Tuesday, January 19, 2021

Dear Staff and School Community,

As of today, January 19, 2021, our district has a total of eleven (11) positive COVID-19 cases. Five (5) positive cases at Golden Brook School, three (3) positive cases at Windham Middle School, and three (3) positive cases at Windham High School. We also have a total of one hundred and six (106) students and staff quarantined between Golden Brook, Center School, Middle School, and High School. We will remain in contact with NH DHHS as numbers continue to evolve.

We had a successful return to in-person/hybrid learning on Monday, January 11, 2021, and have remained consistent in the number of students and staff positive COVID-19 cases. We’ve seen an increase in families selecting to move to the full remote learning model. Some have opted to move to full remote due to the anticipated national surge expected through mid-February. Similarly, we’ve seen an uptick in the number of people needing to quarantine. We intend to remain in the in-person/hybrid model so long as the cases remain stable and within reasonable management of staffing levels. As always, we will continue to communicate the status of our cases and the impact of our schools on a weekly basis.

We’d like to continue to call upon all parents/guardians & staff to remain diligent in informing school administration on any potential exposure or positive results within their families and avoid sending their children to school with full knowledge thereof. We must all remain committed to the safety and welfare of our school community for us to keep schools open.

**Please continue to contact the school nurse or the dedicated Windham School District COVID-19 phone number or email address to report illnesses, concerns on recent travel, or upcoming travel that are associated directly with COVID-19. As always all reports will remain confidential and allow us to conduct contact tracing as needed.**

1. Email: covid19@windhamsd.org
2. Phone: (603) 845-1566
3. Staff should continue to reach out to the HR director with any concerns: hrdirector@windhamsd.org

All buildings continue to be sanitized according to a weekly schedule. Please be reminded that all students must wear a mask and social distance while attending school. We appreciate you working with us to protect our students and staff from contracting COVID-19 and we urge you to continue to stay vigilant in protecting yourself as well.

Thank you,

Richard Langlois, Superintendent