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(Пожалуйста, задавайте любые вопросы на русском языке Наде Глушку - nglushku@centerusd.org, и она поможет нам ответить на ваши вопросы)

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Dear CJUSD Community,

As a district, we are committed to keeping our Center Joint Unified School District community informed. As we continue through these unique times, we want to ensure that you remain informed. If you have questions or something is needed, please do not hesitate to contact any of our schools or district offices. We are all in this together and are here to help. We will also continue to keep our website updated with the most recent information. (www.centerusd.org)

We thank you again for your continued support and partnership as we move forward during these unprecedented times.

Updates

- 1) As we informed you last week, the CJUSD Board of Trustees approved our students returning to the in-person hybrid model (Plan 2) on January 5, 2021. The families who selected to remain in a full distance learning environment for their students will be able to remain in this model. If you have not already informed your student's school site regarding this selection, please contact your school site with your selection.
- 2) Since our board meeting last week, progress has been made on some of the key items we have been working through. We have reached an agreement with our labor groups about returning to campus on January 5, 2021 to begin in-person instruction. The agreement also included all teaching staff returning to work from campus after the Thanksgiving Break. Furthermore, we are close to finalizing the remaining aspects of our larger agreement with our teachers' association. Additionally, we were able to hire two of the four additional Health Assistants we were seeking. This is great news as we continue to move in a positive direction toward our return.
- 3) As we continue to plan for the upcoming return to in-person learning, one consistent message we have heard from families is the desire for students to keep their current teachers. We too believe that this is most beneficial to our students and are making it a high priority as we review our schedules. Rest assured that we are doing all that we can to keep consistency and structure in place for our students.

- 4) CJUSD, along with other Sacramento County school districts, has partnered with Sacramento County Public Health to provide free surveillance COVID-19 testing to its employees. This is just another way we will be proactively working to ensure the safe return of our students and staff.
- 5) A few weeks ago, we began small specialized cohorts of students returning to campus for some support and instruction. We are continuing to expand these opportunities and appreciate the support our staff and families have provided during this time.
- 6) We have launched a Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) document that can be viewed by [clicking here](#). We plan to continually update this document to ensure you have answers to our most commonly asked questions. Additionally, this link will lead you to many other informative resources. As always, please do not hesitate to contact (call or email) your school office or the Center Joint Unified School District Office with any questions or suggestions. We are here to help you.

Thank you!

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