

March 15, 2020

Good Afternoon Eureka County School District Families, Staff, and Community Members,
This is Superintendent Tate Else with an important message.

As you may have heard, in light of the increasing concern around COVID-19, Governor Sisolak, after consulting with local and state wide agencies including the Nevada Department of Education, health officials and school superintendents, has decided that all schools in the state of Nevada will close starting Monday, March 16th through Friday, April 3rd. With this direction from our Governor, this means that **ALL Eureka County School District schools will close for three weeks starting tomorrow Monday, March 16th.**

We are hopeful that students will be able return to school Monday, April 6th.

I know this is a difficult time for all of us, but as a result of the increasing number of individuals who have a presumptive positive test for COVID-19 in Nevada, it now becomes necessary for us to make additional decisions to further safeguard our students, staff, and community.

Over the next few days, our district will be sending out communication to schools, staff, and our communities about specific details on how this closure will be conducted including: access to educational materials (various forms), the offering of nutrition programs for our families that may need this support, and health related services. Through this process, we are committed to providing you with timely information on the ECSD website, and Infinite Campus.

Again, the Eureka County School District will be closed beginning March 16th through April 6th.