EL DORADO UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear El Dorado Union High School District Community,

We wanted to provide the latest information for you regarding our schools in the El Dorado Union High School District.

There are currently no plans to close any schools in our District due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19). There are no known cases of COVID-19 among any El Dorado Union High School District students, staff or family members at this time.

All student events will continue as scheduled although we are carefully monitoring this developing situation. We are paying very close attention to developments with our County Office of Education, local school districts and El Dorado County Public Health Officials. We evaluate and work in collaboration to protect the health and safety of our students, staff and community.

The transmission of COVID-19 changes daily and we are prepared to take additional action as needed, including school closures if required to keep students safe. Additional resources can be found on our website at: www.eduhsd.k12.ca.us and on the website for El Dorado County Public Health: https://www.edcgov.us/Government/hhsa/Pages/EDCCOVID-19.aspx

In addition, we are doing everything we can to prevent the spread of this and other viruses to others. We encourage frequent hand washing and are sanitizing classroom surfaces to avoid the spread of COVID-19 or other viruses and germs. All of our vehicles are also cleaned to assist in the effort.

We encourage individuals who are ill to stay home until they have fully recovered and are free of fever for at least 24 hours.

Should the COVID-19 virus be identified in our District boundaries, we may implement additional efforts such as restrictions on large gatherings and travel or changes to some everyday schedules that will further limit opportunities for exposure. We will keep you informed of those changes if they become necessary.

Thank you for working with us to help stop the spread of COVID-19 and we sincerely appreciate your support during this challenging time.

Sincerely,

Ron Carruth, Ed.D. Superintendent