



# EDINBURG CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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*Mr. Gilbert Garza, Jr., Interim Superintendent*

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Dear Edinburg CISD families,

I hope you and your family are healthy and doing well during this challenging time in our lives. As per Governor Greg Abbott's Executive Order, Edinburg CISD schools shall remain temporarily closed to in-person classroom attendance by students for the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year. Although our school buildings remain closed to the public, your campus principal is available to receive your phone calls.

To continue our support of the ECISD community, we have mailed more than 27,000 paper instructional packets to students. For the remainder of the school year, teachers will monitor student participation and academic progress and provide instructional support using varied distance learning methods. I urge parents to log onto our website at [www.ecisd.us](http://www.ecisd.us) with regards to our grading policies and procedures. Keep in mind that the last day of instructional learning is May 29<sup>th</sup> for all students. For any questions about our distance learning program, contact your campus or our Technology Support Call Center at (956) 289-2325.

The mental health needs of our students are also critical during this time of uncertainty. ECISD counseling services are available by our licensed professional counselors or social workers. For more information on our counseling services, contact either your campus principal, visit the District website, or call (956) 289-2300.

Because of these challenging times, graduation ceremonies for the four high schools are on the minds of our seniors and their parents. Many students have been with our District for more than 13 years and this is the day that they have been looking forward to all of their lives. I want to assure all of our seniors that a graduation ceremony in one form or another will take place for the Class of 2020. The ceremonies will be scheduled as soon as it is safe for everyone to attend. More information will be shared with parents and seniors at a later date.

I want to thank our Board of Trustees for providing us with their guidance and leadership. I also want to thank all of our teachers, principals, administrators and support staff for working tirelessly in moving our District forward and safely through this crisis. A special thanks is extended to the staff who have served more than 530,000 healthy meals to our children.

Finally, a heartfelt thank you to our students and parents for your continued patience and support. Please continue to monitor your email and visit the District website and social media channels for regular updates. The health and safety of our Edinburg CISD students, employees and our school community are always our priority, and we will continue to work together.

Sincerely,

Gilbert Garza, Jr.  
Interim Superintendent

**Nondiscrimination Statement**

It is the policy of Edinburg CISD not to discriminate on the basis of gender, age, handicap, religion, race, color, or national origin in its educational programs.  
Es poliza del Distrito Escolar de Edinburg el no discriminar por razones con base en genero, edad, religion, raza, color origen nacional, ni discapacidad dentro de sus programas educacionales.

*Communicate and Connect with All Stakeholders*



*Excel in Academics and Ensure Equal Access*

*Innovate Through Technology*



*Secure a Safe Learning Environment*



*Develop and Retain Highly Qualified Staff*