

PCS Families,

November 17, 2020

Allegheny County changed to "substantial" spread yesterday afternoon. As per our Health and Safety Plan, we need to change to an all remote learning model in order to keep all students and staff safe. I realize that this information comes with little advance notice, however, our Health and Safety plan has always indicated that when in "substantial" spread, PCS will operate virtually.

There will be NO School on Wednesday, November 18th. This day will be used for staff to prepare and communicate out their remote learning schedules. Remote learning will begin for all grades on Thursday, November 19th. Your child's teachers will communicate the remote learning schedule, that will include live lessons, with you by the end of the day tomorrow.

If your child has medication here at school that you would like to pick up, someone will be in touch with you to schedule that pick up.

Please check your at home learning device to ensure that it is functional. Internet reimbursement forms will be forthcoming. If you have questions or issues with a device, please reach out to our Technology Department at IT@providentcharterschool.org.

The County will need to return to a "moderate" spread designation before we would consider proximate learning again.

Regards,

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