



**South Bound Brook School District**  
**ONE SCHOOL, ONE COMMUNITY**

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

I hope this letter finds you and your family healthy and well. I am reaching out to share a change in our school operations for the weeks of November 30 and January 4.

The Robert Morris School will be all remote during those weeks. This will include our PreK and Kindergarten students.

As you know, our school had a scheduled professional development learning for our teachers the week of November 3 and our students were not in attendance at school. As a result of that break after the celebration of Halloween, we were able to have the opportunity to collect health information that was important to keeping our school community safe and healthy. Because of this lesson learned, we are going to be taking a proactive approach to the upcoming school breaks and implementing remote learning for the weeks of November 30 and January 4.

Please remember that our ability to provide in-person learning for our students in a safe environment depends on responsible behavior by all of our school community members.

Please do not administer fever reducing medication prior to sending your child to school. If your child has a fever or does not feel well, please keep them at home.

**In the event that a student has tested positive for COVID-19:**

1. *Contact the Somerset County Board of Health ASAP.* Parents will be provided with specific instructions regarding isolation and quarantine procedures for child and family members as well as potential return dates to school/work.
2. *Contact our school nurse, Mrs. Mary Caputo, directly ASAP*
3. *Indicate exposure via the school's daily health screener form.*
4. *Follow specific procedures to quarantine/isolate as indicated by the Somerset County Department of Health.*

**In the event that a student was exposed to a positive case of COVID-19:**

1. *Contact the Somerset County Department of Health to report exposure.*
2. *Contact our school nurse, Mrs. Mary Caputo, directly ASAP.* The school nurse will explain to parents the specific procedures to allow for a return to school. In the case of an asymptomatic student, they may return to school upon completion of the 14 day quarantine period. In the case when a student who presented as a close contact becomes symptomatic, further contact to the Somerset County Department of Health is required.
3. *Indicate exposure via the school's daily health screener*
4. *Follow specific procedures to quarantine/isolation as indicated by the Somerset County Department of Health.*

We are striving to provide the highest quality learning experience possible while ensuring safety. Let's all be safe out there! Please continue to do your part by following this guidance to ensure that we all stay safe and healthy.

Sincerely,

*Dr. Lorise A. Goeke*

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Superintendent/Principal