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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I hope that you have had a safe week as the pandemic continues to grow in our area and across the nation. Please know that we continue here at Holy Name School to provide a safe and healthy environment for our students and staff. Unfortunately, we have had a few positive cases in our community and anyone affected has been following all of the prescribed rules concerning quarantine, testing, etc. As we move through this time, as long as we all continue our great efforts to stay safe, hopefully we will be spared from many more cases! Thank you for all of your cooperation and understanding.

**REMINDER: In the interest of keeping everyone safe, it is imperative that all parents or guardians wear masks any time that they are on campus, particularly at dismissal when there is a sizeable number of people congregating to pick up their children. Please be conscious of social distancing requirements and keep separated by six feet. Together, we can make a difference in stopping the spread!**

We are continuing with the winter session of MAP testing this week. Progress reports are in the process of being emailed to all families. If you have not received the report by tomorrow, please contact Ms. Chippendale at: [jchippendale@hnsfr.org](mailto:jchippendale@hnsfr.org)

**First Reconciliation** Second grade families who have been preparing to receive First Reconciliation at Holy Name Church are reminded that the rehearsal will take place on Tuesday Jan. 26 at 6:00pm in the church and the Sacrament on Saturday, Jan. 30 at 11:00am in the church. If you have any questions please email [faithformation@holynamEFR.com](mailto:faithformation@holynamEFR.com) or give Ms. Mahoney Pacheco a call at 401-556-9729.

**Please remember that if you traveled out of state, your child MUST quarantine for 14 days upon return. Please see all requirements at:**

**<https://www.mass.gov/info-details/covid-19-travel-order>**

***(Note: If your child is under 10, they may return to school as long as their parent has tested negative. Students must wait for parent's test result before returning to school. The only 2 states that are considered low risk are Hawaii and Vermont.***

**REMOTE LEARNING:** *If you decide that you would like to choose the remote option for your child, please let Mr. Flanagan know as soon as possible. Please note that there is no option of partially remote learning currently at Holy Name School. Due to the importance of tracking student absences for Contact Tracing purposes by the Department of Health in the event of a positive case, we need to know as soon as possible in the morning if your child will be absent due to sickness. Please contact Ms. Chippendale to inform her of the symptoms your child is experiencing.*

**COVID Testing Reminder:** If you have a family member that has been in contact with a person who has tested positive for COVID, and they are waiting for test results, please keep your child home until the test result is received. If your family member tests positive, your child will have to be quarantined according to health department rules for 14 days, regardless of a negative test result for the child. Please let the office or the nurse know if this happens in your household in order for us to maintain accurate records for contact tracing purposes. Thank you for continued cooperation!

Please remember, now more than ever it is so important not to send your child to school if they aren't feeling well. Any symptoms that are typically associated with a cold could also be COVID. PLEASE do not give meds and send them in. We are seeing a surge in allergy type sinus issues that are COVID related. It is very important to remain diligent as we fight this pandemic together.

**School Masks:** *Please remember to regularly wash the colored Holy Name School masks.*

We do have some mask sets left to be purchased if anyone is interested. We know that by now many of the masks are stained, misplaced or just not in great shape. If you would like to purchase a new set of masks, please use the attached link. Once we receive your payment, we will send your masks home. Also, if you have yet to pay for your first set of masks, please use this link to do so at this time. [Click Here to Pay Holy Name School Face Masks](#)

**MASS Update:**

Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, January 20th, with Fr. Jay Maddock for grades 6,7, and 8. Unfortunately, due to COVID restrictions, we still cannot have families and friends attend the in-school Mass.

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**Lunch Ordering:**

Reminder: Please look for an email from Mrs. Krauzyk ([mkrauzyk@hnsfr.org](mailto:mkrauzyk@hnsfr.org)) on Tuesday of each week that provides a link for your lunch order and payment.

Lunch Forms are also available on our website <https://www.hnsfr.org/Lunch-Menus>

**Extended Care:**

Reminder: Please email Mrs. Krauzyk or call the office in the morning if you will be using Extended Care. This will allow us to make the necessary safety preparations for all students. Of course, if you need to use Extended Care at the last minute, it is always available.

[Click Here to Pay Holy Name School Extended Care](#)

*Please remember that jackets, hats and gloves are a must since we will be getting the students out into the fresh air as much as possible.*

**Weekly Reflection:**

As we begin a new presidential administration, let us pray for a time of renewal and healing as President Biden and Vice President Harris assume office:

**“Get rid of all bitterness, rage, and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other just as in Christ God forgave you.” Ephesians 4:31-32**

Stay well and God Bless,

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