

# Migrant Education Program – Distance Learning for All

In the interest of furthering our mission to address the unique needs of migrant students in our communities, Migrant Education Program is currently surveying each of our families in Lane and Douglas County to better understand what those needs are--short and long term--as well as to identify barriers to accessing basic needs. We are asking about food, school and medical information, immigration, and technology, and we will share our findings with your districts as soon as they become available.

Just as we are committed to providing districts with the information you need in order to best serve our shared students, we are committed to providing families with the most up-to-date information about accessing the services you provide. In order to ensure that we can do that, please keep us apprised of

- Updates on all changes in regards to school lunches (hours, location, protocol)
- Updates on educational options for students, including technology requirements and options for those without internet access
  - o If/when an online program is going to be used, please give the MEP team access so that we can learn to navigate it and answer questions about its use when families contact us
- Information on other community resources that you may be collaborating with to support your families
- Information specifically affecting high school seniors and their graduation--our graduation specialist is in regular contact with them now.
- Key contact to give us updated contact information for families
- Key contact to discuss specific nutrition needs/concerns
- Information on how we can best support your district (communication, transportation, etc.)

Our MEP team consists of a school readiness specialist, graduation specialist, family engagement specialist, online learning specialist, and a recruiter. We are in constant contact with our families and are working on ways to deliver our services to them in an alternative manner; collaborating with your districts will help us all provide them with the support they need in a more efficient and effective manner.

Thank you,

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Resources		
Translations	Online resources regarding COVID 19 to share with families in multiple languages	<a href="#">Translated COVID 19 information to share with families</a> OHA COVID-19 Fact Sheet/Basic info on COVID including symptoms & prevention <a href="#">Spanish</a> <a href="#">English</a> CDC Prevention Tips/Printable Flyer with prevention info <a href="#">Spanish</a> <a href="#">English</a>
	Videos explaining COVID 19 and how to stay safe in Mam.	<a href="#">LANGUAGE MAM COVID 19</a> <a href="#">Corona Virus: En Maya Mam Y Español</a>
Communicating with Families	Several texting programs have translation options	<a href="#">TalkingPoints</a> <a href="#">Remind</a> <a href="#">ClassDojo</a> <a href="#">Seesaw</a>
Internet	The MEP team surveyed all families regarding internet accessibility and devices in the home. Information was shared with Districts that have Migrant Ed students. These are some options available to some families.	Removing Barriers to Access <a href="#">Internet Connectivity</a>
Webinars and Articles	Information on how to address the needs of our families.	Culturally Responsive Teaching and the Brain: <a href="#">April Webinar Series</a> Guidance on Culturally Responsive - <a href="#">Sustaining Remote Education</a>

		<a href="#">English-Learners May Be Left Behind as Remote Learning Becomes 'New Normal'</a>
	Information on Coronavirus Racism	Combat Fear and Misinformation with Facts. <a href="#">Spanish</a> <a href="#">English</a>
Please contact our team		
Online Resources	<a href="#">Jes Worley</a> supports our students by providing academic and technical support with the online tools that students have available.	<a href="#">Khan Academy</a> <a href="#">Stride Academy</a> <a href="#">EdReady</a> <a href="#">Migrant Literacy Net</a>  Contact Jes if your district utilizes a different online program to ensure that the children in the Migrant Program are able to access our support.
	Open Learning Hub/Resources	<a href="https://www.oercommons.org/hubs/oregon">https://www.oercommons.org/hubs/oregon</a>
Graduation Support	<a href="#">Mireia Brau Ruiz</a> supports our students in 6th-12 grade to ensure they are on track to graduate as well as guides the GED process.	Grad requirements: TBD based on ODE guidance  Currently enrolling students into the High School Equivalency Program (HEP)  Supporting students and families to understand all new regulations around graduation and online learning.
School Readiness Support	<a href="#">Natalia Piar</a> supports 3-5 year-old to children in their development as well as their transition to kindergarten.	Currently completing developmental assessments.  Providing materials to families to further the development of their child.

		Assisting families as they transition to kindergarten.
Family Engagement Specialist	<a href="#">Karen Orellana Ponce</a> communicates with families and connects them with resources throughout the community.	Offering resources and referrals to: Academic supports Housing and food needs Medical needs Immigration queries School District Liaison
Community Liaison	<a href="#">Paola Massingham</a> supports our students and families by providing academic and community resources.	Currently contacting all Migrant Ed families to understand their needs in the areas of : food, housing, technology and immigration.
Recruitment	<a href="#">Karen Colmenares</a> recruits families into our program.	We are able to find families eligible for our program over the phone. Please contact us if you know of a family that: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Has the family/guardian of a student under the age of 22 crossed district lines for work?</li> <li>2. Did the move occur within the past 3 years?</li> <li>3. Was the work in agriculture, fishing, or forestry?</li> </ol>