



Friday, December 4, 2020

Hello NES Families:

We are planning to reopen Northfield Elementary School on Monday, December 7 for all classes PK-5. In the event that an additional case is reported in our school community between now and Monday, or anytime in the future, we will reassess our decision to reopen. Please know that this decision is made with the support and guidance of a five member team of experts from the Vermont Department of Health, Superintendent Bollard, Chantelle Safford, CVSU Covid Coordinator, and our devoted NES school nurse, Brenda Gove.

Many thanks to all of the families who have communicated openly with us about their health and travel plans and to those who are quarantining their children to protect our school community. Kudos to all of the students and families for outstanding attendance this week at school remotely - well done! Finally, please join me in extending gratitude to the NES staff members who have worked to improve the virtual learning experience for their students. Please take a moment to email me about your child's virtual learning experience; I really want to know what we did well and what we still need to improve upon.

Please remember to complete the screening questions prior to arrival at school. Bus riders will be required to submit [Tickets to Ride](#) (updated). Students arriving by car are asked to submit the [NES Daily Health Screening Questionnaire](#)

I am so sorry all of this is happening. Thank you for your support and adaptability as we navigate this challenging time. What a fabulous community you are Northfield, stay strong!

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