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November 13th, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians

I want to thank you for being diligent in helping the school out by being proactive and keeping your student home when they are not feeling well. To date it has paid off and our ultimate goal is to remain open for the entire school year.

The mitigation implemented in the district has resulted in zero cases transmitted through the school. We will proceed with mitigation process as implemented. To date, no teachers have contracted COVID-19. Seven students, however, have tested positive. All positive cases among students were a result from contacts outside of the school.

I ask that you continue to be diligent in monitoring your student's health prior to sending them to school. Please remind your student to wash their cloth mask and wear it to school, we have ordered more paper masks but at this time we are running low.

With Thanksgiving around the corner there could be a greater chance of spreading it among families, so once again, I ask that on Sunday prior to sending your student back to school monitor your health and their health.

Our district will continue working with the Ottawa County Health Department to keep our schools open. As of November 13th, we have a 98.14% attendance rate of our students not being quarantined. Let's keep that percentage right there! Again, it is not spreading in our schools.

Sincerely,



Chris Vignery, Superintendent
USD 239, North Ottawa County Schools