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Dear TCCS Community,

As you may be aware, there continues to be public discussion of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and its impact on global health. As a result, families are encouraged to read and stay updated through official communication channels such as the Centers for Disease Control and the Bergen County Health Department:

www.cdc.gov

www.co.bergen.nj.us/health-promotion/2019-novel-corona-virus

Additionally, the NJDOH has established a hotline (1-800-222-1222) to answer questions about the 2019 Novel Coronavirus. Operated by the Poison Information and Education System, the 24-hour public hotline is staffed with trained healthcare professionals and can accommodate callers in multiple languages.

Nurse Roda has often shared expected practices and commonsense actions to take when presented with any possible illness. Please continue to follow those recommendations. Simply put, a truly ill child (fever, etc.) should remain home until the illness has passed. Alongside that, please reinforce hand washing, covering one's mouth and nose when sneezing, and minimizing person-to-person contact. Our cleaning protocols include regular treatment and disinfection of surfaces throughout the school day and during the overnight hours.

At this time, there is no reported local community spread of the Coronavirus and no cases in northern New Jersey. If and when more information becomes available to us, we will share it with the community. We encourage our families and staff to be diligent in adhering to commonsense healthy practices and utilize sound resources like the Centers for Disease Control and the New Jersey Department of Health for factual and timely information.

As always, please feel free to reach out with any questions.

Thanks and Best Regards,

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Lead Person / Director