



BLUE OAK SCHOOL

A WALDORF-INSPIRED PUBLIC CHARTER (K-8)

The ACORN for the week of March 30, 2020

Virtue for March—Wisdom

"Life is like riding a bicycle. To keep your balance, you must keep moving."

- Albert Einstein

This Week

- Onsite classes cancelled through Friday, 4/17
- ALL fieldtrips and events from 3/26 to 4/17 are CANCELLED
- Tuesday, 3/31/20 Finance Committee Meeting at 4:15PM via Zoom
- Wednesday, 4/1/20 Census Day is Observed Nationwide

FREE Grab-And-Go Meals to Children

The Chico Unified School District's Nutrition Services Department will provide FREE lunch to children 18 years and younger (children must be present to receive lunch). Lunch will be served 3/30/20 through 4/3/20 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the following locations:

- Chapman Elementary School
- Citrus Elementary School
- Bidwell Junior High School
- Chico Junior High School



Counseling Resources!

Amber Bass, Blue Oak Behavior Assistant

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Available by appointment to problem-solve behavior challenges that can come up with our current landscape. I can schedule a phone call or video chat at a time that works for you.

Emma Todd, Blue Oak School Counselor

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Kim Marshall, BCOE Camp Fire Counselor

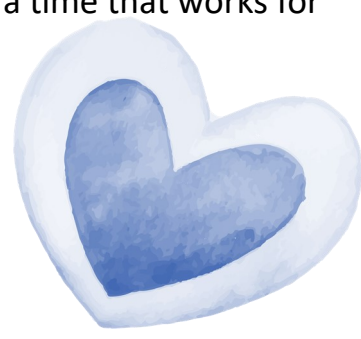
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Marcia Ramstrom, Special Education Related Counselor

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Butte County Crisis Services: 530-891-2810

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 800-273-8255



Packet Pickup



DRIVE UP MATERIALS PICKUP

Monday, March 30

7:45AM to 8:45AM and 4:30PM to 5:30PM

Friday, April 3

4:30PM to 5:30PM

Internet Connectivity Resources

If you do not have access to the Internet off-campus, the following resources are available:

- **Eduroam:** You can access hundreds of free, secure WiFi hotspots across the country with your existing Eduroam setup. View a map of hotspots. Get connected to Eduroam.
- **Comcast:** Offers free WiFi for 2 months to low-income families plus all Xfinity hotspots are free to the public during this time
- **Charter/Spectrum:** Free Internet offer for 2 months
- **AT&T:** Offers open hotspots, unlimited data to existing customers, and \$10/month plans to low-income families
- **Sprint:** Provides unlimited data to existing customers, and allows all handsets to enable hotspots for 60 days at no extra charge.
- **T-Mobile:** Offers unlimited data to existing customers, and, coming soon, will allow all handsets to enable hot-spots for 60 days at no extra charge.

VISIT: <https://www.csuchico.edu/coronavirus/internet.shtml>

Next Week

- 4/7/20 Parent Council Meeting
- 4/10/20 and 4/13/20 NO School

Refunds

ALL fieldtrips and events from 3/26 to 4/17 are CANCELLED. Refunds for fieldtrips and fundraisers like the Easter Box will be refunded as soon as possible with regard to the current situation. If you have questions about a refund please reach out to our Business Office Assistant, Maggie Buckley at maggie@blueoakcharterschool.org.

