

Good Morning Sandsharks,

Today Governor Ducey and Superintendent Hoffman extended our school closure until the end of the school year. While this is disappointing for all of us, it is a necessary step for us in stopping the spread of COVID-19. I hope you know how heartbreaking this is for us – we are greatly missing our students!

Today’s announcement does not stop our commitment to our students or the learning opportunities we have been sharing with you. We know you likely have many questions about what this means for our end of the year activities, such as promotion. We will do our best to address those questions and concerns as quickly as possible. Rest assured, your student will be promoting to their next grade in the 2020-2021 school year.

We know that teachers have sent out learning/enrichment opportunities to your students today. Please remember these are opportunities and are not intended to cause additional stress during this challenging time. They will not be graded, and we recognize that it may not be possible for them all to be completed. We also recognize that we are using new learning platforms and there is a learning curve to figuring them out. We will continue to do everything we can to support you!

Thank you so much for your continued support. Please visit the district website, www.peoriaunified.org/coronavirus for details on free meals, learning from home and other community resources.

Thinking of you all,

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