

Dr. Alicia Geddis
Superintendent of Schools
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November 20, 2020

Dear District 118 Family:

We are writing to notify you that due to the increased number of COVID-19 exposures and positive cases of staff and students at several district schools, District 118 will pivot our blended learning program to a fully remote learning program beginning Monday, November 23, 2020. If positivity rates in Vermilion County permit, we will resume our blended learning program on Monday, January 11, 2021.

During this fully remote program, our school calendar will be as follows:

- Monday, November 23, 2020 Full Remote Learning Day
- Tuesday, November 24, 2020 Full Remote Learning Day
- Wednesday, November 25, 2020 Begin Thanksgiving Break
- Monday, November 30, 2020 Friday, December 18, 2020 Full Remote Learning Days
- Monday, December 21, 2020 -Friday, January 1, 2021 Winter Break
- Monday, January 4, 2021- Friday, January 8, 2021 Full Remote Learning Days
- Monday, January 11, 2021 (IF Vermilion County positivity rates allow) Blended Learning Programs Resume

As positivity rates are changing in Vermilion County, we ask that you continue to closely monitor your child, yourself, other close family members, and anyone living in your home for fever, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, chills, fatigue, muscle and body aches, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell, congestion or runny nose, nausea, vomiting or diarrhea. If your child or a family member exhibits any of these symptoms, notify your healthcare provider immediately. More detailed information about COVID-19 signs and symptoms can be found at the Illinois Department of Public Health's website.

The well-being of our school community will always be our number one priority. If you have any COVID related questions, we have identified Mrs. Danielle Montgomery, School Nurse, as our point of contact. She can be reached at 217-444-1603 or <a href="MontgomeryD@danville118.org">MontgomeryD@danville118.org</a>. We will stay in contact with you and will provide more detailed information as the situation arises.

Sincerely,

Dr. Alicia M. Geddis Superintendent