



Brecksville-Broadview Heights City School District

BBHCSD Will Remain in Current Hybrid Model and Will Consult Multiple Data Points for Any Future Changes

October 29th, 2020

Dear Brecksville-Broadview Heights City Schools Community,

Per Ohio Governor Mike DeWine's press conference today, and those given throughout the week, students and staff in our District will remain in the Hybrid Learning Model, the current model in which students are presently receiving their education in the BBHCSD, until further notice.

Students whose last names begin with the letters A – L will continue learning in-person Mondays and Tuesdays, while students whose last names begin with the letters M – Z will continue learning in-person Thursdays and Fridays. Wednesdays will be a remote learning day with deep cleaning taking place at the buildings. Preschool will remain unchanged. So too will Grab-and-Go breakfast and lunch services, as well as transportation.

While the county remains in Level 3-Red, and after individually consulting each Board member, please know that any decision to make changes will be done after consulting multiple factors, not just looking at this heat map. When school districts discussed using the heat map as our guide four months ago, other data points were not available for consideration. Four months later, we are smarter about the nuances of COVID-19 and now have multiple data points to consider, including local zip code data, and research that supports the fact that school buildings are not "super-spreaders" both nationally and internationally. In fact, Governor Mike DeWine has indicated that we should not use the heat map to determine whether or not school districts should pivot to remote learning. All of these factors, including our dashboard, will be used to determine if and when we will need to go remote and conversely, back to 5-days of in-person learning.

Yet while the District remains dedicated to delivering education in our current Hybrid Model, we will continue to do so with the utmost sensitivity towards the serious nature of the pandemic, and a dedication to upholding the most stringent safety standards. The BBHCSD expresses its gratitude to the community for their continued flexibility, patience, support and understanding as District leaders make the most practical decisions to advance student academic growth and achievement, while keeping everyone in our school family safe.

Be well. Stay safe. Remain healthy.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent of Schools

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