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Dear Mansfield community,

I would like to remind you of the current procedures in place at school based on guidance from the New Jersey Department of Health. The most recent Covid-19 "Activity Level Report for the Northwest Region" indicates that we remain in the orange "high risk" category.

As a result, if /when a student exhibits Covid-like symptoms whether at school or at home they will be excluded from school until a **negative viral test (antigen or PCR) has been received or the student has completed a ten day quarantine period**. Quarantined students will receive remote instruction while excluded from school.

An alternate diagnosis from your student physician is no longer acceptable.

According to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), Covid-like symptoms include:

- Fever or Chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- Loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

We appreciate your help in the continued effort to keep our students and staff safe and healthy. We ask you to continue to keep your students home if they are exhibiting any signs of illness. Please contact me or your child's teacher if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you for your continued support as we navigate through this very challenging time.

With gratitude,

Mrs. Isemann
School Nurse