

HOLLAND TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Unfortunately, due to additional positive tests results and exposure of our district staff and substitutes we will need to transition to early dismissals for the week of January 11th- January 14th. Early dismissals allow the district to provide students with in person instruction in core academic areas while eliminating close contact which may be created through lunch periods and special area subjects as well as freeing up additional staff to provide coverage across all grade spans and core academics.

Students are encouraged to access Google Classroom at home each day to complete assignments in special areas.

Our early dismissal schedule is as follows:

- Kindergarten through 8th grade 8:00am - 12:30pm
- Preschool Full Day 8:30am - 12:25pm
- Preschool Half Day AM 8:30am - 10:20am
- Preschool Half Day PM 10:35am - 12:25pm

Please continue to plan for changes to the school schedule as we continue to navigate staff shortages due to the current COVID-19 case rate and close contacts. Our goal is to maintain the in person environment for all of our students, however, this goal becomes increasingly more difficult to reach each day with the sharp spikes in cases throughout the county.

Our current numbers as of Monday, January 10th:

Holland Township School Covid-19 statistics for 1/10/2022:

- Quarantine students - 103
- Total for the year (Covid positive students) - 89
- Quarantine staff - 17
- Total for the year (Covid positive staff) – 34

Thank you for your continued understanding and patience.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Snyder
Superintendent

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