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Joseph Massimino, Ed.D. Superintendent of Schools

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Dear Woodbridge Township Families,

I hope this finds you well. Our district has made some technology infrastructure improvements and deployed the rest of the student devices which will facilitate our district moving to a new model in terms of how we provide instruction to students on quarantine. Starting Monday, October 4, 2021, we will transition to a new model that will give the students the opportunity to see and hear live lessons in real time. Counselors should still continue to establish contact with quarantining students. The process we will follow, after a student has been required to quarantine, is below. Please contact your child's teacher or building principal with any questions.

Educating Quarantined Students

- The building administration will inform a staff member that a student(s) is quarantined for a COVID-19 situation. The staff member will provide remote access to the student(s) in quarantine. The device will focus on the teacher, not other students, so the quarantined students can see and hear what is being taught.
- Lesson materials, assignments, and related content will be provided via Google Classroom and quarantine instruction will be provided via Google Meet or Zoom. A unique daily link will be provided so that only the students in that class can access it.
- Students will have access to the presentation of content by the teacher, classroom interaction, and a visual of corresponding work.
- This access should be provided the next school day after the quarantine notification has been made allowing time for the teacher to email the link and post any necessary lesson material.
- The teaching staff member is expected to move around the room and teach like they would as if all students were present. Quarantine instruction is not hybrid instruction, therefore students will be given the opportunity to look and listen but not interact with the staff members. Quarantined students should email or message the teacher with any questions.
- The remote access for quarantine instruction is for COVID-19 quarantined students only.

If you need a device for your students to utilize while quarantining, please speak with your building administration. I believe that we will be dealing with quarantining for the entirety of this school year and want to provide our students with the best instruction possible, while causing the least amount of interruptions to those in the classroom setting. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Joseph Massimino, Ed.D. Superintendent of Schools