



Rosemead School District

Established in 1859

Press Release

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Rosemead School District Announces the Award and Receipt of 500 Chromebooks to Assist with Distance Learning due to COVID-19, from the California Department of Education and CDE Foundation

Rosemead, California: In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Rosemead School District Board of Trustees and Superintendent in mid-March together decided that in the best interest of the Rosemead students and staff it was necessary to proceed to a School Closure status. With that decision, all teachers moved to providing high quality learning opportunities via a Distance Learning model.

The District made available Chromebooks for families who requested them. More than 1,000 Chromebooks have been distributed to students. After working with our phone carrier, the District was also able to secure 140 hotspots and make them available to families who lacked internet service.

Since mid-March Superintendent Ruvalcaba, alongside all other local Superintendents worked on requesting further assistance from local, state, and federal officials to assist school districts with ensuring student access to learning opportunities during the school closure period.

On April 30, 2020, Superintendent Ruvalcaba was notified that the California Department of Education (CDE) and the CDE Foundation was awarding the Rosemead School District 500 Chromebooks. Today, the District received the shipment of Chromebooks from Office Depot.



About the Rosemead School District

The Rosemead School District (RSD) was established in 1859 and is a Local Education Agency (LEA) led by Superintendent Mr. Alejandro Ruvalcaba. The District's education program includes students in preschool, transitional kindergarten, kindergarten, and grades 1st through 8th. The Rosemead School District offers programs as follows and are not limited to: Full Day Kindergarten, English Language Development (ELD); Instrumental Music program (4th-8th grades); Student in Need program; State Preschool; Transitional Kindergarten; Before and Afterschool programs: K.S.A.R.T. (Kinder After

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School Recreational and Tutorial), A.S.A.R.T. (After School Recreational and Tutorial), A.S.E.S. (After School Education and Safety) program; Migrant Education Program; Gifted and Talented Program (GATE); Science Olympiad; Franklin Covey's Leader in Me[®] Program and 7-Habits[®]; Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports (PBIS); Migrant Education; and Special Education programs. For more information about the Rosemead School District, please visit www.rosemead.k12.ca.us. For more information about school educational programs, please contact the Educational Services Department at (626) 312-2900, x213.

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