



Dear ICEF Families,

This is Parker Hudnut, CEO of ICEF Public Schools.

I am calling to inform you that ICEF will be closing all schools beginning Monday, March 16th. We will remain closed for the next three weeks until spring break and plan to reopen April 13th. During this time, our team will still be working to support your scholar's education. For instance, teachers will be holding virtual office hours or communicating directly with you to support continued learning at home. School leaders and other administrators will be in daily communication supporting teachers, and the Home Office will be fully operational throughout this time.

Each school will be distributing learning materials today for students to take home. Please be sure your scholars bring home anything else that they may need for the coming weeks. If your child is absent today, please stop by the school to pick up their work and personal belongings.

I will continue updating you during the closure to make sure you have the latest information from ICEF.

I know this situation is stressful. Please take a moment to speak with your child about their feelings during these uncertain times. It is important that children feel safe and are able to share their thoughts with a trusted adult. I have shared with my daughters that this decision is our duty to protect lives within our schools, our community, our city, our state and in fact the entire planet.

Our thoughts are with your family. Please know that ICEF is here for you and your scholar. We will make it through this difficult chapter. Together.

Thank you