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Dear PCPS Families,

At the School Board meeting last night, I shared that all PCPS students in grades PreK-12 will learn virtually from home the first two-weeks of the New Year - January 4 -15, 2021. This decision was made based on guidance from the Peninsula Department of Health.

Having all students learn virtually from home during this time allows the division to mitigate the spread and impact of COVID-19. Anyone who may have been exposed to the virus over the winter holiday will have time to be tested and quarantine prior to the return to in-person instruction.

Additionally, it provides time for the division to deep clean all buildings and office spaces before students return. During this time, the division will continue to evaluate the health metrics for Poquoson and the surrounding area and communicate information as needed to staff, students, and parents.

In-person instruction will resume on Tuesday, January 19 for all Continuum students, including our 8th - 12th graders who will also be coming back to school for in-person instruction.

I wish you and your family a safe and happy Holiday!

All my best,

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