



As NKC Schools communicated yesterday, in accordance with the recent announcement of Kansas City Mayor, Quinton Lucas, we are currently planning for the return of students on Monday, April 6. We know that could change, given the constantly evolving environment, and will adjust accordingly. For the time being, however, we wanted to provide you with information and resources moving forward. Expect frequent communication as we adjust to a new way of facilitating learning!

- Students will participate in e-learning for the ten school days between March 23 and April 3. Teachers and administrators will be in contact by noon on Monday with more information. We look forward to connecting with you in this time of social distancing. [Here](#) is a helpful resource for students and parents to prepare for e-learning. [Here](#) are some virtual author visits and read-alouds you might be interested in for elementary students, as well.
- Should you have difficulty with technology at any time, the NKC Helpdesk is anxious to assist you! Call 816.321.HELP or email helpdesk@nkcschools.org. They will be available this Saturday and Sunday between noon and 5 p.m., as well as 7 a.m.–5 p.m. daily, throughout each week.
- All families throughout the district will have access to breakfast and lunch. Families will have the choice between food delivery at bus stops (occurring between 9:00 a.m.–noon) or drive-through pick-up at each of our high schools (any time between 1 and 3 p.m.). Communication later this week will narrow the timeframe for food delivery at bus stops and ensure you know the location closest to your home. Procedures will also be outlined for pick-up. Should your family have issues with illness or mobility, please contact your assigned School Community Resource Specialist. A comprehensive list can be found [here](#). NKC Schools looks forward to helping families meet our most basic of needs.
- Should you need to get your child's medication, instructional device, or any other important item left at school, buildings will be open Monday, March 23 for that purpose.
- Numerous resources pertaining to the coronavirus can be found on our dedicated [webpage](#), including means of addressing social-emotional issues that might arise for children. Know that NKC Schools will continue to partner with you in ensuring all needs are met. Feel free to contact your child's school counselor as a great starting point.
- As offerings of help pour in, we are compiling the multitude of community resources available during this time. Thursday's communication will provide further guidance regarding access to such opportunities.

Our schools provide vital support to our communities. Even in this time of uncertainty, we will serve in this capacity. If you have further questions, feel free to contact your school principal or utilize the [Let's Talk](#) feature of our website. Regardless of physical proximity, we will serve as one NKC Schools!