. Awards will be passed out in individual classrooms.
- At this time, athletic events are continuing as normal. We will alert all athletes if our leagues or CIF change their recommendations.
- NSLA Parent Conferences will continue as normal at this time.
- All classroom parties will be cancelled. Outside food in classrooms will be prohibited (other than for personal consumption).

Possible School Closure

- **Local and State officials are not recommending any school closures in San Bernardino County at this present time. We are receiving continual guidance, updates and information concerning necessary actions and potential school closures.**
- Closure will be based upon recommendation and consultation with the following entities:
 - California Department of Public Health

- San Bernardino County Board of Education
- California Department of Education
- Apple Valley Unified School District
- If closure becomes necessary, we will send communication via:
 - Social Media
 - School Websites
 - Parent Square
 - Press Releases
- We are working with staff to prepare for continuity of teaching and learning in the event of school closure.

For more information or clarification regarding school operations, please contact the Principal's Office.

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For more information or clarification regarding health-related questions, please contact our District Nurse, Dr. Heather O'Bier at hobier@lcer.org or your personal medical provider.

Sincerely,



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