

Lac du Flambeau Public School

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Boozhoo Families,

The Lac du Flambeau School District continues to closely monitor the COVID related cases in the school. This morning, we received additional information about new positive covid cases. The school board did determine a threshold number of students that would be used to shift the school to full remote as needed. If the combined number of students who are positive for COVID, quarantined due to close contact or staying home due to symptoms related to COVID reaches 30% of the student population, the school will shift to full remote learning for two weeks. This number includes only those students required to stay home for the above listed COVID related reasons.

After meeting with the tribal incident command team and as a result in a significant rise of positive cases in the community along with an increase in positive cases in the school and students out due to close contacts, today we have made the decision to temporarily shift to remote learning for the next two weeks. Teachers will be meeting with students throughout the school day today to make sure they have their chromebooks or other remote devices and materials to take home and to prepare them for remote learning.

Monday, September 20, the first day when students are at home will be for teacher planning and to make sure students can connect to the internet:

Grade level live online instruction times are:

- 1st Grade 9:00 am 10:30 am
- 2nd Grade 9:00 am 11:00 am
- 3rd 4th Grade 10:30 am 12:30 pm
- 5th 8th Grade 12:30 pm 3:00 pm
- 4K, K teachers will be contacting families

Students are expected to log on to their chromebooks at the start of their designated time.

Starting on Tuesday, September 21 we will begin remote learning and continue through Friday, October 1. We plan on returning to in-person learning on Monday, October 4.

We encourage all parents to set up their Infinite Campus Portal account if you have not done so already. The portal is an effective way for teachers and the school to communicate with families. Please email tech4parents@ldfschool.org or call the school at 715-588-3838 if you need help setting up the portal.

Respectfully,

Dr. Larry Ouimette Superintendent Lac du Flambeau School District "Where every day is a great day to be a Warrior!"