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Dianne Carter: Alright, awesome. I see the numbers going up. That means people are joining us this evening, welcome.

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Dianne Carter: We're gonna give it just a few minutes while the numbers keep going up. And once they slow down and or stop. We'll get rolling here in just a just a few seconds. Just a minute or so.

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Dianne Carter: I hope nobody

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Dianne Carter: Got caught in the rain today. It was fun to listen to and watch

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Dianne Carter: Okay, well, we are we have made it to 6:31 and are our numbers still going up, but we're looking pretty good. So

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Dianne Carter: We will go ahead and get started. I'm going to share my screen with you guys.

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Dianne Carter: Okay.

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Dianne Carter: Good evening ladies and gentlemen. My name is Dianne Carter. I'm the principal at West Ridge for those of you who may have not had a chance to meet yet.

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Dianne Carter: And

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Dianne Carter: Thank you guys for joining us tonight. I'm glad you did. And just so you know if if you know of any neighbors that were

unable to join us. Let them know that we will be recording this webinar.

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Dianne Carter: And it will be posted on the website. And from what I understand, also have an opportunity to email you guys a link so

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Dianne Carter: If your if your friends couldn't make it. Please share. It'll be okay. They'll have another chance to see it.

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Dianne Carter: And so what what we're doing tonight is just, we're going to try to give you guys a little bit better idea of what in the world to expect as we as we do embark upon this time on September 8 where we get to bring some kiddos into our building.

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Dianne Carter: So we want to be sure, y'all feel good about what we have in place to take good care of your kids and also to take good care of our staff.

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Dianne Carter: Whoops.

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Dianne Carter: There we go. I just here's here's West Ridge, yes it's still there, even if you haven't been here in a while. Don't worry, and also for those of you who really truly haven't been to the school this this pathway right here, leads to the front door. So that's where you'll be coming in.

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Dianne Carter: On Tuesday, if you're a part of that 25%

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Dianne Carter: So here at West Ridge. We do have three administrators. My name is Dianne Carter. I'm the principal

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Dianne Carter: This evening. You'll also be hearing from Erika Bacon,

one of our assistant principals and also

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Dianne Carter: Chaundy Satterwhite our other assistant principal and each of them will introduce themselves as they join in the conversation, but just wanted to also go ahead and say thank you to our parents and kiddos who provided this sign

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Dianne Carter: It was on the wall, as we all came in on Monday of this week, and it was absolutely wonderful to see so so thank you. Also with us tonight, just so you know.

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Dianne Carter: You'll also hear a little bit from Jeremy Donaldson. He's our girls athletic coordinator and also one of our PE teacher so he'll be sharing some about

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Dianne Carter: PE and athletics, and then Jennifer Trombley is our new nurse here at West Ridge we are lucky to have her. I know she's been working hard all summer long to help us get get

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Dianne Carter: Get ready.

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Dianne Carter: And then also we have Alana Tate, she is our head band director and if you guys have any questions about fine arts. She'll be fielding those and then in the background. We have Dr. Jeff Arnett will be helping us out with our Q & A thank you Dr Arnett

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Dianne Carter: You guys have probably gotten used to seeing him and various webinars and then Jeremy Trimble is also with us in case you guys ask any questions that that might be in the operations world. The that we need a little help with that he might be able to answer best so

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Dianne Carter: We will get rolling. This is just to kind of give you an idea of some of the things that will be talking about

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Dianne Carter: As as an administrative team. We sat down and asked ourselves the question, what, what do you think people would like to know about.

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Dianne Carter: What do you think would would be good to communicate proactively so that

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Dianne Carter: As the, the more you as parents know what to expect. And the more your, your kids know what to expect, the more seamlessly. We can we can do things and as normal away as possible, even though there's not a whole lot normal about this. So these are some of the things will be going through

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Dianne Carter: I will, I will kick things off with before you even come to school.

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Dianne Carter: When, when your Wildcat rolls out of bed.

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Dianne Carter: We do ask the that each family do think about these symptoms and do a self screening

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Dianne Carter: We're not going to have some there are apps that exists. There's all kinds of different

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Dianne Carter: Tools that exist to do this self screening, we're not necessarily using a tool. Instead, we are genuinely leaning on you and and trusting every kid every family and every staff member

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Dianne Carter: To, to think about these symptoms and and to to self screen themselves if your child is sick. Please do not send them to school. If your child shows one of these symptoms. Please do not send

them to school.

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Dianne Carter: You see that there's several of these bullets. I'm not just going to read them to you. Always feel weird reading PowerPoints to people.

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Dianne Carter: But I do want to point out, you see several of them start with the word new and I'm sure our nurse, Mrs Trombley will we'll talk about some of this a little bit more later, but the the word new is important because

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Dianne Carter: You know there's there's lots of things that

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Dianne Carter: There's lots of reasons, somebody might have a cough. There's lots of reasons, somebody might have a headache.

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Dianne Carter: But it's the, the new is the key. If, if any, if any of your kids are have allergies or asthma or whatever, for example, I'll actually speak for myself.

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Dianne Carter: I I wake up every morning with, with a slight little, little weeze this probably more than you wanted to know, but I do. I wake up in the morning with a slight little weeze and as I get moving and start to

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Dianne Carter: walk the dogs, etc. That goes away, so there's there's no need for me to worry about that little ways. However, if I wake up in the morning and

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Dianne Carter: There is something different than my baseline. That's when I need to really pay attention and realize that I needed to stay home. So hopefully that helps

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Dianne Carter: And let's see here. What's next, what to bring

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Dianne Carter: So there are several things that are going to be key here.

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Dianne Carter: First of all, bring your, your wildcat should bring a backpack, we will not have lockers this year to decrease the number of surfaces touched, and also to decrease congregating in the halls. So they do need a backpack.

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Dianne Carter: Lunch and we'd love for our kids to bring their lunch. That'll just make their lunchtime that much more simple.

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Dianne Carter: We do need for them to come with their iPad charged

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Dianne Carter: earbuds is the next thing, and then you see in parentheses, with a mic if you have them.

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Dianne Carter: Are kids who are in person. If any of them have a teacher who is remote, then they will be, they will receive an email tomorrow, letting them know where they need to go.

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Dianne Carter: For those classes where they might have a teacher that's remote their teachers will email them tomorrow to fill them in and tell them where to go. And when they go there, it'll be best if they have some earbuds

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Dianne Carter: And that's just because we're going to have potentially more than one kid and one space that are in different classes. So they definitely need your bud so that they can hear what's going on and they need that mic so that they can participate in their class.

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Dianne Carter: If if getting those is a problem, please reach out to us and let us know, preferably reach out to your child's counselor and let us know and we can, we will definitely figure out how to help you.

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Dianne Carter: Also, please have them bring a water bottle, we do not, the water fountains, the actual spigot part is blocked off so you can't drink out of the water fountain, but the touchless

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Dianne Carter: bottle filler part is is operational so your, your child can fill up their water, water bottle throughout the day.

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Dianne Carter: Smart tags are going to be a lot more important this year than they have been in the past.

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Dianne Carter: The they're going to be critical for both riding the bus and also

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Dianne Carter: For lunch time. for lunch. There'll be no keypad for them to punch in and you'll hear that again later. But they'll just scan their smart tag to pay for their lunch.

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Dianne Carter: And then I'll then the usual notebook pencils. Last but not least, mask and I'm actually going to move on to this slide for the masks.

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Dianne Carter: Every everyone will will wear a mask. There will be very, very few exceptions to that. Obviously you can't wear a mask while you're eating.

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Dianne Carter: Occasionally, particularly in band. I was talking with Mrs Tate today and in band. Occasionally, she may have her mask on and then move it a little so that she can show kids the correct embouchure. And then move it right back.

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Dianne Carter: But other than that everybody needs to have a mask if if your child does have some sort of medical condition that makes this difficult, then please do communicate with our nurse, so that we can figure out how to how to navigate that. And the best way for your child.

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Dianne Carter: You can see here several examples of acceptable masks.

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Dianne Carter: Cloth mask.

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Dianne Carter: And I'm sorry, again, I feel weird reading to you, but you can see those examples there. And also please do know we've got a lot of questions about the buffs the gaitors. I've heard them called a variety of things. But those

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Dianne Carter: Those are not approved except for if your kiddo is in athletics or PE and active outside. Other than that, we need to stay away from the, from the buffs or the gaitors because they're, they're just they're just too thin to really be acceptable so

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Dianne Carter: Even if that is the case, if they do have a buffer a gaitor to were outside then they're actually going to be asked to double it over so it's at least two ply

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Dianne Carter: But please do know and realize that we do expect every everyone to wear a mask. You can see I'm in my office right now and I don't have a mask on. That's because I'm in my office alone with the doors closed.

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Dianne Carter: That's, that's about the only time. That's okay.

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Dianne Carter: All right, moving on. So,

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Dianne Carter: Let's talk a little bit about arrival

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Dianne Carter: We'll talk

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Dianne Carter: In the morning, are our doors will open at 8:15

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Dianne Carter: And I know that I know that that sort of cutting it close to 8:35 I know that some of you have

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Dianne Carter: Have obligations that that mean that it's going to be a challenge to not drop your child off until 8:15 but we're going to ask that you please, please, please do everything you can to make that possible.

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Dianne Carter: We simply don't have the ability to to supervise your, your children before 8:15

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Dianne Carter: So please, please, please do what you can to make that drop off time possible.

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Dianne Carter: Just so you know buses will start arriving at around 8:20 they'll arrive between 8:20 and 8:30ish

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Dianne Carter: So you'll, you'll need to drop your kids off and I'll show you a picture and just a second of where the the car line is versus the bus lane and you'll drop your kids off between 8:15 and 8:35

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Dianne Carter: Students will come in through that front door that I showed earlier, and I'll show you again on an aerial view and just a second.

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Dianne Carter: Athletes coming in for practice may may enter through that a little side door into the gym when come when, kids come in, they're going to need to go directly to their first class of the day.

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Dianne Carter: Unless they're going to eat breakfast. If you give plans on eating breakfast and they can go to the cafeteria and eat breakfast, but other than that they need to go straight to their first class.

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Dianne Carter: One more time, there will be no lockers this year. So there's no locker to go to. They'll just simply go to that first class so that we can start the day off in an organized social distancing way.

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Dianne Carter: Now you can see from this aerial view this over here is the car line over on this side. So if you drop your kid off in the morning.

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Dianne Carter: Then you would want to come over here. When you approach from scenic bluff, you can y off to the right here.

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Dianne Carter: To come over and drop them off and then they'll just go in through the front door, our buses actually go go straight or the left hand part of the y over here and the bus lane goes through here.

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Dianne Carter: This is obviously a parking area for staff and visitors. So, so, if you will, if you're dropping them off in the morning you'll drop them off right over here, and the buses will be going through there.

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Dianne Carter: Let's see, let me see if I forgot anything

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Dianne Carter: Alright, I think I'm in business. So now I'm going to actually hand it off to Mrs Bacon.

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Erika Bacon: Thank you, Mrs Carter. My name is Erika bacon, and I am one of the assistant principals here at West Ridge and we both work with all students, but I am officially assigned to sixth graders.

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Erika Bacon: With last name starting A through L and all of eighth grade. So I look forward to working with those students this year.

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Erika Bacon: I'm going to talk about the next couple of topics, starting with the front office and our front office procedures will be quite different this year.

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Erika Bacon: We are used to welcoming you and chatting with you in the front office while you wait to pick up your child. And unfortunately, we are not going to be able to welcome visitors into the building this year.

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Erika Bacon: And we will have procedures to pick up your child. We ask that you please call or email ahead of time with the time of the pickup. So if your

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Erika Bacon: Appointment is at one o'clock and you need to pick your child up at 12:30. If you will please let us know in advance, either through phone or email.

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Erika Bacon: And then when you arrive to pick up your child and you will either buzz the front office and we can't let you in. But we can let your child out at that time. Or you can even call from

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Erika Bacon: Outside, we are working to develop a contact list form for you to sign out your child so that we minimize the the touching of surfaces.

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Erika Bacon: And if you have to, if you need to request an appointment with office staff who used to be able, again, to welcome you

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Erika Bacon: And you could drop by. And if we were available. We can visit in person. We won't be able to do that again this year and we ask that you call ahead to make an appointment and as much as possible we will be having those meetings via zoom or video conference to minimize exposure.

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Erika Bacon: We ask this year that you do not drop off supplies, we will not be able to accept supplies, whether it be school supplies or lunch or clothing.

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Erika Bacon: We won't be able to accept those drop offs. This year, so please make sure that each morning as you prepare for the day that your child is prepared with all of his or her supplies.

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Erika Bacon: And and as usual. As always, we will ask that you contact the front office W RMS attendance email for any absences that your student might have. And that is true whether your, your student is in person or remote and and maybe absent from class.

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Erika Bacon: If we can move on to the next slide.

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Erika Bacon: So passing periods are going to look different, as well. We do have, as you can see from the illustration. We have reminders.

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Erika Bacon: For students to stay on the right, you know, we have always asked that they stay on the right hand side, but that is

difficult to remember as you're socializing and passing your friends in the hallway.

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Erika Bacon: So even more important this year than in the past to ask that they stay on the right.

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Erika Bacon: We are, we are going to ask that they not gather and visit and the hallway, which again will be difficult. So we asked your support in reminding your student

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Erika Bacon: That they are to keep moving. During passing periods and the passing periods will be longer, so that teachers have an opportunity to sanitize their classroom.

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Erika Bacon: And we'll be talking about classrooms. Next, as well. And in the hallways. We do ask that they social distance as much as possible. Again, that is difficult for teenagers, but we will ask them to be respectful of that and we will be reminding them.

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Erika Bacon: So classrooms. You can see the illustration here that shows you

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Erika Bacon: How if the classroom stays full of desks. It will only certain desk will be utilized. Some teachers have chosen to remove some desks.

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Erika Bacon: So that there are fewer desks in the classroom so that we can socially distance as much as possible.

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Erika Bacon: As students, as more and more students come to the building. We will be, you know, have a classroom full of desks and space them out as much as possible during that in that classroom.

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Erika Bacon: They will wear wear masks at all times in the classroom and all times throughout the building, except when eating lunch.

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Erika Bacon: They will keep their backpacks at their seat so again remind you that that would they will not have locker. So that will keep their backpacks at at their seat, we will not be using cubbies or lockers

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Erika Bacon: And they will not be sharing supplies. So again, a reminder to make sure that your student has their supplies, their school supplies, their iPad fully charged and whatever they may need during the school day.

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Erika Bacon: They will have assigned seats and they will be in the same assigned seat each day so that we, we know who they're sitting next to. And we know who they are. Maybe in contact with should there be any exposure to covid

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Erika Bacon: Teachers, as you see in the picture, they will have sanitizing stations, so that longer passing period allows teachers to sanitize their classroom wipe down any high touch areas, desks, pencil sharpeners

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Erika Bacon: door handles things like that and they will have integrate their classrooms both students in person.

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Erika Bacon: And in the classroom with them and they will also be teaching remotely. So we, I just want to thank teachers for their preparation in doing that and and thank our educational partners for supporting them and being able to do that.

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Erika Bacon: And lastly, our custodians will disinfect every single day throughout the day and every evening. That's classrooms, restrooms, common areas and any high touch surfaces so that we do keep our students safe. And so I want to thank the custodial staff as well.

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Erika Bacon: And as you all have seen during remote learning. We have instituted no new instruction days and and it started as a way to minimize screen time

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Erika Bacon: And so we will be continuing in new instruction days as students begin to come in person.

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Erika Bacon: So they will go to that class for that class period and they will stay in that classroom during the class period.

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Erika Bacon: It is an opportunity for them to get one on one instruction or tutoring with a teacher of the class.

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Erika Bacon: They can also use that time, just as they did while they were remote, they can use it to catch up.

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Erika Bacon: And student teacher conferences independent reading and things of that nature and the schedule is here on the screen where you can be reminded of what days of the week are for which subject area.

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Erika Bacon: And with that, I will pass the virtual microphone on to Mrs Satterwhite

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Chaundy Satterwhite: All right. Thank you. Mrs Bacon.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: My name is Chaundy Satterwhite and I am one of the other assistant principals I oversee sixth graders. Well, and my alpha is M - Z. And I also oversee seventh graders.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: I'm going to go over a little bit of the expectations of when you have to go to the restroom, along with some other things as well. But as you can see

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Chaundy Satterwhite: In here in the PowerPoint that we have designated certain areas that are applicable for you to use. And that are not applicable for you to use.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: So for example, when you do go into the bathroom, you'll see that there's tape on certain stalls and those stalls are locked. And so again, that is to make sure that social distancing is happening and

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Chaundy Satterwhite: The main thing. Also, we want you to remember is that only two students can actually enter the bathroom, one at a time.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And so if two people are already in there. It's important that you do wait outside and that you wait your turn. And then when one comes out of course you can go in. But again, as you can see we have put

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Tape in regards to on the sinks, as well as the stalls in addition to asking you to maintain social distancing. We want you to wash your hands as well.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: What's important that you do that. We're not asking you to sing the Happy Birthday song, but we are asking you to really do a thorough wash on your hands. And again, that's to for your safety.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: As you notice the restrooms will be disinfected throughout the day.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And so that is something that every now and then

when you probably do go to the bathroom, you may see the custodians in there, cleaning it but if you give them a few minutes, they'll come on out. But the advantage, you'll have is that, you know, the bathroom will be disinfected

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Okay lunchtime. The most best time of the day, we have a short little video to kind of demonstrate to you what lunch will look like.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: It will actually look a little different than our normal, but at the same time. Yes, you will be able to sit with your friends, but it'd be a little different than your normal and so Mrs Carter is going to show you what that video kind of look like a little demonstration of what we did for you.

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Dianne Carter: Wonderful awesome table.

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Dianne Carter: For y'all.

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Dianne Carter: To give everything for you.

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Dianne Carter: Know,

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Oh,

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Dianne Carter: Yeah.

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Dianne Carter: There to play. Would you like to drink. Yes, please. Would you like water.

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Dianne Carter: Water, would you like to snack today. No. No. Okay.

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Dianne Carter: Okay.

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Dianne Carter: Great.

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Dianne Carter: Thanks.

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Dianne Carter: In this is weird and different. Right. What is like you're so far away.

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Dianne Carter: But we're saying we are so you're just gonna be okay. And I guess these are our seats for the whole for like every day. Right. Yeah, I was told that we're probably going to have to have assigned seats. That's good. I'm glad I got to sit by you

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Dianne Carter: Well, are you going to eat well I forgot my tray

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Okay. As you can see, we did a little demonstration of what lunch and look like. And as you saw, we had a lot of fun and we expect you all to again.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Have have fun as well. We know lunchtime is a special time for you guys. And we want you all to still be able

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Chaundy Satterwhite: to unwind and be with your friends. However, it is going to look different. And so I'm going to go over a few things that just to give you a little heads up. So again, the students can eat in the cafeteria. And as you all aware, we also have designated areas outside

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Chaundy Satterwhite: That you can eat in as, excuse me, that you can eat your meals as well. Again, there will be designated spots. As you can see in the

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Chaundy Satterwhite: picture to the right. There are dots, where we have to social distance you. And so, unfortunately, it won't be any more than six students to each table.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And yes, you are going to have to have the same seat every day.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And so I know that question probably comes up of, Oh my gosh, what if I want to sit next week with this one. Or I want to sit next week with that one.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Unfortunately, currently, this is the route that we're going to have to go. So it's super important that when you do choose your friends. Make sure you choose that six that you do want to sit at a table with because unfortunately you are going to have to sit at the same seat every day.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: We're asking that you do stay seated as you are in the cafeteria and so it's again it's going to look a little different.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: I will say for our incoming sixth graders. This is something you're probably familiar with, but you'll have to raise your hand and you'll have to let us know that hey you know what

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Chaundy Satterwhite: I need to go back in line. Or you know what I need to get up and I need to go to the restroom.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: We have no problem with you doing that. But

unfortunately, you are going to have to raise your hand. In order for that movement to occur.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And again, the mask are not required while you eat. However, if you get up and you say, Mr. You know, Mrs Satterwhite I'm done eating. I need to go to the restroom, or you know what I need to go to the office to

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Pick up something your mask must be worn. The only time we're asking that your mask is not on is is while you're eating.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: We all, excuse me, we all are asking as well that you bring your own water bottle that is more for your protection. The water fountains again will not be open. It's only open for you to have your actual water bottle to refill it.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And as you've come to the cafeteria, you're going to notice different social distancing decals. Some of them may be x's and someone may be circles that has social distancing on there so that way you do know what the six feet.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Distance looks like. And so we're asking that you do stand in those designated spots as you do enter the cafeteria.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: All items will be served by the cafeteria staff, as you saw in that video. Unfortunately, I couldn't touch anything. I couldn't grab my own water bottle.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: I could not go and get my own ice cream. I couldn't even get my own fork and knife.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Unfortunately, you're going to have to just wait to be served, which is actually a good thing because our cafeteria

ladies work really hard.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And again, they're going to work even harder for you this, excuse me, harder for you this year. And so just remember that when you do come into the cafeteria, unfortunately.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Anything that you normally used to grabbing on your own, you'll have to wait for the cafeteria lady to assist you with it.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: As far as your purchases go we're asking that you your parents can go online and add money to your account.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: No cash or checks will be accepted. So again, you're going to have to really utilize your smart tags and make sure that there's money on your account in regards to you, making purchases within the cafeteria.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Microwave. This is another biggie. Most of you that come to school and you do bring your lunch. Most of the time you have access to microwave

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Unfortunately, we will not have microwaves for you to warm up your food. So you might want to go ahead and if you already have containers that keep your food warm or keep your food cold.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: That is something that you definitely want to have on hand because unfortunately we won't be able to

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Chaundy Satterwhite: give you access to microwaves. In fact, they won't even be there.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And the big thing deliveries. A lot of times, you know, it may be a Thursday or Friday and your mom or your dad wants to bring you a special treat. And may it may be

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Chaundy Satterwhite: chick fil a and maybe dominoes, I don't know, but unfortunately we cannot accept deliveries. And so it's important that

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Parents that you understand that we understand that, you know, we want them to continue to make your child feel special, but unfortunately

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Chaundy Satterwhite: We will not be able to accept deliveries from from you are from you on the outside. And again, as far as parent drop off. That is also the same thing as well as unfortunately won't be able to take

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Chaundy Satterwhite: anything's for drop off. Picnic packs are provided. And so within the cafeteria and you'll be able to have access to those

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Chaundy Satterwhite: And the good news is chick fil a is still here. So if you were wondering if chick fil a went away. It has not, we will still have chick fil a as far as pizzas go our cafeteria will be making our own homemade pizza. So just giving you a heads up on that.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: All right, I will be handing it off to our awesome new nurse. Okay, Mrs Trombly. It's all yours.

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Jennifer Trombly: All right. Thank you. Mrs Saterwhite. I'm still chuckling from the lunch video that was cute.

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Jennifer Trombly: Hi everyone, my name is Jennifer Trombly and I'm the new nurse at West Ridge this year, very excited to be here. My

nursing experience has included

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Jennifer Trombley: med surge oncology, work in the emergency department. I've worked in psychiatric departments and school nursing and that this is what I love, I love being a school nurse and I cannot wait to meet all of your kids in person.

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Jennifer Trombley: So I'm going to highlight some of the changes this year there's they're all outlined in great detail on the website. But I'm going to highlight the the big ones. I think it'll be helpful for you.

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Jennifer Trombley: So minor first Aid will be administered in the classroom. What we're trying to do this year is to limit the amount of students that are accessing the clinic, the same time just to limit contacts.

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Jennifer Trombley: They're still going to get the same great care. This year, you still have a registered nurse on campus, Monday through Friday eight to four. So I'm here.

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Jennifer Trombley: On the campus well clinic will continue to provide the specialized healthcare services for medication administration's

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Jennifer Trombley: Any injuries. Any non contagious health care needs or any of the students that have more specialized needs to see the nurse. What's new this year is the sick clinic.

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Jennifer Trombley: So this is a new isolation room and this is going to be used for students that are having some covid symptoms and that way they can be isolated from other students and staff and they will wait there in the isolation room or the sick room

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Jennifer Trombley: They will be monitored by myself in no way there

until pick up and we'll go over on the next slide about what the symptoms are

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Jennifer Trombley: That Dianne already touched upon. But although in a little more detail.

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Jennifer Trombley: So, it

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Jennifer Trombley: So like Dianne mentioned earlier, a lot of these are not very scary. They're sort of normal symptoms and what is important is if these are a new symptom for you.

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Jennifer Trombley: But we do need to take it very seriously. So any student that comes into the clinic that has any of these symptoms in that are new. I will isolate them into the isolation room for everyone's safety, contacts parent and you will be expected to pick them up.

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Jennifer Trombley: Ideally within the hour, I'll go in the next few slides about what we will do during the isolation time but once they're sent home, they will be isolating for 10 days.

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Jennifer Trombley: And we can go on to the next slide there. We have been working very hard all summer. And I think the Eanes and West Ridge is just doing an amazing job to keep people safe.

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Jennifer Trombley: We've mentioned the masks. I won't go into that any further. Really, it's so important to screen your student your child before they come to school.

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Jennifer Trombley: And keep them at home if they're having any of those symptoms if they're having a pending Cover test also keep them at home.

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Jennifer Trombly: Or if they had to have a lab confirmed covid test do keep them at home place and contact a school if your child is home with covid symptoms.

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Jennifer Trombly: So if your child wakes up and they're not feeling well and you send a message to us that they're sick.

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Jennifer Trombly: You can expect a follow up phone call from myself just just to find out what's going on. If these are covid symptoms or if they're not. And if they are, I will

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Jennifer Trombly: Ask that they stay home for 10 days and then students will be screened prior to entering the health clinic I only everyone out in the hallway and do a simple screening

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Jennifer Trombly: Check their temperature before they do come into the wealth clinic I really do want to keep that area as safe as we can for all of our students.

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Jennifer Trombly: Some type of little just briefly touch upon isolation and quarantine. Sometimes these words are used.

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Jennifer Trombly: In the other different the isolation is very different than quarantine. So I just want to explain this a little bit.

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Jennifer Trombly: So if someone has a covid symptom or positive test, they do go into isolation and what isolation is is separating the infected or potentially infected individual

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Jennifer Trombly: From the non non infected ones. So the 10 days is the infectious period.

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Jennifer Trombly: So a student can discontinue isolation in return to school with all three of these return to school criteria are met and all free do have to be met.

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Jennifer Trombly: So they need to be fever free for at least 24 hours before returning to school respiratory symptoms if they were having those needs to be improved and it has to be 10 days since the first symptoms appeared

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Jennifer Trombly: And we do have handouts and letters to give out to parents when students are sent home that explain it and give a very clear date of when they can return

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Jennifer Trombly: If there is a way to come back before the 10 days so they need to either have a negative covid test submitted to to me.

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Jennifer Trombly: Or a note from a health care provider with an alternate diagnosis notes for parents are not accepted.

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Jennifer Trombly: An example of this would be a student came in with a sore throat. And that really is a symptom of covid, but

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Jennifer Trombly: Maybe parent takes the child to the doctor and they get struck testaments positive and the doctor says they have strep. They don't have Covid. They can return to school, then they can come back before the 10 days.

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Jennifer Trombly: In quarantine so quarantine to a little different quarantines a bit longer because of the incubation period of covid virus so close contacts have a confirmed case of covid 19

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Jennifer Trombley: Is defined as somebody who has been within six feet of someone with a positive test for more than 15 minutes or if they've been directly exposed to secretion, such as being cough directly on

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Jennifer Trombley: close contacts must go home and self quarantine for 14 days students in isolation and quarantine can switch to remote learning as long as they're feeling up for it.

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Jennifer Trombley: You want to participate students in quarantine may not return to school or participate in extracurricular activities at school before the end of the 14 day incubation period.

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Jennifer Trombley: And students may not return earlier. The 14 days based on a negative test you can return with a negative covid test. If you're an isolation for the 10 days, but you cannot with the quarantine for the 14 that can be a little confusing.

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Jennifer Trombley: And yeah, I know there are some changes. I know some of what we have to do is inconvenient. But it's really for the greater good, and I do appreciate everyone's help with this.

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Jennifer Trombley: Like I mentioned, there is a link on the website that does have the 19 page document that we created.

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Jennifer Trombley: For the health services return to school. So look that up if you would like some more information on that or contact me directly. I'm happy to answer any questions and I'll hand it off to pe and athletics.

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Coach Donalson: I. Thanks, Jennifer and I won't ignore the fact that I think you forgot my name, but

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Coach Donalson: Um, anyway, so I am Jeremy Donaldson and the girls I play coordinator at West Ridge Middle School. This is my third year

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Coach Donalson: And it's funny how the second year. You think you got it like now like all the routines and stuff. And then third year comes

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Coach Donalson: Yeah, it's going to change a little bit. So I'm looking at athletics is here. First of all, let me explain the difference between athletics and PE

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Coach Donalson: PE is just within the school. athletics is if you have a son or daughter that is in first period athletics.

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Coach Donalson: Then this is who I'm talking to, if they're an eighth grader in eighth period athletics. These are the ones I'm talking to

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Coach Donalson: PE is sixth grade and then something a therapist can choose that as an elective instead of athletics and that would be throughout the day.

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Coach Donalson: Athletics is governed by the UIL as well. So we have some rules that we have to follow with that as well. And so we want to let you know what those are, first and foremost,

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Coach Donalson: Physical and rank one forms. So for this year. One of the unique aspects to this year is that

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Coach Donalson: UIL will now allow eighth graders that were at West Ridge last year in athletics as a seventh grader if they have their physical on file from last year, we can use that physical

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Coach Donalson: However, if you are either new to West Ridge or bottom line. This is your first year doing athletics at West Ridge

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Coach Donalson: We will need a current physical from this year and and you will not be able to participate in athletics, unless you have that in. So I'm saying this expressing it. I know.

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Coach Donalson: On the girls side for volleyball. We went through today and found the girls that were trying out for volleyball that hadn't had their physical turned in yet.

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Coach Donalson: If your son or daughter shows up the first day to participate in athletics and they do not have a physical on file, they will not be able to participate. So

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Coach Donalson: Really want to stress that I think on the girls side. At least I've gotten several emails from me about that. And I know the boys side coach Spaberry cute so important as well.

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Coach Donalson: So with that, we're going to add covid rank one forms that your child is going to have to do every day. And I talked to the offseason girls today about it.

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Coach Donalson: We went through it, they can do it either on their phone, they can do it on their iPad on their computer and we have a link on our Google Classroom. I know, volleyball, did the same thing today and I know that

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Coach Donalson: Coach Spraberry has talked to the boys as well about this. So it needs to be done, the day of practice. So anytime your son or daughter.

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Coach Donalson: Goes to participate in practice or a game in athletics and they will need to fill this out to be able to participate even team meetings. Anytime there's a gathering of that group of athletes.

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Coach Donalson: They will need to complete this and this is both for offseason and those are in football, volleyball and cross country right now.

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Coach Donalson: And so I your sons and daughters should have that information. I would advise that they do it first thing when they wake up every morning because it takes about an hour to input to show up.

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Coach Donalson: And that they did it on our screen. And again, they will not be able to participate, unless they do that. And so they need to fill out that form online and turn it in.

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Coach Donalson: Temperature check. We're going to have touchless thermometers that we're going to swipe over their head to get temperatures before they come in. So those are two things we're going to have to check every single day.

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Coach Donalson: For volleyball, cross country, football and offseason and then going into basketball later and so forth. And so those are some changes that we need to be aware of.

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Coach Donalson: Remote learned since we're gonna have those that are remote and then those that are actually in person at school during the actual school day.

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Coach Donalson: And so like first period, your seventh grade daughter or son that first period only those students who are in person.

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Coach Donalson: Are going to be able to practice at that time. So if your son or daughter is remote

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Coach Donalson: As a seventh grader and they want to participate in a

sport and then that sports going to be outside of school hours. So because of that, I know on volleyball side.

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Coach Donalson: They've changed their hours to move it 30 minutes earlier. So now practices are seven to 8:30 whereas they used to be 7:30 to the in the first period. So just so you know that

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Coach Donalson: That your son or daughter again, if they are trying out for a sport, they still will be able to get a full hour and a half practice. We just have to make that outside the school day.

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Coach Donalson: As of now, we're not going to issue lockers

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Coach Donalson: If your son or daughter is going to be in person on Tuesday, and they have an issue with storing their bag had them come and talk to us and we could definitely work something out.

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Coach Donalson: But it's definitely we're definitely not going to hand out lockers to kids who are remote at this time. And so you're they'll need to take their equipment home with them every day.

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Coach Donalson: Transportation as well. I know I've emailed on the girls side about this and we will have buses available. However, we are highly, highly, highly, highly, highly recommending that you drive your son or daughter to their games. The reason is this

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Coach Donalson: Technically, what we're supposed to do is as coaches, we need to make sure all the windows and the bus or down.

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Coach Donalson: Kids are wearing masks and the drivers wearing a mask as well. And so these are things that we'd like to avoid if possible.

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Coach Donalson: But again, if you need a way for us to transport your son or daughter to that game, we will have something available. But again, we just highly recommend it will have forms for you to fill out for every game and you just need to turn in those forms to us.

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Coach Donalson: To show us that to document that you are going to take your son or daughter to the game.

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Coach Donalson: So that's transportation. Cleaning. We're going to be constantly cleaning locker rooms, like I said, and that's why we're kind of shutting them down for now.

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Coach Donalson: Just because we want to get bearing on everything because the main things we want, of course, we want to keep your kids safe.

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Coach Donalson: We always want really want to be efficient as well. And so once we get these safety measures like down, then we can add some other things that might be able to

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Coach Donalson: To benefit your child as well like lockers and stuff like that. But for now we want to keep it simple and just so that we make sure and give your child as much of our time as possible.

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Coach Donalson: When we're coaching them. And then, of course, bring your water bottles. I know you've heard this several times.

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Coach Donalson: But this, especially in athletics, they're going to be working hard and they will need to bring a Warhol a refillable water bottle.

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Coach Donalson: I'd say, preferably you know as big as possible and the mask. We're going to have to mask up all the time. I know I've been asked a question about cross country being outside and you cross

country if your child is participating in cross country, they will need to show up with the mask.

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Coach Donalson: Once coach Rodriguez is able to have them run in a way that they will be six feet apart, then they may put their masks aside.

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Coach Donalson: So that is the caveat. But bottom line is the coach will direct them as to when and where they can take the mask off.

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Coach Donalson: But they just need to be prepared to wear their mask. Bottom line, and moving on to the next slide for PE. Alright, so this is physical education. Again, this is different from athletics.

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Coach Donalson: So physical education is all sixth graders and then seventh and eighth graders who are not doing athletics and decided to do PE instead I'm

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Coach Donalson: Saying they were not, we're going to start out with no lockers, and I know we've talked about PE uniform pick up and athletic uniform pick up

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Coach Donalson: Unfortunately, that was canceled tonight at the last second, just due to weather and so they will have a date where they will reschedule that and I'll get that out to you as soon as possible. I apologize for any inconvenience on that.

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Coach Donalson: As of the first week. Don't worry about uniforms. Again, we're trying to keep things as simple as possible. Get your kid as active as possible.

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Coach Donalson: And then we will add that when we feel like it's the appropriate time to do that. So get that uniform, for sure.

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Coach Donalson: But just don't stress about, don't worry about it for at least that first week and then we will communicate with your son or daughter when it's time for them to start bringing it up and dressing out

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Coach Donalson: When it's rational meaning when it's under a certain degrees. I would say a temperature, but we all know the humanity is really the killer and

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Coach Donalson: When it's rational. We will go outside. So we want to get outside. I mean, vitamin D is good for your son and daughter.

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Coach Donalson: Getting outside as much as possible is a great thing, especially during the day being around on

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Coach Donalson: iPads all day. And so we want to do that as much as possible. But again, we're going to be rational with that.

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Coach Donalson: On those hot days and of course your if your son or daughter has, you know, one o'clock, two o'clock class. It's going to be probably a lot more difficult to get the outside time and then somebody in second period or third period of the day.

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Coach Donalson: And the mask they need to be prepared to wear their mass at all times for that. So, and I'll say like this administrative staff is incredible, like they really rock Mrs. Satterwhite, Mrs Bacon.

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Coach Donalson: Principal Carter have been awesome. And then all of the Eanes districts. I can speak as a teacher and just saying that it's just it's comforting to know that these type of people have our backs.

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Coach Donalson: And we're all really really focused on making this the best experience, we can for your children. So, and that is it. So I'll pass it on. I don't know who I'll pass it on, pass it on to somebody

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Dianne Carter: Thank you coach Donaldson, you're passing that on to me and maybe you forgot my name to, I don't know.

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Dianne Carter: Sorry, I couldn't resist.

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Dianne Carter: So last but not least,

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Dianne Carter: At the end of the day, what in the world will pick up and departure look like we have decided to stagger our release. Just a little bit.

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Dianne Carter: So that we can you know basically decrease the number of kids in the hallway, at one time, so at 3:50 at the official end of the last period of the day we'll first release our bus riders so that they can get out and find their bus.

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Dianne Carter: Then every two minutes will release a grade level will give the our eighth graders, a little privilege there let them out first and then seventh and then six

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Dianne Carter: And our, our hope is that this staggering will like I said decrease the number of kids in the hallway at one time. And also please

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Dianne Carter: Please do. Remind your Wildcat that they need to go straight to either the bus or the car, we need to go home and get out of the building and keep moving, no congregating, as usual, or as, as we've said multiple times.

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Dianne Carter: And get it. There we go. And just to just to refresh your memory. One more time, when you're coming to pick your child up. Here's the car line over on this side and then our buses will be coming down the bus lane. So please do.

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Dianne Carter: Do not go down the bus lane. They need to be all backed up right there, back to back. So our kids can get on efficiently and we we really appreciate your help in in navigating that

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Dianne Carter: And oh, one thing that I realized as I was listening this evening that we haven't actually said is, those of you who are parents of sixth graders.

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Dianne Carter: That are headed to us on September 8. Don't worry, but we are going to have some things in place to be sure that we help them understand the building know how to get to class and and all of that good stuff.

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Dianne Carter: And do also help your help your kids realize and remember that.

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Dianne Carter: Especially if they're new are are passing periods are initially 10 minutes which will be plenty of time.

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Dianne Carter: For them to to find their next class, even if even if it's a little bit of a challenge and a bunch of us will be out and about to to help them with that. So don't worry, I promise you will take really good care of your kids.

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Dianne Carter: And that's actually the OH.

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Dianne Carter: The end of our presentation, I will say one more time where we are all in this together. Y'all have heard it multiple times,

you get to hear it again, but I will now turn it over to Dr Arnett he's been keeping an eye on our Q & A. So, Dr. Arnett.

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Jeff Arnett: Thanks, Miss Carter. It's great to be with you this evening. And while you have been presenting

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Jeff Arnett: There have been a few questions coming in. Not a lot, really, I think your award winning video probably answered most of the questions that people had. But nonetheless, we've got a

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Jeff Arnett: Handful here that we'd like to try to answer several of you or several of your staff have been working behind the scenes answering some of those in the Q & A

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Jeff Arnett: But we'll ask a few here just for good measure, because some of these probably bear repeating. So here's the first one. Can my eighth grader have a snack mid morning since lunch is at 1pm

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Dianne Carter: Well, oh, Mrs Satterwhite would you hope she disappeared again. Okay.

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Dianne Carter: I, I will say yes.

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Dianne Carter: Absolutely. As long as your eighth grader.

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Dianne Carter: Is conscientious and will dispose of their trash appropriately. Now, absolutely. I totally understand needing a snack. Please do not share snacks and please, you know, along with consuming anything always think of washing your hands, but

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Dianne Carter: You know, as, as long as we do it safely and

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Dianne Carter: In a sanitized way, then we're good. Okay.

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Jeff Arnett: Here's the next question. I'll let you direct this to whichever your panelists you prefer will students be expected to carry their instruments around all day for orchestra.

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Dianne Carter: Yeah, that's a great question. Miss Tate. I'm guessing orchestra band are fairly similar. So you mind taking that one.

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Alanna Tate Kumme: Not at all Mrs Carter. Hi guys, my name is Mrs. Tate

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Alanna Tate Kumme: I'm expecting that our kids will be able to leave their instruments in their specific spots. So, in the very first thing in the morning, they'll come in the building.

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Alanna Tate Kumme: The walk down to the fine arts area drop off their instrument we don't actually have cubbies in any of our areas and have doors. So they really don't need to touch much of anything.

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Alanna Tate Kumme: They can drop it in their slot and then head back to their first period class from there and then we'll store that throughout the day and then they'll pick it up at the end of the day.

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Okay.

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Jeff Arnett: Are students allowed to sit outside and will there be enough seats in the cafeteria for all the students. And I think this is talking obviously about lunch.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: Absolutely. We have several areas where our students can actually sit outside and enjoy their lunch and we have plenty of space in the cafeteria as well, even with our social distancing, we will have plenty of seats available inside as well as outside. Okay.

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Jeff Arnett: Thanks Mrs Satterwhite and maybe somewhat related. How long are the students supposed to stay in the same seat during lunch for the grading period, which would be nine weeks or two weeks until potentially other students are allowed to come in.

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Chaundy Satterwhite: I'm currently we have not put together a rotation in regards to what that will look like. However, we do know that

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Chaundy Satterwhite: As we start off with 25% some more kids will be coming in within the 50% and we don't want to keep kids away from their friends. And so I'm sure we'll put a rotation together so that way the kiddos still get to sit with their friends.

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Jeff Arnett: There's a couple of questions for Miss Trombley I believe because they're related to health and screenings. So if the covid screenings. Do not update for an hour do seventh grade football kids complete the code screening at 5:45am each morning, since they have to arrive at 6:45am

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Jeff Arnett: So glad that to that. Yeah, that'd be athletics and

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Coach Donalson: So from what I heard on about the on rank one that questionnaire. They say it can take up to an hour.

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Coach Donalson: Hopefully, that means that does not mean it will be an hour, but I would just get in the habit. All that to say is that I get in the habit of having my son or daughter right when they wake up if they are seventh

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Coach Donalson: seventh grader cross country that they would go ahead and fill that form out and turn in right then, rather than wait to right when they're going to pull up

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Coach Donalson: So that's, that's just what I hear is, it could take up to an hour. But that's not to say and all that all of them will take an hour. Okay.

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Jeff Arnett: And a lot of interest. Obviously in contact tracing and the quarantining, this will be the last question.

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Jeff Arnett: Mrs Carter and then I'll turn it back over to you.

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Jeff Arnett: The first health protocols that were sent out September one, stated that everyone in a classroom with a symptomatic child would be sent home for 14 days has this protocol changed.

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Jennifer Trombley: I can answer that one. So we are constantly updating our protocol as the recommendations change. So what we're going to do is utilize seating charts teachers input.

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Jennifer Trombley: Interviewing the students, if appropriate, to find out who their close contacts were so that way we might not necessarily have to close down an entire classroom. So we're going to investigate and

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Jennifer Trombley: Do what's best there.

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Jeff Arnett: Okay. Thank you. Great job, answering the questions. Mrs. Carter, I'll turn it back over to you to close things down tonight.

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Dianne Carter: It helps if you're not muted.

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Dianne Carter: So just to just to send you guys off hopefully for a wonderful evening, I want to say one we are excited to see some of your kids next Tuesday. And we are honored that you are going to trust us to take good care of them.

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Dianne Carter: We are also still all of us are learning and adjusting constantly every single day.

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Dianne Carter: We are so thankful for your support and your patience as we do that.

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Dianne Carter: We are also

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Dianne Carter: Constantly leaning on each other and also laughing together as we discover new thing new challenges to figure out, you definitely have to keep laughing. I hope you guys are as well.

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Dianne Carter: And I'm very, very thankful to be where I am. I think that

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Dianne Carter: I don't know. It's been pretty amazing to watch our, our team here at West Ridge and our team here in Eanes work together to navigate this it's a it's pretty crazy. But I've truly been impressed to watch people step up the way that they have

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Dianne Carter: I hope you guys have an absolutely wonderful evening and

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Dianne Carter: We'll see you on Tuesday. Take care.

