



SHIPPENSBURG AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dr. Chris Suppo
Superintendent

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SASD Families, Administration and Staff,

I hope this letter finds you well as we quickly approach spring and the last marking period of the school year. With conditions continuing to improve in our region, it is exciting to see many aspects of school life return to normal. While cautiously optimistic, the relaxation of mitigation measures is a welcomed positive sign.

Last Friday, the CDC published updated recommendations that impacts our current Health & Safety Plan. Monday evening, the Board of School Directors voted to remove the masking requirement from District transportation effective Wednesday, March 2nd. Beginning tomorrow, students and drivers will not be required to wear masks on buses.

The administration also recommended eliminating social distancing requirements when students are eating meals. With Board support, each building will coordinate returning cafeterias to pre-pandemic use by Monday, March 7th. This action will eliminate the need for alternate eating areas used to socially distance students. Thank you for your continued support as we implement mitigation efforts consistent with updated CDC guidelines and reflective of positive conditions occurring in our region.

Sincerely,

Dr. Chris Suppo
Superintendent
Shippensburg Area School District