

December 4, 2020

Dear Millersburg Area School District Community,

As I communicated prior to the Thanksgiving Recess, Dauphin County continues to have substantial community spread of COVID-19. Since the beginning of the school year, we have proactively monitored our local school district data with direct involvement from the Department of Health. We have used that data to make decisions regarding the education of our students, while keeping the health, safety and well-being of our students and staff as our highest priority.

Unfortunately, today, our local data indicates the need for the District to transition to remote learning based on the Department of Health's guidance. This is an outcome we've all fought hard to avoid, but one that we've sadly expected. For the week beginning Monday, December 7, 2020 through Friday, December 11th, all students in Millersburg Area School District will learn remotely. Please refer to the Remote Learning Information on the homepage of the District website for specific details. The District will evaluate our data again at the end of the week and provide you with an update by Friday, December 11th. During this time of remote learning, all extra-curricular activities and events are suspended.

Meal distribution, comprised of breakfasts and lunches for the week, will continue at the High School Entrance on Monday, December 7, from 4:30 -6:00 PM. Meal requests should be made by 9:00 AM on Monday using the [Meal Order Form](#).

I sincerely thank our students, staff, and community for the concentrated and collective efforts to keep our students in school this far into the school year. To be honest, I'm not sure anyone expected us to get this far, but by working together we were successful in providing our students with as much normalcy as possible. Our goal is to continue in-person instruction as soon as it is safe to do so.

Please accept my heartfelt appreciation for your diligent efforts in mitigating the spread of COVID-19. Continuing those efforts will be paramount in allowing us to bring our students back to learning in-person.

Sincerely

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Superintendent

Millersburg Area School District

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