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Community Update 01.04.22

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Dear Palisades Community,

TIERED BUSING OPTIONS:

A survey was sent this morning to the families of students who ride bus numbers 9, 12, 49 and 98. We are making plans for tiered busing options in the event that an emergency change is necessary due to a bus driver shortage. Although the buses have changed from my message last week, your child(ren)'s bus route was chosen due to the close proximity to our main campus. Thank you for your quick turn around of this survey as we may need to utilize this bus option soon. If you received a survey, please submit your responses by 2PM today. Your help is truly appreciated.

SYMPTOM RESPONSE AND RETURN TO SCHOOL TABLE:

This table has been revised to reflect updated procedures when a student/employee experiences household contact with a COVID positive person and they are not able to maintain limited contact. Questions regarding this table can be directed to your building nurse or principal. Employees should contact Sue Keogh, HR Associate.

Updated Symptom Response and Return to School information: [Click Here](#)

SCHOOL CLOSURES/VIRTUAL DAYS DUE TO LIMITED STAFFING:

I continue to monitor staff cases and return to work dates to determine if we will have adequate staffing to open each building for in-person instruction. In the event it looks as though a building will have inadequate staffing, I will notify families that the following day will be an asynchronous (not in real time), virtual day for that building only. All other students will report to their school for face to face instruction as usual.

In preparation for an emergency, asynchronous day it is important that all students (K-12) take their Chromebooks home on a daily basis. On these days, teachers will upload activities/assignments for each class/subject and teachers will provide students/families with their 90 minutes of office hours for the school day. Students will be considered present by completing the assignments that their teachers have uploaded into Google Classroom/Canvas.

In closing, thank you for your continued support of our students, faculty and staff.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bridget O'Connell".

Dr. Bridget O'Connell

Superintendent

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