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Rim of the World Unified School District Families:

Good afternoon and welcome back to school. I hope winter break was a wonderful time of celebration for your family. We know that the COVID-19 pandemic has impacted us all and will continue to, but we are continuing to work diligently to provide the best possible education experience for our students despite the challenges before us.

Here are some important reminders as we begin the second half of the school year:

Notification of Positive COVID-19 Tests - As always, please continue to notify us if your children test positive for COVID-19. Please call 909-660-8750 to report any positive test results.

Student Vaccination Records - We know that many families have been getting their children vaccinated for COVID-19. In cases where students are potentially exposed to someone in class that tests positive for COVID-19, vaccinated students are not required to stay home for the mandatory quarantine period. Parents should submit a copy of their child's immunization record to their school office for placement in their confidential school record.

Student and Staff COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement - Students and staff are not required to be vaccinated for COVID-19 to return to in-person learning at this point. The public health order for Governor Newsom's plan has not been issued yet, meaning the earliest for this requirement to be met would be in August for the start of the 2022-23 school year.

New COVID-19 Quarantine Rules - Governor Newsom announced that state COVID-19 quarantine rules for positive tests and close contacts would be revised to align with the new federal CDC recommendations. We will be working closely with the California Department of Public Health to implement the new rules as soon as they are available.

In spite of the challenges before us, we are proud of all the efforts of our staff and Rim families the first half of this school year. We will continue to do our best to provide all our Rim students with a safe learning environment where they can excel. Happy New Year!

Sincerely,
Michelle Murphy
Superintendent