

K-12 School Closures

Chancellor <chancellor@nocccd.edu>

Fri 3/13/2020 3:38 PM

Good afternoon – An announcement was made today by Orange County Department of Education Superintendent Al Mijares recommending that all 615 public schools—pre-K through grade 12—in Orange County close for the next two weeks as a precaution to mitigate the spread of COVID-19.

We realize that this decision will affect a great many of our NOCCCD employees whose children attend a school in the Orange County area and who may have childcare needs during this time. While regional childcare solutions are already under consideration by state and local authorities, NOCCCD would like to assure our employees that we understand and are responding to this issue.

At this time, NOCCCD employees affected by associated childcare issues related to Southern California K-12 school closures and who need to take time off are directed to:

- Speak with your direct manager about your family's needs for the next two weeks.
- Coordinate with your manager to utilize accrued sick, personal necessity, or vacation hours to cover time away from work as appropriate.
- Departments must coordinate workloads and work hours, as reasonable, to assure that essential District services are still being provided.
- Managers whose departments are in great need of coverage in response to the K-12 closures should reach out to Human Resources for further direction.

Please know that we are united together to respond to the safety and wellbeing of our employees, students, and community. We will get through this crisis together.

Cheryl A. Marshall, Chancellor

North Orange County Community College District

Office: (714) 808-4797

1830 W. Romneya Drive Anaheim, CA 92801

www.nocccd.edu

