

Subject: Storm Watch Update and Preparedness

Dear San Diego Unified Family,

We understand that many families and colleagues are still recovering from last week's storm that brought record rainfall and severe flooding to our region. As district staff continue to support those impacted, we are preparing for another storm that is expected to deliver high winds, rain, and flooding to San Diego beginning early tomorrow. All San Diego Unified schools will remain open tomorrow, Thursday, February 1.

The City of San Diego recently issued an evacuation warning to people living in floodplain areas. We will continue to work with the City and continuously monitor the storm's impact on our schools and facilities, and will make additional staff available to assist schools in need of support. We also have <u>resources available</u> for students, families, and staff, including food, personal necessities, shelter information, and mental health services.

If you are in need of flood-related support, please call the San Diego Unified Health and Wellness Hotline at 760-334-7878 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Information and resources are also available 24/7 by calling 2-1-1 or visiting **211San Diego online**.

The safety and wellbeing of our entire San Diego Unified family remains our top priority.

With love and gratitude for all that you are and all that you do.

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Dr. Lamont A. Jackson Superintendent of Public Education