



ROBSTOWN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Cotton Picker Family,

Robstown Independent School District will be closed starting Monday, March 23, 2020 through Monday, April 13, 2020 to support our community and health care professionals in the ongoing goal of containing the spread of the novel coronavirus, or COVID-19. Additionally, all extracurricular activities, practices and athletic events are suspended while we are closed.

We do not make this decision lightly. We fully realize it presents significant difficulties to working parents. However, we are hopeful that these measures will better ensure the long-term health and safety of children, staff, and the larger community.

Robstown ISD is finalizing logistics on distance learning options and the distribution of food to address children's nutritional needs while school is out. More information and guidance will be made available on our website as soon as possible. We will also take this time to further clean schools and buses and restock custodial and nursing supplies.

Additionally, Robstown ISD asks the broader community to take the following reasonable precautions to prevent the spread of the illness:

- Don't shake hands
- Wash your hands regularly
- Limit movement within the community, especially avoiding crowded places and maintaining 3 to 6 ft of distance between people (at least an arm's length)
- If you are moving around in the community, don't congregate in large groups
- For those who have traveled to areas with known COVID-19 cases – both inside and outside of the country – we ask that you self-quarantine and monitor for symptoms
- If you suspect you have [symptoms](#) of COVID-19, call your health care provider for medical advice
- Keep your child at home if he/she feels ill, even if you think it is just a cold
- Do not leave the house if you are ill, except to access medical care

This is a quickly changing situation. We will continue to monitor information and assess conditions throughout this time. All updates will be provided via our website, social media platforms, and local news outlets.

Thank you for your support and cooperation as we ensure that all members of the community in Robstown stay safe and healthy.

Sincerely,

Dr. José H. Moreno
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