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Dear Parents, Guardians, Students & Staff:

Beginning on Monday, November 2, 2020 all students and staff are required to wear masks throughout the day per Emergency Order released by the Department of Health and Human Services. The order has clear requirements that children 4 years and older will wear them in the hallways and common areas; and all children 5 years and older will wear them in the hallways, common areas and classroom. All staff and students are to wear masks when entering the building, in the classrooms and when riding on the school bus. Students who choose not to wear masks per the order, will be sent home. The school is not required to service students who are not following this emergency order. The order makes it clear that the district leadership is required that this order be followed. The order can be found at: <https://www.michigan.gov/coronavirus/0,9753,7-406-98163-543721--,00.html> The order does include exceptions for those that are medically intolerant. If you feel that is the case, please confer with your health professional for documentation.

Sincerely,

Mr. Christopher Thomson
Superintendent