



San Ysidro

School District **EST - 1887**

QUALITY EDUCATION AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL STUDENTS TO SUCCEED

District Highlights

February 5, 2021



SUPERINTENDENT

Gina Potter, Ed.D.

NO SCHOOL ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH & MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15TH IN CELEBRATION OF LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY & PRESIDENTS DAY. DISTRICT OFFICES WILL ALSO BE CLOSED.



TELEMUNDO20/NBC7- STORY ON SYSD SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS

On Wednesday, February 3rd, Telemundo/NBC7 reporter, Cinthia Pasillas, visited our District to produce a story on the phenomenal work our school bus drivers have been doing during the pandemic. This included interviews with 3 of our drivers and MOTF Director, Paulo Azevedo and a visit to La Mirada Elementary to highlight the classroom safety preparations that they helped install.



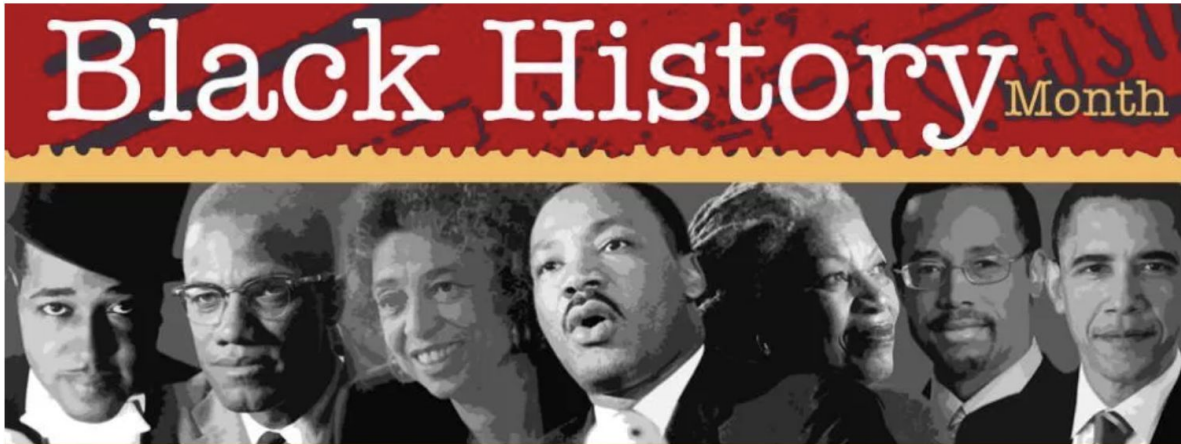
Please click on the link to watch the Telemundo20 news story:

<https://www.telemundo20.com/noticias/local/choferes-de-san-ysidro-cambian-las-calles-por-las-aulas-escolares/2091292/>

Please click on the link to read the NBC7 news article titled, “San Ysidro School District Bus Drivers Now Working in Classrooms”

https://www.nbcsandiego.com/news/local/south-bay-school-bus-drivers-now-working-in-classrooms/2512396/?_osource=db_npd_nbc_knsd_eml_shr

BLACK HISTORY MONTH



Information from: California Department of Education: 2021 Black History Month Celebration

The California Department of Education’s (CDE) Black History Committee (BHC) is hosting a variety of cultural events in honor of Black History Month. The 2021 theme for this year is The Black Family: Representation, Identity, and Diversity. The theme is chosen by the [Association for the Study of African American Life and History](#) (ASALH), a national organization.

From the days of slavery to current times, the representation, identity, and diversity of the Black family has been an area of study in many academic disciplines; the focus of films, television, and literature; and the topic of social policy. The theme of family provides a unique opportunity to explore the African-American experience both past and present.

This year’s theme also takes on a higher degree of relevance due to the pandemic. The impact and disruption the COVID public health crisis has had on families—especially in Black and brown communities—has been a discussion point for local and national leaders.

During February, the BHC will host virtual activities for CDE staff, including a weekly podcast series that examines different aspects of the Black family and a month-long book club event discussing the book *My Vanishing Country*, a memoir by former South Carolina State Legislator and CNN contributor Bakari Sellers.

To learn more about this year’s theme and virtual Black History Month events, visit the [ASALH website](#)

Please click on the link to read the the newsletter for the California Department of Education - January/February 2021:

<https://www.cde.ca.gov/re/di/nl/cdecurrenthsfebruary2021.asp>

UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
Tues. Feb. 9	Child Development Center Virtual Open House 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	Child Development Center (Use Classroom Daily Link)
Friday, Feb. 12	Lincoln Holiday All Schools Closed	All Schools
Monday, Feb. 15	President's Holiday All Schools Closed	All Schools
Thurs. Feb. 18	Vista Del Mar Middle School Virtual Coffee with the Principal 9:00 a.m.	Vista Del Mar Middle School (Virtual Link)
Thurs. Feb. 18	Sunset Preschool Virtual Open House 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	Sunset Preschool (Use Classroom Daily Link)
Tues. Feb. 23	Ocean View Hills Preschool Virtual Open House 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	Ocean View Hills Preschool (Use Classroom Daily Link)
Tues. Feb. 23	Ocean View Hills School Virtual Open House 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.	Ocean View Hills School (Use Classroom Daily Link)
Tues. Feb. 23	San Ysidro Middle School Virtual Open House 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	San Ysidro Middle School (Virtual Links)
Thurs. Feb. 25	Sunset School Virtual Open House 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	Sunset School (Virtual Links)
Thurs. Feb. 25	Willow School Virtual Open House 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	Willow School (Virtual Links)
Thurs. Feb. 25	Vista Del Mar Middle School Virtual Open House 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.	Vista Del Mar Middle School (Virtual Links)
Tues. March 2	Smythe School Virtual Open House	Smythe School (Virtual Links)

	4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	
Thurs. March 4	La Mirada School Virtual Open House 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	La Mirada School (Virtual Links)

REGULAR VIRTUAL ZOOM BOARD MEETING: Thurs, Feb. 11th @ 5pm - *Change of Location - Virtual Zoom Board Meeting*

On Thursday, February 11th beginning at 5:00 p.m. there will be a board meeting. This governing board meeting will be held virtually.

**EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP,
PUPIL SERVICES AND SAFETY**

NEW COMMUNITY COVID-19 VACCINATION SITE IN SAN YSIDRO

Supervisor Nora Vargas announced a new COVID-19 Vaccination site located at Southwestern College Higher Education Center (460 W San Ysidro Blvd, SY, Ca 92173) open Tues-Sat 9:30am-3:30pm. Appointments required.

For appointment click here: [San Ysidro Vaccination Site](#).

FOURTH SAN DIEGO COUNTY VACCINATION SUPER STATION OPENS TODAY IN EAST COUNTY

LA CUARTA SUPER ESTACION DE VACUNACIÓN DEL CONDADO DE SAN DIEGO ABRE HOY EN EL ESTE DEL CONDADO

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1DKKKYhWvYoo30E41NoHrbVHoQC35s60E/view?usp=sharing>

NEW SURVEYS PENDING REGARDING PHASE III DISTANCE LEARNING/SCHOOL REOPENING

Soon the district will be sending a survey out to families, students, and staff regarding their thoughts on reopening when we are permitted based on the County's case rate. This survey data will help guide the district with our next steps with regards to our instructional program/s for the balance of this school year.

COVID-19 VACCINATION LOCATIONS

Here is San Diego County's website regarding vaccination locations and appointment information:

https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/community_epidemiology/dc/2019-nCoV/vaccines/COVID-19-VaxEvents.html

Quick Tips To Make an Appointment at the Vaccine Super Station

1. First contact healthcare providers to request the vaccine, but if none are available, then they should make an appointment for the County's COVID-19 Vaccine Super Station
2. Appointments are required and have to be made at www.VaccinationSuperStationSD.com
3. Do not schedule an appointment if you have COVID-19, or are sick. Please follow CDC guidance for those situations

4. Medical professionals administering the vaccine will be wearing personal protective equipment.
5. Wear a mask
6. Acceptable forms of proof to be presented at the County's Vaccine Super Station
 - a. Employee ID badge with photo or other documents, including a professional license and a photo ID, signed letter from their employer on facility letterhead and a photo ID; or, a payment stub or timesheet from their healthcare employer or in-home supportive services with a photo ID

Vaccination Locations



LOCATION	ADDRESS
Petco Park Super Station	1235 K Street, San Diego, 92101
Rady Children's Hospital	3020 Children's Way, San Diego, 92123
County - El Cajon	367 N. Magnolia Avenue, El Cajon, 92020
County - Escondido	649 W. Mission Avenue, Escondido, 92025
County - Chula Vista	690 Oxford Street, Chula Vista, 91911
County - Imperial Beach	825 Imperial Beach Blvd, Imperial Beach, 91932
County - San Diego	3177 Ocean View Blvd, San Diego, 92113
County - National City	140 E. 12th Street, National City, 91950
Sharp Grossmont Hospital	9001 Wakarusa St., La Mesa, 91942
Sharp Coronado Hospital	1845 Strand Way Coronado, 92118
Sharp Southbay Super Station	565 Broadway, Chula Vista, CA 91910



VaccinationSuperstationSD.com

www.coronavirus-sd.com

Text: COSD COVID19 to 468-311

Additional online vaccine appointment websites are below. Please click on the links below to access the vaccination appointment information:

[County Managed Locations: MyTurn](#)

[Rady Children's Hospital: MyChart](#)

[Sharp Locations: PrepMod](#)

[UC San Diego Health Petco Park Super Station: MyChart](#)

[County Fire Locations: PrepMod](#)

BUSINESS SERVICES

NEW SCHEDULE FOR FREE MEAL PROGRAM FOR ALL CHILDREN 1 TO 18 YEARS OLD

There is an important change in SCHEDULE FOR OUR FREE MEAL PROGRAM. We will offer Free Meal pick up at **2 SCHOOLS ONLY**: Willow Elementary and La Mirada

Elementary. *San Ysidro Middle School will no longer distribute meals.* Meals are for all children 1 to 18 years old which includes breakfast & lunch for multiple days distributed each week. The NEW schedule will be as follows:

Day: Every Wednesday

School: Willow Elementary

Time: 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. (or until meals run out)

School: La Mirada Elementary

NEW Time: 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. (or until meals run out)

Children are not required to be present to pick up their meals. Meals will be served in a “Grab and Go” style.

Please wear a face covering when picking up your meals.

NUEVO HORARIO DEL PROGRAMA DE COMIDAS GRATIS PARA TODOS LOS NIÑOS DE 1 A 18 AÑOS

Hay un cambio importante en el HORARIO DE NUESTRO PROGRAMA DE COMIDAS GRATIS. Ofreceremos comida gratis para recoger en **SOLO 2 ESCUELAS:** Willow Elementary y La Mirada Elementary. *La escuela San Ysidro Middle School ya no distribuirá comidas.* Las comidas son para todos los niños de 1 a 18 años que incluyen desayuno y almuerzo para varios días distribuidas cada semana. El NUEVO horario será el siguiente:

Fecha: Cada miércoles

Ubicación: Willow Elementary

Hora: 11:30 a.m. a 1:00 p.m. (o hasta que se acabe la comida)

Ubicación: La Mirada Elementary

NUEVA Hora: 2:00 p.m. a 3:30 p.m.(o hasta que se acabe la comida)

No se requiere que los niños estén presentes para recoger sus comidas. Las comidas se servirán al estilo “Grab and Go”, donde la persona recoge los alimentos y se retira.

Favor de usar cubrebocas al recoger sus comidas.

LONG RANGE MASTER FACILITY PLAN (LRMFP) - VIRTUAL TOWN HALL FOR BEYER SCHOOL SITE HELD JANUARY 26TH

The district hosted its fourth Virtual Town Hall on Tuesday, January 26th and focused on options for the Beyer location. The meeting was scheduled to gather input from

parents, staff and the community which will assist us in the development of the Long Range Master Facility Plan for the Beyer site.

To view the recording of the January 26th Town Hall meeting please click on link below:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DHPI9TNiqwY>

NEWS & COMMUNITY RELATIONS

EMOTIONAL SUPPORT RESOURCES FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND PARENTS/RECURSOS DE APOYO EMOCIONAL PARA NIÑOS, JÓVENES Y PADRES



California Parent & Youth Helpline

Real life help
From
Real, live people.

Call, text, or live chat.
Always free. Always human.
Always ready to listen.

8am-8pm Monday-Sunday

855-427-2736

 <p>California Parent & Youth Helpline</p> <p>1-855-427-2736</p> <p>8am-8pm Monday-Sunday</p> <p>CALL, TEXT, CHAT AND JOIN AN ONLINE PARENTING GROUP FOR EMOTIONAL SUPPORT NOW!</p> <p>caparentyouthhelpline.org info@caparentyouthhelpline.org</p> <p>Asking for Help is a Sign of Strength®</p>	 <p>Linea de Apoyo Para Padres y Jovenes de California</p> <p>1-855-427-2736</p> <p>8am-8pm Lunes-Domingo</p> <p>¡ LLAME, ENVÍE UN MENSAJE DE TEXTO O CHATEE EN VIVO AHORA, O PARA REGISTRARSE EN GRUPOS VIRTUALES DE APOYO EMOCIONAL PARA PADRES!</p> <p>caparentyouthhelpline.org info@caparentyouthhelpline.org</p> <p>Pedir Ayuda Es Un Signo De Fortaleza®</p>
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CASA FAMILIAR FOOD DISTRIBUTION

On Tuesday, February 2nd, 2021, Casa Familiar held a food distribution at the Old Kmart Parking lot located at 4330 Camino De La Plaza in San Ysidro. The event began at 8 am until all food had been distributed. Face coverings, social distancing and additional safety procedures were enforced.

CASA FAMILIAR PRESENTA:

DISTRIBUCIÓN DE ALIMENTOS GRATIS

MARTES, 2 DE FEBRERO A LAS 8:00 A.M.
MARTES, 2 DE MARZO A LAS 8:00 A.M.
MARTES, 6 DE ABRIL A LAS 8:00 A.M.
MARTES, 4 DE MAYO A LAS 8:00 A.M.
MARTES, 2 DE JUNIO A LAS 8:00 A.M.

¿DÓNDE?

EN EL ESTACIONAMIENTO DEL ANTIGUO K-MART
4330 CAMINO DE LA PLAZA, SAN YSIDRO, CA.
92173

IRECOGE TU COMIDA EN EL AUTOMÓVIL PARA MAYOR SEGURIDAD!

FAVOR DE USAR MASCARILLA EN TODO MOMENTO

Las personas que van a pie necesitan traer un carrito
Hay un número limitado de bolsas para los que van a pie

 CASA FAMILIAR
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

 San Ysidro
School District

 SAN DIEGO
FOOD BANK

 san diego
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neighborhood

Photos of the Feb 2nd Food Distribution:



COVID COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Free COVID-19 Testing Information

Información sobre prueba gratis para COVID-19

Website:

https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/community_epidemiology/dc/2019-nCoV/testing.html

COVID-19 Vaccination Information & Appointment Websites

Websites:

https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/community_epidemiology/dc/2019-nCoV/vaccines/COVID-19-VaxEvents.html

Sitios web de citas e información sobre la vacunación COVID-19

<https://sdcounty.maps.arcgis.com/apps/Nearby/index.html?appid=7369c2080ccf447ab91610ae69d84c43&distance=10&find=103%2520Campus%2520View%252C%2520San%2520Marcos%252C%252092078>

Please click on the links below to access the vaccination appointment information:

County Managed Locations: MyTurn

Rady Children's Hospital: MyChart

Sharp Locations: PrepMod

UC San Diego Health Petco Park Super Station: MyChart

Vaccinate All 58

- **English**
<https://covid19.ca.gov/vaccines/>
- **Spanish**
<https://covid19.ca.gov/es/vaccines/>

Know your vaccination phase

- **English Flyer**
<https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/dam/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/Epidemiology/covid19/vaccines/COVID-19%20Vaccination%20Phases%20-Printable%20Version.pdf>

Identifique en qué nivel de vacunación se encuentra

- **Spanish Flyer**
<https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/dam/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/Epidemiology/covid19/vaccines/COVID-19%20Vaccination%20Phases%20-Spanish%20Printable%20Version.pdf>

County of San Diego: Temporary Lodging Program
Condado de San Diego: Programa de Alojamiento Temporal

- **English and Spanish Flyer:**
[https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/dam/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/Epidemiology/2020.09.29_FINAL%20\(Updated\)-Temporary%20Lodging%20Flyer.pdf](https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/dam/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/Epidemiology/2020.09.29_FINAL%20(Updated)-Temporary%20Lodging%20Flyer.pdf)

San Diego Hunger Coalition: Food Assistance Resources - Fall 2020

- **English Flyer:**
<https://static1.squarespace.com/static/55130907e4b018f9300f3e63/t/5fcec4801eaf4591e16de83/1607388149116/General+food+assistance+Winter+2020+English.pdf>

Recursos de asistencia alimentaria - otoño 2020

- **Spanish Flyer:**
<https://static1.squarespace.com/static/55130907e4b018f9300f3e63/t/5fc82919d32d012678ef291e/1606953243601/General+food+assistance+Winter+2020+Espanol.pdf>

Emotional Support Resources for Children, Youth, and Parents

Website:
[California Parent & Youth Helpline | Parenting Help \(caparentyouthhelpline.org\)](http://CaliforniaParent&YouthHelpline.org)

Recursos de apoyo emocional para niños, jóvenes y padres

- **English**
[339a34e6-a987-453e-b375-618970bfceac.pdf \(constantcontact.com\)](https://constantcontact.com/339a34e6-a987-453e-b375-618970bfceac.pdf)
- **Spanish**
[ab6f277a-2422-4677-ad44-a938ed211695.pdf \(constantcontact.com\)](https://constantcontact.com/ab6f277a-2422-4677-ad44-a938ed211695.pdf)

Child Abuse Hotline

Línea Directa Para la Prevención de Abuso Infantil

For more information, or to report suspected child abuse, call 858-560-2191.

Within the State of California you may call toll free 1(800) 344-6000. Please click on the link to access the County of San Diego Health & Human Services Agency Child Abuse Hotline website: https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/cs/child_welfare_services/child_abuse_hotline.html

Suicide Hotline

Línea Directa Para la Prevención del Suicidio

“The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals.” The phone number is 1(800) 273-8255. Please click on the link to access the website: <https://suicidepreventionlifeline.org/>