

Rochelle Park School District

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Dear School Members,

Due to the increase in COVID-19 cases and related primary contacts in one week, currently at a total of 129 between December 13, 2021 and the time of this announcement today, December 20, 2021, Midland School will operate on a $\frac{1}{2}$ day schedule for students on Tuesday, December 21st, and Wednesday, December 22nd. Thursday, December 23rd remains a $\frac{1}{2}$ day schedule for students and staff as previously determined in the school calendar for the holiday break. This is being done as one measure to lessen the impact of primary contact exposure associated with unmasked time when eating.

Please take note:

- > Student dismissal will be at 12:41pm on 12/21/21 through 12/23/21.
- ➤ Before Care Program services will remain in effect.
- ➤ After Care Program services are cancelled.
- The pre-ordering lunch service remains in effect. Lunch will be distributed to the students to take home with them on Tuesday and Wednesday. There was no lunch service scheduled for Thursday due to the originally scheduled ¹/₂ day in the school calendar.
- Students will not be permitted snack time from Tuesday through Thursday. Please ensure your child has a nutritional breakfast before coming to school. Any student with special nutritional needs will be arranged for directly with Mrs. Meyers, School Nurse.

As in prior communications, it is necessary to emphasize:

- > Please keep your child home if he/she is not feeling well.
- If someone in your household is positive for COVID-19 keep your child home until you can consult with the school nurse to determine if your child is considered a primary contact and will need to quarantine.

Thank you for your continued cooperation. Wishing you and your loved ones good health.

Sincerely,

Dr. Sue DeNobile, Superintendent