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TUSD Update

December 11, 2020

TUSD Families,

On November 16, 2020 San Joaquin County moved from “red” to “purple” in the 4-tier COVID-19 scale. As long as San Joaquin County is in the Purple Tier, TUSD schools will continue to provide Distance Learning. This means the reopening of schools scheduled for January 4, 2021 will be postponed until San Joaquin County returns to the Red Tier.

As a district we will continue to focus on providing the best Distance Learning experience possible for our students, as well as providing access to mental health counseling services and meals for students. We recognize that Distance Learning can be challenging, and we thank you for your continued efforts and commitment as partners in the education of your children. Beginning January 4, 2021 all schools will follow their Hybrid bell schedule for Distance Learning, of which students are expected to be logged on for instruction and attendance. Please see your child’s school website for the schedule. TUSD will have a strong focus on increasing student engagement, to include:

- The expectation that students are logging on for their scheduled Distance Learning Class time and small group instruction
- Students having cameras on during Distance Learning class session
- Students completing assignments to demonstrate their learning
- Students asking and responding to questions about their learning

Tracy Unified School District looks forward to the day that students can return safely to their classrooms to receive live, in-person instruction and support from our qualified staff. For the most up to date district information regarding COVID-19 and TUSD, please visit the district website at www.tracy.k12.ca.us/parentstudent-information/health-services/coronavirus-page.

Sincerely,

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