Dear Edgewater Community,

The COVID Data Tracker has been updated for January 23rd through January 29th. We are happy to report that we have seen a considerable decrease in cases this week, only having one positive case. This is the lowest the district's numbers have been since the middle of November.

To assist the community when they have a question or a concern, the Board of Education has approved a document that explains the <u>Chain of Command</u> for the Edgewater School District. The district believes a proper Chain of Command is an essential tool in guiding the community to the best person to speak with when in need of assistance. Please refer to this document so the teachers, staff, administration, and Board of Education can help answer any questions you may have. The better we communicate, the better we will be able to serve the students of Edgewater.

At the January Board of Education meeting, Start Strong information was presented. Please follow this link to view the presentation.

As a reminder, we must remain diligent as we navigate the pandemic. The simplest and most effective way to keep everyone safe is to stay home if you feel sick. A student should not return to school until they are fever-free for at least 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and stay safe in the snow.

Sincerely,

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