

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Simsbury Public Schools Staff:

The data both statewide and locally continues to trend in a favorable direction. As communicated previously, 11th and 12th graders have the option to return to in-person learning 4 days per week beginning March 2, and 9th and 10th graders March 9. We look forward to welcoming those students back into school on a more regular basis and appreciate all your efforts in supporting this return to school.

We have updated our [COVID Dashboard](#) for the period of February 12 through February 18. The current dashboard includes 2 staff members and 2 students, 2 staff members and 1 student at Squadron Line School and 1 student at Simsbury High School. The total of 4 cases this week is an increase of 1 compared to the 3 positive cases reported last week.

We have updated the CT Learning Model Indicator chart on our website for the two week period ending February 13, 2021. The FVHD data for this reporting period is 16.3 cases per 100,000 in population, with 15.4 cases per 100,000 in Simsbury. Please take a moment to scroll down to the second tab [FVHD School Learning Model Indicators](#) on our Coronavirus Update webpage.

If there is a household member being tested for COVID and they are experiencing any symptom(s), all household members should remain home until the test results have been received. If there is a household member being tested for COVID and they are not experiencing any symptoms (i.e., quarantined for travel, deemed a close contact, medical procedure preparation) other household members may continue to come to school. Additionally, please contact your school nurse as soon as possible if your child receives a positive COVID test result. Thank you for your continued support of our protocols.

Regards,

Matt Curtis  
Superintendent of Schools