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CSD Families,

We are pleased how the first two weeks of school have gone for both our virtual and our in-person students. Our teachers, support staff, administrators, students and families have done a fantastic job to make this go so well.

With the Wisconsin Supreme Court ruling we are adjusting our return to school plans once again. The school district will continue to monitor the virus metrics in Dane and Jefferson County and will make adjustments to student in-person attendance as necessary. At this time, the administration is recommending the following return to school schedule. This plan is very similar to what the Board approved on July 30, prior to the Dane County Health Department Decision to close schools for students in grades 3-12 was made. The recommendation will be taken up by the school board at their regular meeting on Monday, September 21, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.

Timeline to Phase-in In-Person Learning for CES, NMS & CHS

New Administrative Recommendation after Wisconsin Supreme Court Ruling of September 10, 2020

- September 14-25th -> Status Quo at All Grade Levels, this gives the district more time to determine if the Supreme Court ruling is likely to stand and allows more time for today's UW- Madison Covid volatility to "calm down" and evaluate other established "Cambridge" metrics.
- September 28th -> 3-5 Return to in-person learning at CES; 6th grade returns in person to NMS; 9th – 10th grade returns in person to CHS
- October 5th -> 7th and 8th grade returns in person to NMS; 11th and 12th grade returns in person to CHS
- Families would have the ability to remain in a virtual setting if they so choose. Any family wishing to change their selection from what it is now should contact their teacher (elementary) or the building principal by September 22th.

Please contact your building child's principal or me if you have questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Bernie Nikolay
Superintendent