



## **St. Genevieve High School**

December 2, 2022

Dear St. Genevieve High School Families,

This letter is to inform you, we will be switching to remote/virtual learning for next Monday (12/5) and Tuesday (12/6) for *high school students only to ensure a continuity of instruction before the semester concludes.*

This decision has been made for the following reasons:

- We have 7 key instructional individuals out and other teachers who are not feeling well.
- We are already aware of several individuals who will be out and unable to deliver instruction on Monday *if we were in-person.*
- The number of students out today (compared to normal) is tripled.

**As such, to protect the health and well-being of all St. Genevieve community members and to maintain the consistency and quality of instruction for your student, remote (zoom) learning is the best option for these two days so most students who are out receive instruction and most teachers will be able to deliver instruction.**

It is our goal to ensure all students are healthy and well-enough to be able to take in-person finals. Another goal to ensure the continuity of instruction for students right before finals. With the respiratory and viral infections skyrocketing, we are optimistic this will help re-set students and teachers to finish the year strong.

Please be advised the county may issue an indoor mask-mandate next week. We are highly recommending students wear masks over the next two weeks to ensure you have a healthy holiday season.

Please take note of the following items:

### **Books/Learning Materials**

- Students will be instructed to take home all their books today.
- Those that are absent today, should call the main office to make an appointment to pick up their student books either from their desk or lockers. (818.894.6417)

### **Zoom Schedule**

- High School Zoom schedule follows the exact schedule that is posted on the website.
- Zoom Links will be posted on Google Classroom

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### **Zoom Expectations**

- All students are expected to be out of bed and groomed for each zoom session. We recommend a desk/table and a quiet space to learn with earphones if in a shared space. Students are not permitted to zoom in for class lying down in their bed.
- All St. Genevieve rules for behavior are expected.
- A full list of zoom expectations can be found in our handbook online at [www.sgps.org](http://www.sgps.org)

### **Sports/Afterschool Activities**

- Sports practices & afterschool activities will be conducted after 3:30pm on Monday and after 2:00 pm on Tuesday. Students should be in close contact with coaches regarding games as they are subject to the health of both teams.

### **Vaccine/Booster**

- If you have not already, consult with your medical provider about getting your student vaccinated for CoVid and the flu.

We know this is welcome news for some and difficult news for others. Please know great care was taken in making this decision today. We will make an announcement on Tuesday afternoon regarding the return to in-person learning for Wednesday. We will communicate this information through e-mail (constant contact) and through a phone tree message. Additionally, we will post the updated information on the website.

Please help us make sure your students are up and ready to learn Monday morning. They are STILL in school and there are still clear academic and behavioral expectations including the submission of assignments.

As always, the health of the St. Genevieve community and the quality of education your student receives are of the utmost importance to us. Thank you for your support over the next two days. **St. Genevieve Preschool and Elementary School is still in session as they are not facing the same number of teachers out.**

Finally, as we enter this flu season, please remember to make an appointment when visiting someone on campus.

Warm regards,

St. Genevieve Leadership Team