

ARLINGTON ISD TAKING PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES TO SLOW THE SPREAD OF COVID-19

Schools and buses cleaned over Spring Break

ARLINGTON, TEXAS, March 13, 2020- As concerns over the spread of COVID-19 grow across the nation the Arlington ISD is taking several measures to mitigate the spread of the virus.

The district is working daily with public health officials to help guide decision-making around district operations. The Arlington ISD is also taking the necessary steps and preventive measures to help protect our students, staff and parents who use district facilities and buses daily.

All district facilities are cleaned and disinfected nightly, and buildings have been deep cleaned during spring break. The district utilizes electrostatic disinfectant misting applicators to destroy germs on surfaces throughout our buildings and buses. These disinfectant applicator systems are used daily to help reduce the spread of germs to students and staff.

At this time, the Arlington ISD not canceling any classes unless advised to do so by local health officials. If a case of COVID-19 is confirmed in the district, it will be reported to the Tarrant County Public Health Department immediately. Should circumstances warrant the cancelation of classes, we will communicate the information by email, phone call, text message, at www.aisd.net/coronavirus, Facebook, Twitter and through local media updates.

The district has established an internal self-reporting process for staff members and students who might have traveled to a country with a Level 3 travel advisory for the Coronavirus as identified by the CDC or the US Department of State.

The Arlington ISD is in discussions with public health officials on the safest way to conduct athletic, fine arts and other events.

The public can visit the Arlington ISD [Coronavirus](#) page for current updates and prevention information.

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About the Arlington ISD:

The Arlington ISD is a unique district with a passion for academics, specialized learning, fine arts, athletics and many other student development opportunities. Led by the 2016 Texas Superintendent of the Year, Dr. Marcelo Cavazos, the district is home to nearly 60,000 students and 8,500 staff members.