



# The Accelerated Schools

Accelerated Charter Elementary School (ACES)  
The Accelerated School (TAS)  
Wallis Annenberg High School (WAHS)

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We understand that some families are feeling anxiety because of news reports about the novel coronavirus (“2019-nCoV”), and we want to assure you that The Accelerated School (TAS), Accelerated Charter Elementary School (ACES) and Wallis Annenberg High School are working closely with the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health to monitor the situation.

There have **not** been any cases of the coronavirus on any of the campuses of The Accelerated Schools or campuses of the Los Angeles Unified School District. The Accelerated Schools remain open and safe. Appropriate precautions are being taken by staff to ensure the health and safety of our students.

\* Families should take the same precautions that they would take to prevent against any other disease. These include:

\* Regularly washing your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.

\* Avoiding unnecessary touching of your eyes, nose, or mouth after washing your hands.

\* Covering your sneeze or cough with a tissue or sleeve, not your hand.

\* Keeping your child at home if she/he has a fever, until she/he no longer has a fever for 24 hours (without the use of fever-reducing medications).

\* Staying home when you are sick.

To get the latest and most accurate information, visit the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Website at <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>. Find attached a Frequently Asked Questions document prepared by the Los Angeles Unified School District that can help answer very important questions. You can also call The Accelerated School’s nurse, Chinoyerem Amah at 323-235-6343. Thank you for helping to keep our kids healthy and safe. Attached: Responses to Frequently Asked Questions.

Sincerely,

Chinoyerem Amah  
Registered School Nurse  
The Accelerated Schools