

FORRESTVILLE VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT #22I

SUPERINTENDENT Mrs. Sheri Smith

November 20, 2020

Dear Forrestville Valley Community,

Below is our latest district data reviewed in consideration of the potential need for an adaptive pause following the Thanksgiving holiday until mid-January. We do recognize significant community transmission of COVID-19 in our county and region; however, after consideration of our district data and low transmission within our school community,

FORRESTVILLE VALLEY SCHOOLS PLAN TO REMAIN OPEN

Data	Total District	FJSHS	FGS	GVGS
Number of Cases this week	2	2	0	0
Percent of Cases this week	0.27%	0.48%	0%	0%
Year to Date Cases	36	17	13	2
Year to Date Percent of Cases	4.9%	4.1%	5.31%	2.7%

- · Zero close contacts were identified this week; district cases reported include students and staff
- Year to date, 26 households account for the 36 positive cases.

The district remains committed to student and staff safety and we need each family to do their part to keep our buildings open. We acknowledge the concern of increased transmission over the holidays and we want to give families the best option to stay safe and keep our schools safe for all.

If you are planning to gather over the holidays, we recommend and encourage you to consider temporary remote learning to allow for proper quarantine and control of any possible spread of COVID-19.

The option for a <u>temporary</u> remote learning environment is available for any student, for any number of days, from November 30th – January 15th. Parents/Guardians must notify the building office with their plans for remote learning and timeframe. If you are planning to gather, please take advantage of this opportunity for your student to remain home and keep others safe. For those with advanced plans we would ask for you to communicate your remote learning dates prior to leaving for either the Thanksgiving or Christmas holiday break.

Decisions regarding school operations and COVID-19 continue to evolve on a daily basis. Should remote learning become necessary due to a change in data or state order we will notify you via the Skylert and Skyward systems.

Please enjoy a safe holiday season.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Smith

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