Thursday, November 12, 2020

We have received one additional positive COVID-19 case bringing our total active COVID-19 cases within our school community to seven (7). Four (4) positive cases at Golden Brook School, two (2) positive cases at Windham High School, and one (1) positive case at Windham Middle School. The individuals who have tested positive for COVID-19 and their identified close contacts will continue to be directed by NH DHHS to adhere to the required isolation (for those who are sick) or quarantine (for those who were exposed) time. These numbers are not reflective of the staff and students that are being required by the state to quarantine in each building.

**Update to Upcoming Holiday Travel:** Per the directive of the Governor during today’s (11/12) press conference, if you have plans to travel outside of New England (CT, ME, MA, NH, RI and VT) you are required to self-quarantine for 14-days from the date you return or take a COVID-19 test and self-quarantine for 7 days. You must provide the negative test result of your child’s COVID-19 test to the school nurse 24 hours prior to your child’s return to in-person learning. Please also verify that no symptoms are present for the student and or anyone in the home prior to their return.

In order for our staff to properly plan, please notify your building level nurse by **Tuesday, November 24** if your child will be out and needs to self-quarantine. Your child will be able to continue to attend class remotely during their self-quarantine period. For more information on state guidelines for holiday travel please visit: [https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/cdcs/covid19/documents/employee-travel-guidance.pdf](https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/cdcs/covid19/documents/employee-travel-guidance.pdf)

Thank you for your patience and willingness to continue to take the appropriate measures in order to keep our school community safe and healthy.

Thank you,

Richard Langlois
Superintendent of Schools