

STONINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

40 FIELD STREET · PAWCATUCK, CT 06379
PHONE: (860) 572-0506

FAX: (860) 599-8948



BOARD OF EDUCATION: Frank Todisco, Board Chair; Heidi Simmons, Board Secretary

SUPERINTENDENT
Van W. Riley, Ph.D.

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT
Mary Anne Butler

DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL SERVICES
Allison Van Etten

DIRECTOR OF FINANCE
Gary J. Shettle

January 13, 2021

Dear Families and Staff:

This is an update on the number of positive COVID-19 cases that have been reported to the district since the reopening of schools on Monday, January 4, 2021. The district participated in full distance learning for the week following winter break and as a result none of these cases required in-school contact tracing.

Positive COVID-19 Cases Reported to the Stonington Public Schools As of 1/4/2021

	DMS	WVSS	SMS	SHS
Student/Staff	5 cases	6 cases	5 cases	4 cases

Cases will continue to be monitored on a daily basis within the district and the immediate community. We are regularly consulting with the Connecticut Department of Public Health and Ledge Light Health District. Cases within the community and throughout the state continue to rise. The health and safety of the students and staff will continue to drive decision making with regard to determining the instructional model and maintaining in-person instruction. **While we continue to work under the conditions of an emergency health crisis, please be aware that the instructional model could shift to a full distance model at any time.**

Sincerely,

Dr. Van Riley
Superintendent of Schools