



CEO Update - Nov 9th

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Monday Morning Greetings!

I do hope you enjoyed the glorious autumn weather we've been experiencing. Today we resume our at-school program and look forward to having our students return. For staff and students we will continue doing temperature checks upon entry or curbside but staff no longer need to complete the expanded screening questionnaire utilized when the school was all-remote.

As a COVID update from PDE, Lackawanna County moved from Substantial to Moderate Community Transmission for the week ending November 5th. This reinforces the daily data we are tracking. As noted earlier, HGMICS's decision whether to go all-remote or to offer in-school learning considers the local environment and how we, as a School, are doing with regards to our safety/health protocols, number of cases or in-class transmission. Your diligence and ongoing communication has provided a safe environment for our students and many, many parents acknowledge and appreciate our efforts.

Therefore, it is imperative that we continue to enforce, facial coverings, distancing, and handwashing, handwashing, handwashing! Additionally our Symptom Check procedure should be used if staff or students experience any of the COVID symptoms.

Have a great week that includes honoring our veterans for their service to our country!

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The Mission of the Howard Gardner Multiple Intelligence Charter School (HGMICS) is to provide an approach to K-8 grade education that cultivates the potential of each student through the development of his/her Multiple Intelligences (MI). By focusing on project-based experiences and real-world applications of knowledge, we aim to empower our young people to become independent, self-directed learners, who proactively problem-solve to positively change the world.