

SAN FELIPE DEL RIO CISD

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SFDRCISD SCHOOLS TO CONTINUE HOME-BASED INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

Governor Greg Abbott today held a press conference where he issued three new Executive Orders to begin the process of reopening the state of Texas. Under the Governor's second executive order, (Executive Order GA-16), schools — including public, private, and higher education institutions —

are encouraged to continue to work remotely from home if possible, but may return to schools to conduct remote video instruction, as well as perform administrative duties, under the strict terms required by the Texas Education Agency. For SFDRCISD, students will be required to continue to participate in the home-based instructional program, complete their assignments and receive their grades through May 29th, 2020, when the school term ends.

Following Governor Abbott's Executive Order, the Texas Education Agency issued the following statement, "It is important to note that while the Governor's decision continues the closure of school buildings for in-person classroom attendance for the duration of the 2019-20 school year, it in no way ends at-home instructional support for Texas's millions of students. School districts across Texas have worked diligently to make the transition to virtual learning. Students must continue to receive daily academic support from their teachers and schools for the remainder of the 2019-20 school year."