



March 15, 2020

Dear Diocese of Reno Catholic School community,

This afternoon, Governor Sisolak provided Nevadans an update on the state's response to COVID-19, which includes the closing of all K-12 schools in Nevada beginning this Monday, March 16 until Monday, April 6. I received notification of this decision from Melissa Schroeder, Ph.D., Education Program Professional, Office of Student and School Supports, Private Schools, Nevada Department of Education. We had already made the decision to close for the next two weeks.

This applies to Bishop Manogue Catholic High School, St. Albert the Great Catholic School, Our Lady of the Snows Catholic School, Little Flower School and St. Teresa of Avila School.

Dr. Schroeder indicated that additional information regarding how days in school will be counted is forthcoming, and we will update you accordingly when we receive notification. At this time, our previous plans remain regarding instruction until directed otherwise.

Again, we appreciate your help in keeping us safe and healthy.

God bless you.

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