March 27, 2020

On Friday, March 27th Governor Ducey signed House Bill 2910 (HB2910) into law. This new law is important to all of us since it guides how school districts, including Tucson Unified, run during the Mandated School Closure. We are supportive of the state’s action since it helps us protect our TUSD family of dedicated employees as much as we can from the financial and safety risks of the pandemic, while still doing our best to serve our students.

Below are the important facts you need to know:

1. Effective March 30th, 2020 all employees (salaried and hourly) that are able to carry out normally assigned job duties remotely have the option to do so.

2. Effective March 30th, administrators, supervisors, and managers have the authority to assign employees job duties necessary for the employee to have an opportunity to continue working and earning compensation.

3. Your administrators, supervisors, and managers will make every effort to ensure that job duties assigned allow employees to carry out those duties remotely. However, please know in some situations, this will not be possible.

4. Employees will be submitting verification of work performed each pay period throughout the closure. (Instructions for verification will follow)

If you have questions, please email HRAnswers@tusd1.org.

I can assure you that your leadership team will continue to work tirelessly in support of your efforts to care for and serve the students and families that depend on us. Thank you for your continued patience and support.

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