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November 11, 2020

Dear Parents:

As many of you heard at the Board meeting last evening, Yough Glades has been determined to be experiencing what is considered to be an outbreak of positive COVID 19 cases. First and foremost, I want to assure you that we have been working very hard to identify, and notify any students and staff who are considered to be a close contact of these individuals who have tested positive. All of these individuals have, in fact, been notified based on the information that we currently have. As you probably also know, our county in general is experiencing a rapid increase in positive cases. As such, at the Board of Education meeting last evening, it was determined that all Garrett County Public Schools will move to a “red” schedule effective tomorrow, November 12, 2020. This means that students will once again go to a virtual learning environment.

I know that many of you will have questions about who has been identified. Please understand that we must maintain the confidentiality of these individuals. With that being, said, we also understand your concern for your child. Please feel free to contact the school nurse with specific questions about exposure rules, close contact identification, or if your child is not feeling well. We will make every effort to answer your questions without breaching confidentiality.

On another note, in order to transition to the virtual model again, please have your child log onto their Schoology account tomorrow morning at 8:10 a.m. for more information about the schedule for Thursday and Friday. Schedules for the next few weeks will be sent out by Friday afternoon.

Should you have any questions or concerns about this, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

*Mrs. Gregory*

Mrs. Janet Gregory  
Principal