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Dear Chesterfield Elementary School Community,

Thank you to all the parents who attended our parent forums last night. Between the two forums we had over 150 members of the school community attend. Great turn out! During the meetings, several topics were discussed. The major topic areas include: (1) guidelines used to determine when to exclude/quarantine, (2) factors used to move to remote learning, (3) afternoon small group consistency, (4) student feedback, and (5) social emotional learning. Prior to the winter recess, we will provide all parents with access to questions and answers from the meeting. Again, thank you to all the parents who attended.

This week we've been closely monitoring the pandemic and the impact on our school. Each day this week we have had students and/or staff who have moved between exclusion/quarantine and returning to the building. Unfortunately, staffing the building to safely open for all students participating in our in-person instructional models is not possible. Thus, grades 2-6 will remain in remote instruction through the start of winter recess. This includes the week of December 14th and Monday and Tuesday of the week of December 21st. During the eight days of school prior to winter recess, we will continue to implement the same schedule we are using this week. To be clear, students who were serviced in the building prior to the start of the hybrid model in October, will continue to report to the building as scheduled. Also, students in our Fully In-Person Instructional Model in grades K-1 will continue to report to the building as scheduled. It is only those students in grades 2-6 who participate in our hybrid model who will continue to remain fully remote through the start of winter recess.

Below is the COVID-19 Weekly Health Report. As you can see, I am only providing the current month's data. The running report has become too lengthy to continue to publish in each Thursday Letter. However, you can find the full report at the following 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
Dec. 7th	0	0	4 students quarantine (close contact)	0

			2 students excluded (pending testing of symptomatic individual) 1 staff quarantine (close contact positive case) 5 staff excluded (symptomatic)	
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Sincerely,

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