

# TUCSON UNIFIED

SCHOOL DISTRICT

January 29, 2026

Dear Tucson Unified Families,

We are currently monitoring a high volume of staff absences for Friday, January 30, 2026.

We are sharing this information with you now because we are committed to timely communication with our families and want to avoid the stress of a sudden, last-minute announcement. While we are doing everything possible to cover these absences, we encourage you to begin making contingency plans for childcare now should your school close for the day on Friday January 30<sup>th</sup> due to lacking the personnel necessary to ensure the safe supervision of our students.

Our primary goal is to keep schools open and to provide a consistent, safe learning environment for our students. However, if we determine that we cannot meet the necessary supervision ratios to ensure student safety, we may be forced to cancel classes.

Please note:

- Preschool and Before/After-school programs may also be affected.
- Food services will remain available at school sites regardless of the decision.
- We will send a final update by 12:00pm today.

We understand the stress and the challenges that an interruption to classes present for our students and parents and are working diligently to minimize the impact on your family.

Thank you for your partnership.



Dr. Gabriel Trujillo  
Superintendent, TUSD