

# Pleasant Ridge



March 12, 2020

Dear PRUSD Families and Community Members:

The effects and implications associated with COVID-19 continue to increase exponentially. In response, the Pleasant Ridge Union School District is issuing directives regarding district-sponsored events. All events are cancelled effective Friday, March 13 through Friday, April 17, 2020 including, but not limited to:

- TK-8 sports events and activities
- Field trips
- Assemblies
- Travel for students and staff
- Drama/theatre and live events
- Celebrations/Events
- Clubs
- PTC/PTM/PRDPC meetings/events

The safety and well being of our students, families, staff, and community are our top priority. The District continues to be in constant contact with County Public Health officials and the Nevada County Superintendent of Schools office. In addition, District staff continues to maintain heightened cleaning, disinfecting, and health protocols. The District is taking all possible steps to mitigate the local effects of the virus, but also maintain as much instructional continuity as possible.

We strongly recommend students continue to attend school utilizing hygiene protocols, and social distancing practices when possible. A decision to close a campus or further curtail activities will be executed with the input and guidance from State and local officials. Issues and conditions associated with the virus are rapidly changing. The District will continue to communicate information to all stakeholder groups as updates are provided to County leaders and Superintendents.

We will continue to communicate information and possible actions as soon as possible. **This is an excellent time for families to consider home preparedness.**

If there is a change to the route of delivery for classroom instruction, i.e. on-line learning, independent study, etc., remember to:

- o Stay up-to-date with your school site communications (PRUSD website)
- o Have school essentials available in the home (paper, pencil, computer, etc.)
- o Have a quiet learning space available in the home
- o **Make plans for childcare if you work outside of the home**

The health and safety of every student, staff and community member in Nevada County is of the utmost importance. For additional information on preparing for combating COVID-19 please see <https://www.cdph.ca.gov>, <https://www.cde.ca.gov/>, [www.mynevadacounty.com/](http://www.mynevadacounty.com/) or call 211.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent, PRUSD



*The Pleasant Ridge Union School District provides a safe and engaging environment where students develop academic, social and life skills to become productive, responsible citizens in a constantly changing global society.*

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