

## **Monroe Catholic Elementary Schools**

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January 2, 2021

Dear MCES Families,

Happy New Year! We look forward to a very successful second half of the 2020-2021 School Year. Please read this entire email carefully.

We return from Christmas Break on Monday, January 4th and look forward to seeing our students in the classrooms and hallways of MCES!

We need our families and students to follow the protocols that are established, namely:

- Appropriate mask wearing and social distancing. Masks must cover the nose and mouth.
  If developmentally appropriate, parents will be contacted when a student is not
  consistently wearing their mask appropriately.
- Filling out the COVID-19 Monitoring Form daily for each child. If you answer "yes" to any of the questions, your child should stay home.
- If anyone is exposed to COVID-19 or is experiencing any COVID-19 symptoms, they must be kept home.
- Observing regulations regarding gatherings and travel.
- Letting MCES know when a student has been exposed to COVID-19 or tests positive.
- St. Michael Campus Specific: Because teachers get much closer to your family when dropping off in the morning, parents and children must be wearing masks when the teacher approaches the car to help them out.

**For Flexible Learning Option (Virtual) Students:** Teachers will have your physical packets in the bins outside of the school on Tuesday morning, <u>not Monday.</u> This is because we are still awaiting many responses to the survey and need time to prepare. Thank you for your patience.

## From the December 28th Email:

If you have already filled out the form or it does not apply to you, please disregard this section:

The following form needs to be completed for the following situations, ONLY:

- 1) Your child is required to quarantine due to COVID-19 positivity or exposure any time in the next week. \*please be sure to include their quarantine end date.
- 2) You plan to keep your child enrolled in the Flexible Learning Option (Virtual Learning) after Christmas Break.



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Please click here for the form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLSfjhikQGTgkdRea-6T3GJUOBDfqyH-E MTKmlD9QHbo39dM26A/viewform?usp=sf\_link

**St. Michael Campus Note:** The Renovation Project is well underway! When students arrive in the morning, they will be temporarily gathering in the main hallway instead of the gym. Otherwise, there are shouldn't be any interruptions to the day-to-day activities at St. Michael Campus. We look forward to sharing construction updates with you!

**All students should wear a winter coat to school.** Students that go to recess should also bring hats, mittens, scarves, etc. daily as we will still be going outdoors as much as possible.

Please always keep the health and safety of our teachers, staff and students at the top of mind.

Sincerely,

Kyle Kubik MCES Executive Principal