

Transcript of John Spieser's Video to Milford Families

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Hello Milford Families,

We are so grateful that we were able to have school in person this whole week, thanks to everyone's efforts over Thanksgiving break. Clermont County stayed in the red, and we hope that the data trend continues, so that we can continue to keep our students in our buildings.

I'd like to give a shout out to the Milford schools community - our teachers, students and parents - are doing the difficult work, and doing it really well. Teachers, nurses, secretaries, mental health staff, aides, students, parents, custodians, maintenance, food service, principals, assistant principals - everyone is leaning into the work every day.

The Ohio Department of Health has adopted the CDC's new quarantine guidance. The new guidance shortens the quarantine period for someone who has been exposed to a positive COVID-19 case from 14 days to 10 days, as long as the person who was exposed does not develop symptoms, and/or the quarantine period could end on day 7 after receiving a negative test result. If your student is eligible to return Monday under the new guidelines you will receive a phone call from District Nurse Patty Price. Your student must meet the criteria of being symptom free.

Please continue to assess your kids daily before school and keep them home if they have symptoms, have tested positive, have been quarantined, or are awaiting test results. Please do your part in helping us keep our schools open.

I wanted to invite you to a special event this evening: our drive through luminary display! Luminaries will be lit along the drive between the high school and the junior high. The luminaries represent our elementary Eagle Online students. The event goes from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. I hope you can join us.

This week's student artwork is from Meadowview Elementary. Student's in Ali Green's third through sixth grade art classes have been learning all about Value. Value helps artwork look more realistic and three dimensional, by adding highlights and shadows. In these projects, students focused on drawing and shading techniques, craftsmanship, and learning about various famous artists.

Have a great weekend.