

Navy Child Youth & Education Service

Navy School Liaison Officer Program
School District Resources and Information



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San Diego County School District Information



1. San Diego County consists of 42 Independent School Districts.
2. School Districts are often referred to as Local Education Agencies (LEAs).
3. Several different kinds of school settings, magnets, charter, virtual, traditional, homeschool.
 1. Magnet schools specialize in a certain discipline, example, foreign language, Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Math (STEAM), Science, Technology, Engineering, Math, (STEM), etc.
 2. Charter schools can be independent or fall under a local school district.
 3. Virtual schools provide instruction through online platform.
 4. Homeschool options for parents. Parents can be the administrators and provide the academic instruction for their child (affidavit is required), or homeschooling can be achieved through support by the local school district or online program.
 1. Contact the SLO if you would like more information about the various types of homeschooling options in San Diego.



San Diego County School District Information and School Liaison Officers

SCHOOL DISTRICT INFORMATION AND HOW DOES THE SLO COLLABORATE

- ▶ Each of the 42 Independent School Districts in San Diego County has either a Navy or Marine Corps School Liaison Officer dedicated to collaborating with the district to inform and educate school staff on the military culture.
- ▶ School Liaison Officers are not advocates, but are experts in school policy and procedures. The overall goal of any SLO is to establish strong relationships between families, school staff and commands, so everyone is on the same page of educating the child.
- ▶ School Liaison Officers can engage with school staff during closures and can assist if families cannot get questions answered.
- ▶ School Liaison Officers support the educational questions, concerns for students enrolled in Prek-12th grade.



School Districts Current Information RE: Food Distribution for Students



- ▶ Food Distribution
 - ▶ Parents should refer to their school district website and/or school site webpage for the distribution of food to students. Each school district provides food for students differently, and not every school site is designated as a food distribution location. Some will distribute food one a week and will provide 5 breakfasts and 5 lunches for each student. Other school districts are still providing daily meals.
 - ▶ All meals are FREE to students and students MUST be present. Parents will not be provided meals for their consumption. Meals are not available during the weekends. Most school districts are not allowing the consumption of meals on school property.



School District Current Information RE: Distance Learning



- ▶ As of March 16, 2020, all San Diego County school districts closed in order to curb the potential spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19).
- ▶ School districts have sent out technology surveys to parents. These surveys will allow the districts to know the technology needs of the students, while distance learning will be implemented.
- ▶ At this time, if parents have not received any information from their school district, classroom teacher regarding distance learning or are in need of technology support, please have them get in touch with their SLO or send an email directly to their child's classroom teacher.



School District Current Information

RE: Distance Learning



- ▶ As of April 1st, no official order from the governor or state superintendent of California have issued any official executive order for schools to remain closed for the remainder of the year.
- ▶ Even though the physical school site is no longer open, academic instruction is still taking place. Every district will handle distance learning differently. Most districts are implementing a grace period for both educators and students to get used to the new educational platform before assignments will be graded.
- ▶ State end of the year exams have been canceled for this year.
- ▶ School districts in San Diego are preparing for distance learning for the remainder of the year. School Districts will keep families informed of any academic changes.



School District Current Information RE: AP Courses and College Board



- ▶ Starting for the 2019-2020 school year, students should create an AP account and have joined their class section online.
- ▶ Students enrolled in AP classes should have been contacted by their school site AP Coordinator and provided information regarding the changes to the AP testing.
 - ▶ Latest information regarding testing is that online testing will be conducted in specific free-response question types for each AP Exam. Time limits for exams will be in effect. **Full exam schedule will be available by April 3rd.**
 - ▶ COLLEGE BOARD offers an review sessions and webinars for students
 - ▶ RESOURCE FOR UP TO DATE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND ON COLLEGE BOARD WEBSITE, <https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/coronavirus-updates>



School District Current Information RE: SAT Testing and College Board



- ▶ Latest information is that May tests have been canceled. Next SAT is scheduled for the first week in June.
- ▶ College Board offers free online resources, full length practice tests and more for students.
- ▶ CA colleges and universities are extending flexibility of testing requirements, and will not be counting SAT/ACT scores for Fall admission. The full update on college admissions, grading, and graduation requirements can be found here: <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/he/hn/collegereqsinformation.asp>



School District Information

School Year 2020-2021



▶ Start Dates - Subject to Changes

▶ July 20, 2020

- ▶ Chula Vista Elementary School District
- ▶ South Bay Union School District
- ▶ San Ysidro School District
- ▶ Sweetwater Union High School District

▶ August 12, 2020

- ▶ *Grossmont Union* High School District

▶ August 13, 2020

- ▶ La Mesa-Spring Valley School District

▶ August 19, 2020

- ▶ Cajon Valley Union School District
- ▶ Lemon Grove School District

▶ August 20, 2020

- ▶ Lakeside Union School District

▶ August 31, 2020

- ▶ San Diego Unified School District

▶ Still Pending Start Dates

- ▶ Coronado Unified School District
- ▶ National School District



Tutoring Support



- ▶ Local School Districts have provided several online resources for academic support during this closure and distance learning period.
- ▶ If your child is struggling to understand the material, we suggest contacting your child's classroom teacher for additional suggestions and guidance to help your child learn the material.
- ▶ Tutor.com - FREE, ONLINE, 24/7 Tutoring for Military Families. This online resource provides tutoring support for over 80 subjects for students beginning in the kindergarten grade through college level.
 - ▶ <https://military.tutor.com/home>



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Navy School Liaison Officer Program (SLO)

- ▶ Navy School Liaison Officers provide 7 core services to assist military families.
- 1. School Transition Services (PCS) - SLOs assist families with school transitions and help “level the playing field” for military children and youth.
- 2. Deployment Support - SLOs connect educators with the Navy deployment support system to inform them about the cycles of deployment and the tools available to assist educators in working with Navy children.
- 3. Command, School, Community Communications - SLOs serve as subject matter experts for installation commanders on PreK-12 issues, helping to connect command, school and community resources.
- 4. Partnerships in Education (PIE) - PIE creates a volunteer network of resources to support installation and community members who have a vested interest in the success of all youth.



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5. **Home School Linkage and Support** - SLOs assist Navy families by gathering and sharing information on home schooling issues, policies and legislation from local school districts, and help leverage Navy Child and Youth Programs resources to support these families.
6. **Post-Secondary Preparations** - SLOs leverage installation and school resources to provide graduating military students with access in the success of all youth.
7. **Special Needs System Navigation** - SLOs provide information about installation and community programs and services, make referrals to the Exceptional Family Member Program, and other assistance in navigating the administrative systems within local education agencies.



Navy School Liaison Officers San Diego Metro Area



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▶ Area of Responsibility - San Diego Unified School District

▶ Murphy Canyon Military Housing, Bayview Military Housing, Tierrasanta area, and downtown San Diego area.

▶ Naval Base San Diego

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▶ Area of Responsibility - East County of San Diego

▶ School districts of: Santee, Lakeside, El Cajon, Lemon Grove, La Mesa-Spring Valley, Grossmont, National, Chula Vista, and Sweetwater.



Navy School Liaison Officers San Diego Metro Area



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 - ▶ Coronado Unified School District
 - ▶ South Bay Union School District
 - ▶ San Ysidro School District

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 - ▶ San Diego Unified Schools in the Point Loma area
 - ▶ West of the 5 Fwy



Additional Resources for Parents and Students



- ▶ San Diego County Office of Education - <https://www.sdcoe.net/Pages/Home.aspx>
- ▶ Military One Source <https://www.militaryonesource.mil/>
- ▶ Navy Life Southwest <https://sandiego.navylifesw.com/covid-19/covid-19-program-updates>
- ▶ California Department of Education <https://www.cde.ca.gov/>
- ▶ CA Department of Ed provides weekly updates via email. To subscribe directly, please send an email to join-covid19-update@mlist.cde.ca.gov .
- ▶ Families Over Coming Under Stress (FOCUS) <https://focusproject.org/>
- ▶ Primary and Secondary Resources for Students : <https://elibrary.cnlic-n9portal.net/document-library/?id=24396>