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## East Grand Forks Public Schools

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EGF ISD 595 Families and Staff Members,

I am writing to provide a learning model update from EGF ISD 595. On December 8, 2020, the EGF ISD 595 Board of Education approved a recommendation to extend the distance learning period for all students through the holiday break and return in model two on January 4, 2021. Grades PK-5 will return to the buildings for full in-person instruction and grades 6-12 will return in the hybrid model. This decision was very difficult to make for everyone involved, but given the information provided to assist in the decision making process, it was the best course of action for the near future. The District fully intends to work towards bringing back in-person instruction for all students in grades PK-12 when appropriate.

Please continue to report COVID related illnesses/absences to the school district throughout this extended period of distance learning and feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you!

*Mike Kolness*

Superintendent of Schools

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