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Welcome to October! The good news is that our active Covid cases have continued to decrease. We have already completed the first 6 weeks of school! While we must all continue to be watchful and wise when it comes to health, current trends indicate that our cases have decreased greatly since the beginning of the year and that student and staff health is trending in a positive direction.

Currently

- High School—We have 0 student cases since our last update; 1 total active student case; Seniors (0), Juniors (0), Sophomore (0), and freshmen (1). We have 0 employee cases for a total of 0 active employee cases.
- Junior High—We have 2 student cases since our last update; 3 total active student cases; 8th graders (0); 7th graders (0); 6th graders (3). We have 0 employee case a for total of 0 active employee cases.
- Intermediate—We have 0 student cases since our last update; 0 total active student cases; 4th grade (0) and 5th grade (0). We have 0 employee cases.
- Elementary—We have 1 case since our last update; 1 total active student case; Pk (0), kinder (0), 1st grade (0), 2nd (0), 3rd (1). We have 1 additional employee case for a total of 1 active employee case.
- NOTES—At this time we have 6 active cases...all other students and staff have returned. As a reminder, active cases occur when an individual has tested positive and is still off campus. Once they have cleared all protocols, they are no longer considered active.

Again, we appreciate the tireless work that families and staff put in to addressing health concerns. We also realize that this pandemic will likely have ebbs and flows, but we are grateful when the numbers are low. However, we will continue to use all interventions on an ongoing basis regardless of our numbers.

In other news of note:

Bond Election—NWISD held an open community meeting to inform voters about an upcoming bond election (November 2, 2021). We appreciate everyone who attended, and we will schedule another meeting for the community in the coming weeks.

Report Cards—As mentioned earlier, we have completed the first six weeks of school and your student should have brought home a report card during this week. Many factors can impact student learning, so please reach out to teachers and campuses if you have concerns or questions about the progress your child is making.

We hope everyone has a great first weekend of October!

In Bulldog Pride

“Together We Can”