March 25, 2021

Dear Millbrook Families,

Since March of 2020, it has been our goal to safely bring back as many Blazers as possible to full-time, in-person learning. With changing guidance, low viral transmission rates, warmer weather, and vaccinations, we are thrilled to announce that we are ready and able to offer families the option of full-time (5 days a week), in-person learning for their child(ren). Remote learning remains an option for families who do not wish to have their children return to in-person learning.

Full-time, in-person learning will begin:

• April 12th for Elm Drive & Alden Place
• April 19th for MS & HS

Whether our students are in-person or remote, it is important to remember that we are all BLAZERS!

We will be hosting informational sessions for families this Thursday, March 25th

• 6:00 PM for our Spanish-speaking families
• 7:00 PM for our English-speaking families

We ask that you submit questions in advance so that we have time to prepare thorough responses. We will answer as many questions as possible during the sessions. Questions that we are unable to get to during the sessions will be answered and posted on our website. You can find the link to submit questions in the Alert section of our District website.

After the informational sessions, we will launch a formal commitment survey that will require families to commit to either fully remote or full-time, in-person learning for the remainder of the school year. This survey will close on March 29 at 5:00 PM. Your responses will be necessary for us to complete classroom set-up, bus runs, and food distribution planning.

As always, we will remain diligent with our many mitigation measures which include mask-wearing, handwashing, social distancing to the extent possible, daily health screener, disinfecting, cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, monitoring COVID-like symptoms, contact tracing, and surveillance testing.

Please keep in mind that this is an ever-changing situation. The plans outlined above are realistic goals that we are optimistic about being able to achieve. We also know that something unforeseen could occur, causing us to temporarily pivot in a different direction.

This is truly a community effort, and more than ever we need to remember that we are stronger together. We are depending on everyone to keep our community and everyone in it safe and healthy!! #MillbrookStrong!!

Onward!!
Sincerely,
Laura
Your Proud Superintendent of Schools