



## Responses to Frequently Asked Questions Regarding School Closures:

1. How will I find out whether my child's school is closed?
  - A. Notice and updates regarding school closures will be made via Constant Contact, IntouchK12 (Telephone Emergency Broadcast System), verified school and district social media accounts, and posting to our website.
2. Why did TVUSD close its campuses?
  - A. TVUSD determined that we would not have sufficient staff remaining to provide a safe, quality instructional day for our students.
3. Will before and after school programs continue during closures?
  - A. All extracurricular school clubs and activities are canceled during the school closures.
  - B. The independently run CC Club and Youth Community Programs will continue to operate as scheduled. For those parents with students currently enrolled in CC Club, please watch for email communications from these programs for updates and information. Transportation will not be provided.
4. Will the school year be extended due to the school closures?
  - A. We are waiting for guidance from the Arizona Dept. of Education before being able to make a final determination. The District will act in accordance with state laws and board policies. We will communicate additional information when it is known.
5. Will school closures affect graduation dates?
  - A. Graduation ceremonies will proceed as scheduled. Students will have to meet all requirements to receive their diplomas, in keeping with school and board policy.
6. Will team sports practices or games take place as scheduled during school closures?
  - A. Tanque Verde High School - Tanque Verde High School Interscholastic Athletics are governed by the Arizona Interscholastic Association (AIA). The AIA has provided direction to school districts that AIA sanctioned athletics programs will continue regularly scheduled activities during school closures. None of the coaches of matches that TVHS has scheduled during the closure are teachers.
  - B. Emily Gray Jr. High School - Emily Gray Jr. High athletics are not governed by the AIA. All athletics and after-school activities will be canceled for the duration of the school closure.
  - C. All other high school clubs and activities are canceled for the duration of the school closures
7. Will school trips and activities continue during the school closures?
  - A. Out-of-state and overnight field trips are being addressed on a case-by-case basis. The WADC and Grand Canyon trips will continue as planned.
  - B. All local single-day trips will be canceled if they are scheduled during a school closure.
  - C. Extracurricular student programming (including clubs, activities, performances, celebrations and Jr. High athletics) will be suspended and may be rescheduled.
8. What resources are there for parents during a school closure?
  - A. For families who may need assistance with nutritious meals for their children, the Association of Arizona Food Banks has a complete list of partners that offer

boxed lunches, onsite meals, home meals, etc. at (602) 528-3434 or visit their website for [www.azfoodbanks.org/index.php/foodbank/](http://www.azfoodbanks.org/index.php/foodbank/).

- B. For families who may need assistance with childcare, the Arizona Daily Star published a list of local resources at this link:  
[http://tucson.com/thisistucson/schools/updated-tucson-places-for-kids-while-schools-are-closed/article\\_fd53d30c-472f-11e8-8158-074e14f70c29.html](http://tucson.com/thisistucson/schools/updated-tucson-places-for-kids-while-schools-are-closed/article_fd53d30c-472f-11e8-8158-074e14f70c29.html)

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