



Tri-Village Local School District

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Dear Tri-Village Families,

Tri-Village Local Schools is committed to the health, safety and well-being of all students and staff. Rest assured, district officials continue to monitor the pandemic both on and off campus daily while receiving guidance from state and local health departments. As a result of a recent recommendation from our local health department, all school districts in Darke County will be going remote the week of January 4-8 to allow a cushion between potential Christmas gatherings and a return to in-person instruction. For planning purposes, students will be returning to in-person instruction on Monday, January 11.

Due to the recommendation, the Tri-Village Local School District will execute our Remote Learning Plan from Monday, January 4 through Friday, January 8. The Remote Learning plan specifics will be posted online and instructions will be sent from the building principals in collaboration with classroom teachers regarding expectations for this remote learning opportunity.

Please note the following items:

- All district staff will report during their normal work hours during this remote learning opportunity.
- Lunch and breakfast will be provided during our remote learning week. The district will operate the daily "Meals on Wheels" delivery program and provide an opportunity for pick up at the school, more details to come.
- Extra-curricular practices and events may continue based on the status of each individual team/group.

It is imperative that your child completes all the necessary assignments during the remote learning week. Not only will the assignments count toward their grade in each respective class, the assignments will allow the district to keep legally required attendance records. Failure to turn in assignments by the respective deadline and/or not being present virtually if expected would not only result in a zero but also a potential unexcused absence.

These important decisions are not taken lightly thus, our goal is to keep our students safely learning in-person to the extent possible. I appreciate the continued effort and dedication of our staff, students and parents during this challenging time. Thank you for your continued patience, understanding and support.

Sincerely,

Josh Sagester

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Superintendent