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Dear Parents,

As we approach flu season, we understand that there is concern about the H1N1 flu. We are working with students to be sure they understand about washing their hands and avoiding activity that could spread germs. We have installed waterless hand washing stations throughout the district for unlimited student use. Additionally, we are continually disinfecting surfaces throughout the district's facilities.

We will be following recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control concerning how to handle the upcoming flu season. You may access information on our website at www.eastchambers.net. Additional information may be found on the CDC website at www.cdc.gov.

If a student presents symptoms of the H1N1 flu, there is an assumption that he/she has it. Therefore, if a student has symptoms of the flu, we ask that the student not return to school until he/she is fever free for 24 hours. We have already seen cases in our community where individuals may have symptoms of H1N1.

Again, we will be conducting school as usual, and students with symptoms are asked to be fever free for 24 hours before returning to school. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Thank you,

Scott Campbell, Superintendent