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Dear Chesterfield Elementary School Community,

We enjoyed some warmer afternoons this week, but it looks like the colder temperatures will be back for the weekend. Last week I introduced Mr. Joseph Slavin as our interim principal. Mrs. Graham and Mr. Slavin met to map out the remainder of the school year and specific responsibilities they will lead and monitor as we move into spring. One of the responsibilities Mr. Slavin will oversee is grades 4-6. If you are a parent of a student in grades 4-6 and any questions, please consider Mr. Slavin as your initial administrative contact. Remember, most questions can be answered by your child's teacher and the teacher should continue to be your first point of contact here at school. However, if you need to speak with an administrator and you have a child in grades 4-6, Mr. Slavin will be your contact. For your reference, here is the contact information for our principals:

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Grades 4-6
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On March 30th, report cards for the second trimester will be available online. In an effort to ensure our proficiency indicators clearly represent a student's progress during the pandemic, we've added descriptors in the following areas. These are only minor changes, but we want you to be aware of the changes when reviewing your child's report card later this month.

General Learning Behaviors – we've added the phrase "(Remote/In-Class Instruction T2&T3)" to show the indicator represents performance in both the remote and in-person instructional models.

Completes Homework – under the "General Learning Behaviors" section mentioned above, we've added the phrase "(including small group instruction T2&T3)" to show this indicator includes any homework associated with small group instruction.

Related Arts – for each of the related arts areas (library, music, etc.), we've added the phrase "(Remote/In-Class Instruction)" to show the indicator represents performance of

students who are accessing the related arts remote lessons from both the school (in an in-person setting) and from home (in a remote setting).

Please remember to complete the parent survey before Monday, March 8th. Thank you to all the parents who have already submitted your responses. As mentioned before, this information is critical to our transition to expand in-person learning and we appreciate your cooperation.

A reminder to parents that tonight we are hosting a virtual webinar entitled *Guiding Children Through a Pandemic: How to Help Your Students and YOU*. The webinar will start at 7:00 PM and the link is available on the district website. This virtual presentation is aimed at educating and supporting parents, educators, and students in managing the stress and anxiety of today's world.

The COVID-19 Weekly Health Report for the month of March is below. As a reminder, historical data from September 2020 – February 2021 can be found by clicking on this link <https://www.chesterfieldschool.com/Page/2902>.

COVID-19 Weekly Health Report

Week of.....	# of Positive Cases in School	# of Students/Staff Sent Home Due to Symptoms	# of Students/Staff Quarantined & Why	# of Incidents of Non-Compliance
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Sincerely,

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