

**March 17, 2020**

**Dear Parents and Community:**

As you know Governor Ducey and State School Superintendent Hoffman have closed all Arizona schools through March 27, 2020. Here are some important updates we would like to share with you, as of March 17th. We will be providing an update, daily, as this is a constantly evolving situation. We thank you for your patience during this time as we navigate this together.

- **FOOD SERVICE CHANGE BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, March 18th: We will be modifying food service to provide drive-through *Breakfast and Lunch* from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Buckeye, Jasinski, and Inca campuses, only.**
- **Our curriculum and instruction team has created a resource list for parents to use at home with their students. We are not able to provide instruction at this time, however, these resources are vetted by our team and are separated into grade bands. Click [here](#) to access the resource document.**
- **The well-being of students and stakeholders is our top priority, so please click [here](#) to reference information on how to talk to your children about COVID-19. This comes from the National Association of School Psychologists. We believe this to be a helpful resource and is meant as a support support for you.**

Most importantly, please be sure to keep you and your family safe by following all recommended precautions from local, state, and federal authorities. This certainly is an unusual time, but we will successfully navigate it, together as a community.

**Please stay tuned for our daily updates, we will keep you posted as new information becomes available.**

**Sincerely,**

**Dr. Kristi Sandvik, Superintendent, BESD**