

# COVID-19 Operations Written Report

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**Descriptions provided should include sufficient detail yet be sufficiently succinct to promote a broader understanding of your LEA has put in place. LEAs are strongly encouraged to provide descriptions that do not exceed 300 words.**

Provide an overview explaining the changes to program offerings that the LEA has made in response to school closures to address COVID-19 emergency and the major impacts of the closures on students and families.

Provide a description of how the LEA is meeting the needs of its English learners, foster youth and low-income students.

The Caliente Union School District responded to the COVID-19 pandemic by shifting its focus and resources in order to provide for a robust distal experience, maintaining engaging connections between school staff and students, and offering breakfast and lunch meals for students and families. The school district identified those students who are EL's, foster youth, or low-income to accommodate the needs of these students/families and provide individual student with the opportunity to achieve academic success through distance learning. The district was able to provide each student with a chromebook and wi-fi access on school grounds. Teachers in the district made it a priority to make phone calls or meet with students via zoom to provide direct instruction. If students did not have internet access then they were provided with homework packets for each week of school closure until the school year, which was June 5, 2020. The district also provided breakfast and lunch meals for all students/families during school closure and throughout the summer.

Provide a description of the steps that have been taken by the LEA to continue delivering high-quality distance learning opportunities

The school district has provided each student with a chromebook to deliver high-quality distance learning opportunities. If families did not have internet access then they were provided with a homework packet. Parents and students were also notified that the school district had access on the school campus from 7am - 7pm, so they could complete their work as needed. Teachers made it a priority to reach out to students by phone, zoom meetings, or email to provide direct instruction. The school Superintendent also allowed individual students to campus for one-on-one direct instruction with their homeroom teacher as long as student-teachers were practicing social distancing and 6 feet apart.

Provide a description of the steps that have been taken by the LEA to provide school meals while maintaining social distancing practices

The school district has been providing families with grab-and-go meals. A monthly newsletter was sent to each family along with phone calls to provide them with grab-and-go meals. The district set up five pick-up locations, which were concurrent with normal bus stop times and parents were made aware of these time frames. The school district worked with the Kern High School District and KCD to provide grab-and-go meals to families, which will continue until July 9, 2020.

Provide a description of the steps that have been taken by the LEA to arrange for supervision of students during ordinary school hours.

The school district made phone calls to all families to address any concerns/issues for supervising students. The district had provided on-campus supervision for students as needed, but each family had notified the district that they did not need any support with supervising students.