



TO: Parents/Guardians of AESD Students Attending the Following Schools:

- ACCEL
- ACES
- Desert Heights
- Foundation for Blind Children (FBC)
- HiStar
- Phoenix Day School for the Deaf (PDS)
- Upward Foundation

FROM: Alhambra Elementary School District (AESD)
Student Services Department

RE: School Closures due to Teacher Walk Outs

DATE: April 20, 2018

You may have heard about the statewide #RedforEd Campaign and efforts to raise awareness for teacher and staff salaries and the need for additional state funding for education.

Arizona teachers voted on their next steps with 78% of teachers supporting a walkout on Thursday, April 26. Because we anticipate a large number of staff participating, Alhambra Elementary School District schools will be closed on Thursday, April 26 for one day. **We have verified that the program your child attends will be open. Alhambra will transport your child on this day.**

Information regarding this movement and how AESD is responding can be found on our web page at www.alhambraesd.org. **The AESD Student Services Department will send communication if there are any changes that may impact your child's program.**

Thank you for your continued support of our staff and schools while these statewide actions are under way.

"Everyone Matters"