

# COVID-19 Update

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# **Arnie Rivera**

## ***Chief Operating Officer***

# Responding to COVID-19



Since March 17, we've provided  
**12,534,573 grab-and-go meals**  
across the district.

Numbers as of 5/22



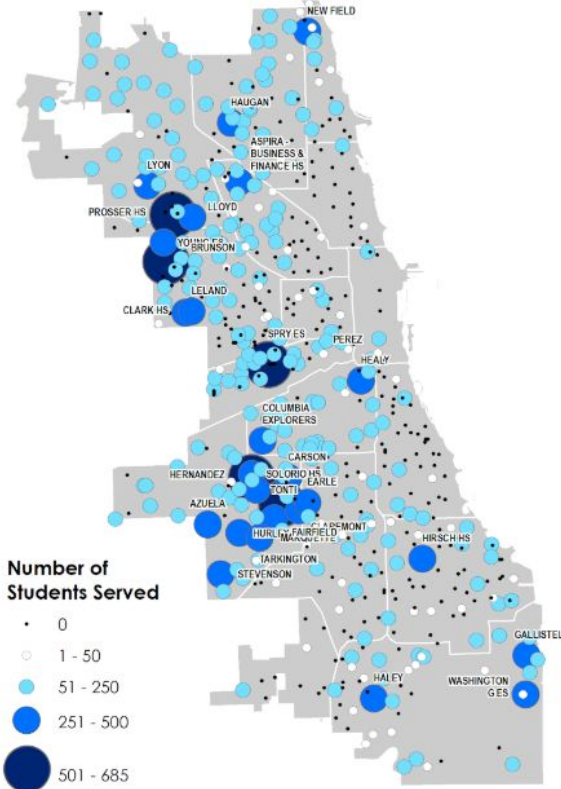
# Meal Distribution

**Nutrition Support Services has provided uninterrupted Meal Distribution since the school closure started on March 17**

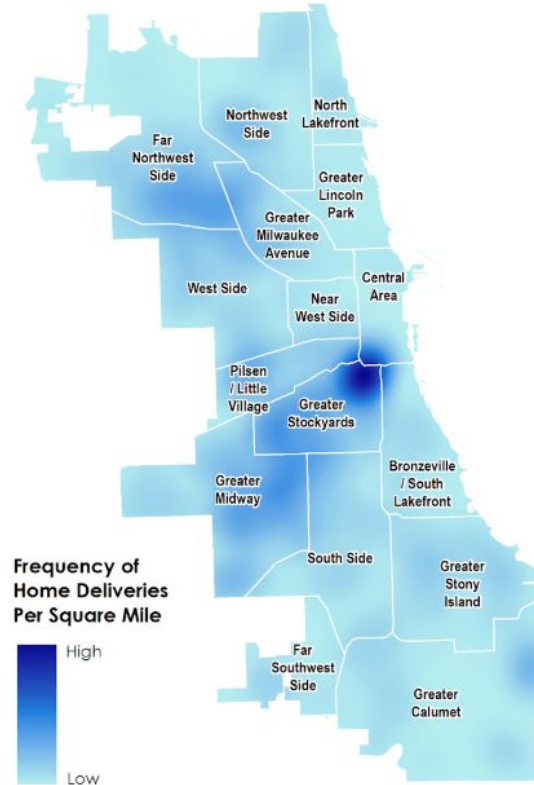
- Meals for 3 days (breakfast and lunch; 6 meals total) are packaged for pickups at schools and available **Monday-Friday from 9:00am - 1:00pm**
- The program included pick-up at **over 500 schools for the first 3 weeks of the closure** as well as **home delivery**.
- During Spring Break week, over 140 schools served as meal distribution sites Monday-Thursday.
- Post-Spring Break (started Monday, April 13), **300 schools** are serving as meal distribution sites Monday-Friday. This results in:
  - **58% of CPS schools offering free meals** still under this consolidation
  - **90% of all students will live within one mile** of a meal distribution site
  - **75% of sites will be located on the south and west sides** of the city
- **Free meal delivery** continues for families who need additional support

# Meal Distribution

Students Served by School Site (5/21)



Home Meal Deliveries (5/21)



Meal service and delivery has taken place **across the city** throughout the school closure period

Meal distribution will **continue during the summer months** to support students and families

# Facilities Cleaning

The CPS Facilities Department has engaged in three levels of cleaning since the beginning of the COVID-19 outbreak:

Type of cleaning	Use case	Description	Status
<b>Enhanced Cleaning</b>	Utilized when school is/was in session	Exceeds typical routine cleaning program; Cleaning protocols designed to prevent the spread of the virus	Completed
<b>Environmental Cleaning</b>	Performed in a facility where a positive case of COVID-19 has been confirmed while the building undergoes a period of closure	Cleaning protocols are for the mitigation of the virus in impacted areas or schools as designated by CDPH	Completed (Utilized at Vaughn ES & Sheridan ES)
<b>Deep Cleaning</b>	All schools are undergoing Deep Cleaning during the school closures; enacted while school is <i>not</i> in session	Cleaning protocols designed to prevent the spread of the virus and ensure all spaces in the school are thoroughly cleaned	99.52% Done (Need to revisit after content retrieval)

# COVID-19 Expenses

To date, CPS estimates spending approximately \$44 million to address the COVID-19 pandemic; about \$9 million of this spending is above-and-beyond the district's regular contracts.

Category	Description of Item(s)	Estimated Expenditures	Portion of Total Cost Attributed to the \$75 Million Emergency Authorization
Technology	Ipads, chromebook,laptops, mifi, hotspot	\$24,419,065	\$4,371,610
Emergency Supplies and Cleaning	Cleaning supplies, hand sanitizer, wipes, soap, consumables, gloves, mask, school environmental cleaning	\$1,163,029	\$185,039
Pay to Essential Personnel	Premium pay for essential personnel	\$10,194,655	\$4,526,847
Educational Materials	Grab and go back book packs, Docusign to meet IEP needs	\$3,361,782	N/A
Nutrition and Other	Student meal delivery and international travel cancellation expense reimbursement	\$4,881,079	\$100,000



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# **LaTanya D. McDade**

***Chief Education Officer***

# Remote Learning



# Remote Learning

## **CPS continues to strengthen Remote Learning Practices:**

- Enacting systems to track student contact and engagement
- Released guidance to support student grading and engaging service providers
- ODLSS released [Remote Learning Guidance Document](#)
- Providing ongoing professional learning for school leaders and educators

## **Supports for families without digital access:**

- Created Pre-K activity packets available at food distribution and devices that are available in English and Spanish
- Special education [cluster packet](#) available for pick-up or download on district remote learning page
- Book distribution: Distributed new books to families from 50 food distribution sites to support abundant student reading during closure

# Remote Learning - CPS TV

*Thanks to the Children First Fund, additional educational resources are now available through four local television stations: **WLS, Univision/UniMás, WCIU and WTTW.***

- Safari Montage, one of the primary partners in CPS' Curriculum Equity Initiative, is providing the digital content for the broadcasts in both English and Spanish
- Members of the Marketing and Curriculum, Instruction and Digital Learning (CIDL) teams are collaborating to develop the segments for math, English language arts, science, social science, world languages, and health & wellness
- WTTW has reorganized its digital subchannel to focus on educational content geared toward students in middle grades
- Content is airing on UniMás M-F (7 - 8 a.m.), on WCIU M-F (10 a.m. - noon), and on WLS (Localish) M-F (noon - 3 p.m.)



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# Remote Learning

Today the Board will be asked to act on several CPS policies that require an update given the significant assessment and educational impacts due to COVID:

- Elementary Promotion Policy
- High School Graduation Requirements
- School Quality Rating Policy

# End of Year Graduation Celebrations

- Despite the public health emergency, the Class of 2020 is poised to graduate in a few short weeks
- Schools are encouraged to hold virtual graduation ceremonies for Pre-K, 8th, and 12th grades.
  - Materials will be distributed ahead of ceremonies
  - Social media can be used to promote and celebrate
  - Parental consent will be required for students under age 18
- Additionally, the Graduating Class of 2020 is invited to a Citywide Virtual Commencement Event featuring several high profile guests

# Summer Programming

In accordance with ISBE Guidance released May 6, CPS will offer the following summer programs virtually:

Summer Learning	Summer Melt
Virtual Credit Recovery	Summer of Algebra
Extended School Year	Summer Support and High School Credit Attainment for English Learners
Summer Acceleration	Competency Based Education Summer Extended Learning

The traditional Summer Bridge program will be renamed “Summer Learning.” This program will serve students in grades 1-8 who end the year with an incomplete in either math or reading.

# Thank You

