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October 8, 2020

Rush City Families,

Today, the Chisago County COVID-19 14-day metric was 21.20. This data represents a two-week period ending on September 26th. Since then daily rates have been consistently high leading us to believe our 14-day metric will stay above 20 in the coming weeks. Because of this we will be implementing Scenario 3 beginning tomorrow, Friday, October 9th.

In Scenario 3, CE Jacobson will implement their Hybrid Learning Plan. This means students in the Blue Group will attend on Mondays and Tuesdays and those in the Gold Group will attend on Thursdays and Fridays. Wednesdays will remain Distance Learning days for all students. Moving to the hybrid model does not affect preschool. Childcare will only be available for children of Tier 1 workers. This childcare program will be at CE Jacobson; an email with more details will be sent to registered families yet today. Please refer to the [K-12 Reopening Schools Plan](#) on our district website for more details regarding Scenario 3. If you have questions after reviewing the plan, please contact your child's school office.

All CE Jacobson students were reminded at the end of the day today what color groups they are in. Tomorrow, the Gold Group will attend. CE Jacobson teachers will be working with those students to reinforce instructional plans and technology processes. Next week, due to MEA break the Blue Group will attend Monday and Tuesday, Wednesday will be Distance Learning for all students, and there is no school Thursday and Friday.

Thank you for taking time to complete the Distance Learning surveys that were sent out recently. Feedback from the surveys has allowed us to identify areas of strength, areas we could improve, and families who needed support. Thank you for your continued understanding and support as we navigate these challenges together.

Have a good evening,

Brent Stavig  
Interim Superintendent