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For Immediate Release Clintonville Public School District Return To School Update September 24, 2020

Good Afternoon Clintonville Staff & Families:

In reviewing today's WAUPACA COUNTY and SCHOOL DISTRICT COVID CASE numbers, the local-county-state trends, and staffing shortages, as well as after consulting with the Waupaca County Health Officer, School District Medical Advisor, and the Board of Education President, Clintonville Public Schools WILL REMAIN IN THE "HIGH RISK" level of the CPSD Safety for Return To School Plan with COVID-19. Students in grades 4K-12 will continue in the current A/B Cohort model of instruction with 2 days of instruction for each group and 3 days of 100% virtual/at-home learning. The Clintonville Public School District will remain in this model until at least October 12th. As of this afternoon, September 24, 2020, local and county conditions warrant the need to stay at the current "HIGH RISK" level. In addition to reviewing case numbers associated with framework metrics, staff and student absences, regional medical facility resources, and the recommendations from the County Health Officer and District Medical Advisor have also been taken into consideration.

The District continues to make decisions with the intent of keeping students receiving in-person instruction as long as possible. As we move forward, the district is continually evaluating the risks for both students and staff and, by staying with the A/B Cohort instruction model, this will allow for social distancing and reduce the continued risk of spreading COVID-19. With a recent significant increase in cases in the area, parents should make preparations for the possibility that the District must move to the "SEVERE RISK" level, resulting in 100% virtual instruction for ALL students.

Finally, parents of students who requested a change from the "all virtual" instructional model to in-person instruction beginning September 28th will receive a separate contact from building administration to confirm placement in the instructional model of choice (continued as A/B cohort model or 100% virtual instruction). This commitment will remain in effect until the end of the 1st Quarter, November 4th. Parents and guardians always reserve the right to contact their building principals and enroll their students as 100% virtual, however, this is a guarter commitment.

We want to thank and appreciate the parents for their efforts in working with the school district by supporting the measures we are taking to provide a safe educational environment.

Food Service meal sign up for virtual days is still available at this link: https://forms.gle/vzC6R1op4HF971xc6

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