

WOODLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NOTES December 16, 2020

- <u>Updated Quarantine Protocols</u>: NEW! The Kimberly Area School District has adopted the CDC and Wisconsin DHS guidelines for a 10 day return to school for students who develop NO symptoms of COVID-19 while in quarantine. The 7 day return guidelines are not being adopted at this time and are under review.
- Lost & Found: On the following page you will find photos of the many lost and found items that have been accumulating at Woodland Elementary. Please take a minute to look over the pictures. If you see anything that belongs to your child, please email <u>sschaut@kimberly.k12.wi.us</u> or call the office at 920-730-0924 and we will make sure to send it home with them.
- <u>Switching Learning Option</u>: The deadline for switching from online to in person or in person to online learning for the 3rd quarter is January 4th. Please click <u>here</u> to access the form to make a switch. Note that a form must be completed for each child and must be submitted by January 4th.
- <u>Woodland/Kimberly Wear Orders</u>: If you have purchased Woodland Wear from Fallen Graphix, thank you so much! When the items you ordered are completed, you will receive an email directly from Fallen Graphix letting you know that they are finished. Items can be picked up at the store at 718 Country Road KK anytime between 8:30 am until 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday.
- The next spirit day at Woodland School is on Wednesday, December 23rd and the theme is wear your favorite ugly sweater.
- Also on Wednesday, December 23rd, all Woodland Elementary students will be released at 12:00 pm.
- There will be no school on Thursday, December 24th through Friday, January 1st. Classes will resume on Monday, January 4th.
- Please visit the KASD website and check out the <u>Community Events</u> page for some great opportunities and activities for your family.



WOODLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LOST & FOUND ITEMS

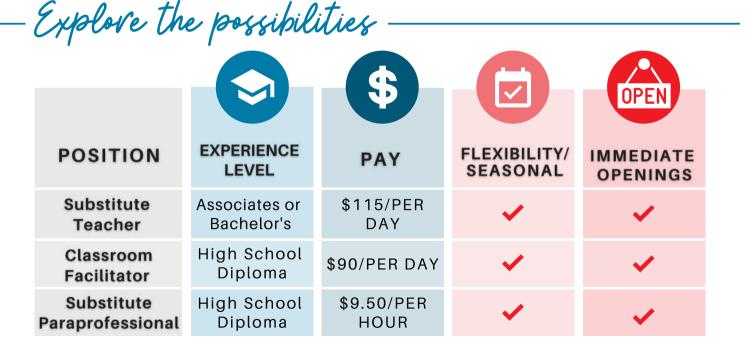


OUR STUDENTS NEED YOU

SEEKING TEMPORARY STAFF

substitute teachers • support staff • entry level

Kimberly Area School District (KASD) is seeking support from our community. Help us keep students in the classroom and our schools open. Find which opportunity is best for you!



Do you enjoy working with children while maintaining a flexible work schedule? Are you home for the holidays and looking for temporary work? Have you considered becoming a classroom facilitator, substitute paraprofessional or even a substitute teacher? Learn more at <u>www.kimberly.k12.wi.us/careers</u>



CLEAN MASKS ARE CRUCIAL!

Cloth masks are designed to be washed after every use. They should not be worn multiple days in a row unless washed in between uses. Here's how to care for your cloth mask:

Washing:

Wash masks in a washing machine, using the warmest setting recommended for the fabric. Use your usual laundry detergent.

OR

Wash masks thoroughly by hand, using soap or laundry detergent and warm/hot water.

Drying:

Dry masks in a dryer, using the warmest setting recommended for the fabric.

OR

Allow the mask to air dry completely.

WHEN TO STAY HOME FROM SCHOOL

Keep your child home when:



They are sick (please see <u>student illness guide</u> and when to get tested)



They are diagnosed with COVID-19

They are being tested for COVID-19





Frequently Asked Questions:

Do I keep my child home if someone in my household is being tested for COVID-19?

A: Send your child to school if your child is symptom free.

OR

A: Keep your child home if your child has COVID-like symptoms.

Do I keep my child home from school if someone in my household is a close contact of a confirmed case of COVID-19?

A: Send your child to school if the household member who is the close contact is symptom free. OR

A: Keep your child home if the household member who is the close contact has COVID-like symptoms. (The household member who is the close contact is considered a probable case of COVID if he/she is showing symptoms while awaiting test results and everyone in your household at that point is considered a close contact and will need to quarantine.)

For additional frequently asked questions please visit, <u>www.kimberly.k12.wi.us/updates/frequently-asked-questions</u>

STUDENT ILLNESS GUIDE AND WHEN TO GET TESTED

People with the below symptoms or combination of symptoms may have COVID-19. The table below outlines WI-DHS recommendations of who should receive COVID-19 testing in Wisconsin. If you have these symptoms, **stay home, call your school office and get tested**.

Box A (any <u>one</u> symptom present)
□ Cough (above baseline) □ Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing □ New loss of taste or smell
OR CASE LA GROMINS
Box B (any <u>two</u> symptoms present)
Congestion or runny nose (above baseline) Chills or fever (100.4) Nausea or vomiting
🗖 Diarrhea 🛛 🗖 Fatigue 🗖 Muscle or body aches 🗖 Sore throat (above baseline
*If you choose not to get tested, you must remain home until at least 10 days have passed since symptom onset AND at least 24 hours have passed since resolution of fever without use of medicine AND other symptoms have improved.
OR
Box C
I am a close contact of someone with COVID-19
WI-DHS recommends getting tested if you are a close contact. If you test negative during your quarantine period, you will still need to complete your full 14-day quarantine before it is safe to go back to school or be around others

For all other illnesses, follow typical school illness protocol by staying home, calling the school office and once symptoms have improved and your child is fever free for 24 hours they may return.

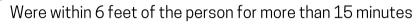
For information on awaiting test results and quarantining please go to, <u>www.kimberly.k12.wi.us/updates/covid-19-protocols</u>.

CLOSE CONTACT GUIDE

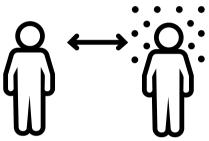
What does it mean to be a close contact of someone with COVID-19?

You are a "close contact" if any of the following situations happened while you spent time with the person with COVID-19, even if they didn't' have symptoms:





- Had contact with the person's respiratory secretions (for example, coughed or sneezed on; contact with dirty tissue; shared a drinking glass, food, towels, or other personal items)
- Live with the person or stayed overnight for at least one night in a household with the person



EXAMPLE

Your child was playing outside with a neighborhood friend when he drank from the friend's water bottle without thinking. The following day, the friend developed symptoms and subsequently tested positive for COVID-19. **Your child is a close contact.**

EXAMPLE

I went out to eat with a friend yesterday and we were within 6 feet of each other for 30 minutes. The following day my friend tested positive for COVID-19. I am now a close contact. What about my child? **Your child is NOT a close contact** as your child did not spend time with your friend.

If you had contact with someone who has been diagnosed with COVID-19 you may be at risk of infection. Follow these recommendations for 14 days since your last close contact with someone with COVID-19. It is important to **self-quarantine and self-monitor** to protect yourself, your family, and your community.



As a close contact, what does it mean to quarantine?

• Stay home



- Avoid travel
- Go out only if absolutely necessary
- · Postpone all non-essential medical appointments until your quarantine is over
- Do not use public transportation, ride-sharing, or taxis
- Wear a face cover when you are around others

See Next Steps: close contacts of someone with COVID-19

Students and Families of 4k - Grade 4 Students,

This year our district is using a new student login platform called Classlink. The Classlink "landing page" will have all of the programs that students need for remote learning (including Seesaw). Third and fourth grade students will log into their district Chromebooks. Students (family members) in 4k through grade 2 should follow the directions below.



Laptops & Chromebooks

Because we are a Google Education district, the preferred browser is Chrome. Other browsers may work, but Chrome is recommended. See below if you'd like to install Chrome on your laptop. Chromebooks use Chrome as the default browser.

STUDENTS: Please follow these directions to log into Classlink:

- Go to Kimberly's Classlink student login page: <u>https://launchpad.classlink.com/kasd</u>. The link can also be found on the KASD website under the "Students and Parents" tab.
- 2. Choose "Sign in with Microsoft".
- Enter your COMPLETE email address. If you only have your username, please add "@kimberly.k12.wi.us" to the end. For example if the username is 33msmith, the email would be 33msmith@kimberly.k12.wi.us
- 4. Enter your password.
- 5. If you are prompted to save your username and password, choose no if you share the device with someone else at home. Choose yes if you're the only person using the device.
- 6. You are in! Just click the icon of the program you want to access.

Seesaw on Smart Devices, Tablets, iPads

If you are using a smart device, tablet or iPad, you will need to install the Seesaw CLASS app. **You must choose the Google option TWICE!** Please follow the EXACT directions on <u>these slides</u> to get students signed into their Seesaw Class app.

Troubleshooting

If you have children at home sharing the same Chromebook, each child needs to sign out of the chromebook completely.

Install Chrome

KIMBERLY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT PARENT CALENDAR

September 2021					
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April 2022					
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February 2022					
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May 2022					
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NS No School

AM classes only (exception: No school for 4K) KHS dismissed at 11:31am, JRG & Intermediate dismissed at 11:20am, Elementary dismissed at 12:00pm

E2 Elementary Early Release - Elementary dismissed at 2:00pm (Exception: 4K morning classes 8:45am - 10:45am, afternoon classes 11:45am - 1:45pm)

- EN Elementary Noon Release All Elementary students dismissed at 12:00pm (exception: No school for 4K)
- HS High School Parent/Teacher Conferences KHS students dismissed at 2:00pm
- Middle School Parent/Teacher Conferences JRG students dismissed at 2:00pm except on November 18th students will have a full day of school
- Intermediate School Parent/Teacher Conferences Intermediate students dismissed at 2:00pm
- 4K-4th Gr. Parent Techer Conferences; No school for 4K; Grades 5K-4th Grades E2&C dismissed at 2:00pm
 - **Q** End of quarter

IFYOU SEE SOMETHING

SAY SOMETHING

IF YOU See something Read something Hear something Know something Then you should SAY SOMETHING

We are encouraging school and community members to become the eyes and ears of the Kimberly Area School District in order to provide information that keeps our students, staff and schools safe.

It sometimes can be difficult to define:

- Take your time to pay attention to your surroundings and to the behaviors of others around you.
- Know what suspicious or concerning behaviors look like.
- Does the activity look strange to you?
- Are you worried someone you know is thinking about hurting others or themselves?

Report it, don't just repeat it.



Kimberly Area School District

See Something, Say Something[®] is modeled after the Department of Homeland Security's program.

TELL YOUR Parent Teacher Principal School Counselor School Secretary Librarian Any Trusted Adult

Or Call 911 for Emergencies



INFORMATION For Parents



IF YOUR FAMILY LIVES IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SITUATIONS:

In a shelter

In a motel or campground due to the lack of an alternative adequate accommodation

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In a car, park, abandoned building, or bus or train station

Doubled up with other people due to loss of housing or economic hardship

Your school-age children may qualify for certain rights and protections under the federal McKinney-Vento Act.

Your eligible children have the right to:

- Receive a free, appropriate public education.
- Enroll in school immediately, even if lacking documents normally required for enrollment.
- Enroll in school and attend classes while the school gathers needed documents.
- Enroll in the local school; or continue attending their school of origin (the school they attended when permanently housed or the school in which they were last enrolled), if that is your preference.
 - * If the school district believes that the school you select is not in the best interest of your children, then the district must provide you with a written explanation of its position and inform you of your right to appeal its decision.
- Receive transportation to and from the school of origin, if you request this.
- Receive educational services comparable to those provided to other students, according to your children's needs.

If you believe your children may be eligible, contact the local liaison to find out what services and supports may be available. There also may be supports available for your preschool-age children.



Local Liaison KASD Homeless Liaison Rob DeLain 920.788.7905

State Coordinator WI State Coordinator Kristine Nadolski 608.267.7338

If you need furthe<mark>r assistance with your chi</mark>ldren's educational needs, contact the National Center for Homeless Education: 1–800–308–2145 *** homeless@serve.org * http://nche.ed.gov**