

Dear Parents/Guardians and Staff,

As we prepare for the start of our Holiday Winter Break, I wanted to take this opportunity to extend my best wishes to you and your families for a wonderful Holiday Season.

In anticipation of our schools reopening for full-day in-person instruction on Monday, January 3, 2022, I wanted to provide you with some information regarding our COVID-19 protocols that will be in place during the winter break.

- Our school nurses will not be available via phone or email over the holiday break. Therefore, all emails and phone messages to our nursing staff will not be accessed until Monday, January 3.
- If your child is experiencing any [COVID-compatible symptoms](#), please contact your child's health care provider, and do not send your child to school on Monday, January 3.
- If your child is unvaccinated and has been exposed as a Close Contact to someone with COVID over the break, please contact your child's health care provider, and do not send your child to school on Monday, January 3.
- If your child is awaiting the results of a COVID test, please keep your child home until they receive a negative test result.
- If you have questions/concerns regarding COVID symptoms, please call your child's health care provider.

The district will continue to provide virtual instruction for students meeting COVID exclusionary criteria upon our return.

As always, ***THANK YOU*** for your continued patience, understanding, and support.

Enjoy the Holiday Break!

-Dr. Caponegro

*"Appreciation can make a day, even change a life. Your willingness to put it into words is all that is necessary." - Margaret Cousins*