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Dear PSD Families:

We are asking for your continued support in our efforts to keep our students and staff safe and healthy as we work our way through this ongoing pandemic.

This message and [video from Dr. Cady](#) is a reminder to PSD families that students should not be sent to school if ill or exhibiting symptoms related to Covid-19 (details below). Schools have seen an increase in the number of students being sent to school with one or more symptoms.

When should my student stay home?

Following the CDC guidelines, students should be kept out of school with 1 of the following:

- Persistent Cough*
- Shortness of breath / difficulty breathing*
- New loss of taste or smell*

OR 2 of the following symptoms combined:

- Congestion or runny nose
- Unusual Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Sore throat
- Fever or chills
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Headache

Here is a [link is to the Decision Making visual](#) that follows current guidelines and is used in PSD.

Continued Success by Staying Vigilant - As a School Community, we are seeing data points that indicate decreasing covid spread. It is important and helpful to remember that the recent improvements that have led to all schools being moved to Phase 3 are the result of everyone's vigilance. The safe choices you make have a direct impact on keeping our schools as safe as possible for our students.



Please also reference the ["Stay Safe to Stay Open"](#) link on our website for a more complete listing of safety protocols and guidelines.

Thank you again for your continued support. Please do not hesitate to contact any of our health rooms with any follow up questions.

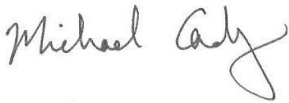
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Yours in education,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michael Cady".

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