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Dear Seaford Families, Faculty and Staff,

The Governor recently announced that New York State Travel Guidelines will be updated as of April 1<sup>st</sup>, no longer requiring quarantine after domestic travel in the U.S. However, we still lack formal guidance from the NYS Department of Health on how to implement it and these existing travel requirements remain in effect, which still requires quarantining. [Travel Advisory Website](#)

This same link should be updated if the travel guidelines change after April 1<sup>st</sup>. If you are traveling during the break, please check this link regularly for updated information as we are anticipating changes will be made to the guidelines and quarantining will not be mandated.

The guidance is clear that, ***mandatory quarantining remains in effect for international travelers.*** For international travel, after arrival in the U.S., travelers must either quarantine for 7 days with a test 3-5 days after travel, or quarantine for the full 10 days without a test. This requirement applies to all international travelers whether they were tested before boarding, are recovered from a previous COVID infection, or are fully vaccinated.

Regardless of quarantine status, all individuals exposed to COVID-19 or returning from travel must:

- Continue daily symptom monitoring through Day 14;
- Continue strict adherence to all recommended non-pharmaceutical interventions, including hand hygiene and the use of face coverings, through Day 14 (even if fully vaccinated);
- Must immediately self-isolate if any symptoms develop and contact the local public health authority or their healthcare provider to report this change in clinical status and determine if they should seek testing.

As we continue to adapt to a rapidly changing environment, we appreciate your patience. We hope that you all have a restful spring recess and thank you for all you do to help keep our community safe!

Very truly yours,

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