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Good Afternoon Solana Beach School District Families:

Today, Monday, March 23rd, marked the launching of our **modified** instructional program during the school closure period. I know our teachers and principals were excited to reconnect with students. It was almost like the first day of school all over again, while there is a different type of energy being experienced, it is safe to say **we** all miss the physical connection of being at school together. We currently are not utilizing “live” connection time with students as we are still working out student privacy protocols. We have heard other districts may be utilizing these systems specifically with students 13 years of age or older. It is our desire to get live connection, but at this time, we are working through ensuring we are abiding by laws protecting rights to student privacy.

It was extremely important to our teachers that learning continue using familiar curriculum resources and materials. In this ever-changing environment, this approach affords our students stability. In addition, as I mentioned in my letter last Friday (March 20), time and attention must immediately focus on reconnecting students and teachers as well as learning the new distance model platform (Google Classroom or Seesaw).

In this message, you will also find QR Codes for our three social media sites (Instagram, Twitter, and FaceBook). We encourage you to follow us on one or all three platforms. We will use social media to also notify our families when there are updated communication messages.



Thank you and remain safe,

Jodee Brentlinger
Superintendent