

Superintendent's Update

- COVID Update
 - Surge is impacting attendance but has been manageable to date
 - Priority goal for the year remains maintaining in-person learning and minimizing risk to the health and safety of all in attendance
 - Continue w/ MedBot as a first line of defense – works to keep symptomatic people at home
 - Revising questions to reduce number of false flags
 - Reevaluate continued use end of January
 - Set calling hours for nurses
 - Continued layered mitigation
 - Masks, distancing, cleaning, ventilation
 - Reorganization of large group events as needed
- Questions
 - Testing
 - Pool, At-Home PCR, Rapid Test for Students....
 - Test when sick/symptomatic remains the guiding principal
 - Mandating KN95 Masks
- Received and distributed state provided masks/test kits

COVID Numbers

	3-Jan		4-Jan		5-Jan		6-Jan		10-Jan		11-Jan	
	CA	TA	CA	TA	CA	TA	CA	TA	CA	TA	CA	TA
HS	31	75	37	60	43	85	42	137	25	56		
MS	3	45	11	46	11	37	13	39	18	24	24	33
Memorial	31	47	19	32	23	35	21	31	14	21	12	17
Essex	15	28	10	25	13	23	14	21	13	21	14	20
	CA =COVID Related Absence											
	TA =Total Absences											

	Year To Date											
	Student	Staff										
	94	22										
	1/3 - 1/5		1/6 - 1/12		1/13-1/19		1/20-1/26		January			
	Student	Staff	Student	Staff	Student	Staff	Student	Staff	Student	Staff		
Essex Elementary	1	2	5	2					6	4		
Memorial School	5	5	5	1					10	6		
Middle School	5	1	9	1					14	2		
High School	9	3	6	1					15	4	Total	
									45	16	61	