



Windham School District

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Good afternoon,

Today was a successful first day for our teachers and staff! Our staff will return tomorrow for additional training and preparation before students join us on Wednesday. The Superintendent offers the following information on behalf of the Windham School Board:

- **Remote Learning Option:** In accordance with RSA 273-A, the Windham School Board has the authority to decide and direct the manner in which students are taught. As a result, the Windham School District will provide the opportunity of remote (Zoom) access into the classroom if a student has a significant medical and/or life-threatening short-term condition (including, but not limited to, quarantine or isolation for COVID-19). Each student case will need to be presented to the school principal for confirmation. Students will not have the option to remote into the classroom without approval. Students who did not receive approval and are not present in the classroom will be marked absent. Zoom is not an option for daily absences.
- **Safer at Schools Screening (SASS):** The Windham School District will be partnering with ConvenientMD to screen our student population to help eliminate potential COVID-19 infection. This program is optional for staff and students. This testing will be a confidential and free option for any student and staff member. **Below is a link to a quick survey** to better understand the level of interest from our school community. Please complete ONE SURVEY PER CHILD. Please submit your survey by **Friday, September 3.**
 - **Survey link:** <https://forms.gle/sfRmVQfYAeTc36HjZ>
- **COVID-19 Indoor Face Mask Matrix:** The Windham School Board plans to adhere to their Face Mask Matrix when making a decision to implement and/or remove face mask requirements indoors for our students and staff. Face masks will be optional for all students and staff. Safety protocols are subject to change at the Board's discretion.
 - Indoor Face Mask Matrix: <https://bit.ly/3t6MRbB>
- **2021-22 Leadership Changes:** We have had a few additional leadership movements throughout the district since the beginning of the summer. To see the full list of changes, please visit our District News: https://www.windhamsd.org/news/what_s_new/2021-22_leadership_transitions

For more back to school details, please visit our website: https://www.windhamsd.org/news/what_s_new/2021-22_back_to_school_details

Thank you,

Richard Langlois,
Superintendent of Schools