



Greetings Families:

February 27, 2020

RE: Quarantine due to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID – 19)

“Which students/staff should conduct active or passive monitoring and self-quarantine?”

The New Jersey Department of Health, recommends the following risk categories and associated actions. This guidance is in accordance with “Guidance for Managing Employees or Students Returning from China” put forward by NJDOH. The following guidance, recommendations:

- Individuals who fall into the High Risk or Moderate Risk categories should self-quarantine for 14 days, including restriction from work/school.
- Those with High Risk exposures should conduct active monitoring.
- Those with Moderate Risk exposures should conduct passive monitoring.
- Individuals in the **Low Risk** category do not require symptom monitoring and are not required to self-quarantine, however the decision to self-quarantine and restrict from school/work may be appropriate if the decision is made in conjunction with the individual’s employer and/or occupational/school health provider and is in accordance with the facility’s policies and procedures.

Please see the latest Novel Coronavirus guidance, *Students Returning from China - FAQs*, issued by the New Jersey Department of Health on February 2, 2020:
https://www.nj.gov/health/cd/documents/topics/NCOV/2019nCoV_k12schools.pdf

Thank you,
Principal Brewer