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Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Department of Education and Delaware Health and Social Services' Division of Public Health have requested that we provide you information regarding practices related to COVID-19.

- Screen your children for symptoms of COVID-19:
 - o Fever (100.4° or greater)
 - o Cough
 - o Shortness of Breath
 - o New loss of taste or smell
 - o Aches or muscle pain
 - o Sore throat
 - o Chills or repeated shaking with chills
 - o Nausea or vomiting
 - o Diarrhea
- Keep children who are sick at home; do not send them to school. Do not send children to school with a fever of 100.4° or greater.
- Teach your children to wash their hands frequently with soap and water for 20 seconds. Be sure to set a good example by doing this yourself.
- Wear a [face-covering](#) when it is required.
- Teach your children to cover coughs and sneezes with tissues or by coughing into the inside of the elbow. Again, set a good example by doing this yourself.
- Teach your children to stay at least six feet away from people other than your family.

If you have questions, please contact your school nurse or primary healthcare provider

For information or general questions on COVID-19 and prevention, visit the Delaware Health and Social Services' Division of Public Health's website at <https://coronavirus.delaware.gov/> or you can call 2-1-1 or text your ZIP code to 898-211 for deaf and hard of hearing. For those with specific health-related questions, email DPHCall@delaware.gov.

Sincerely,

Deborah Judy

Assistant Superintendent