



Cedars International Academy

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Dear Cedars Families,

I hope this letter finds you well. I want to thank all of our families for the continued support and patience during COVID-19.

In response to the Stay Home - Work Safe Order issued by the City of Austin and Travis County, **Cedars International Academy will be closed through April 13.** We should prepare ourselves for school to be closed for a longer period. Even though our campuses are physically closed, we are facilitating off-campus instruction to our students.

Cedars International Academy will continue to provide curbside meals at Cedars International Academy-Crowley Campus (8416 I-35 North, Austin, TX 78753), from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Cedars International Schools is committed to providing ongoing communication regarding district measures taken to assist public health officials in their prevention of COVID-19 (the coronavirus). Please know, this is an ongoing situation. We ask that you refer to www.cedars-academy.org/coronavirus/ for daily updates and the most current information.

For specific information regarding your student and family, please contact your campus principal. Please continue to stay in touch with your child's teachers for ongoing distance learning.

Please remember, the best way to lessen the effects of COVID-19 in our community:

- Reduce our social interactions by 90 percent.
- Practice social distancing: maintain distance of 6 feet (approximately 2 meters) from others when possible.
- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Stay home when sick.

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- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of the elbow when coughing or sneezing.
- Clean and disinfect frequently-touched objects and surfaces.

Thank you for the continued support and flexibility you have shown during this time. You are a valued part of our Cedars family. Stay safe and remember, we are all in this together.

Sincerely,
Varghese Panachakunnil
Superintendent
Cedars International Academy

Estimadas familias de Cedars,

Espero que esta carta te encuentre bien. Quiero agradecer a todas nuestras familias por el continuo apoyo y paciencia durante COVID-19.

En respuesta a la orden Stay Home - Work Safe emitida por la ciudad de Austin y el condado de Travis, Cedars International Academy permanecerá cerrada hasta el 13 de abril. Debemos prepararnos para que la escuela permanezca cerrada por un período más largo. A pesar de que nuestros planteles están cerrados físicamente, estamos facilitando la instrucción fuera del campus para nuestros alumnos.

Cedars International Academy continuará ofreciendo comidas en la acera en el Cedars International Academy-Crowley Campus (8416 I-35 North, Austin, TX 78753), de 10 a.m. a 1 p.m., de lunes a viernes.

Cedars International Schools se compromete a proporcionar una comunicación continua sobre las medidas tomadas por el distrito para ayudar a los funcionarios de salud pública a prevenir COVID-19 (el coronavirus). Por favor, sepa, esta es una situación en curso. Le pedimos que consulte www.cedars-academy.org/coronavirus/ para obtener actualizaciones diarias y la información más actualizada.

Para obtener información específica sobre su estudiante y su familia, comuníquese con el director(a) de su escuela. Continúe manteniéndose en contacto con los maestros de su hijo para el aprendizaje a distancia continuo.

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Recuerde, la mejor manera de disminuir los efectos de COVID-19 en nuestra comunidad:

- Reduzca nuestras interacciones sociales en un 90 por ciento.
- Practique el distanciamiento social: mantenga una distancia de 6 pies (aproximadamente 2 metros) de los demás cuando sea posible.
- Lávese las manos a menudo con agua y jabón durante al menos 20 segundos. Si no hay agua y jabón disponibles, use un desinfectante para manos a base de alcohol.
- Evite tocarse los ojos, la nariz y la boca con las manos sin lavar.
- Evitar el contacto cercano con personas que están enfermas.
- Quédese en casa cuando esté enfermo.
- Cubra su boca y nariz con el interior del codo al toser o estornudar.
- Limpie y desinfecte objetos y superficies que se tocan con frecuencia.

Gracias por el apoyo continuo y la flexibilidad que ha demostrado durante este tiempo. Usted es una parte valiosa de nuestra familia Cedars. Manténgase a salvo y recuerde, todos estamos juntos en esto.

Sinceramente,

Varghese Panachakunnil
Superintendente
Cedars International Academy

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