ECS Updated COVID Numbers - 2/1/2022

Dear ECS Community,

I'm sharing updated information related to how COVID is continuing to impact ECS.

Last week, on 1/25/2022, we had 21 active cases of COVID (21 students and 0 staff members) reported to the school between 1/18/2022and 1/25/2022.

Today, **2/1/2022**, we have had 8 cases of COVID reported to the school since 1/25/2022; 6 students and 2 staff members.

Since Cattaraugus County is no longer engaged in Contract Tracing, we are unable to provide an accurate number of individuals placed on quarantine and will no longer report those numbers with this weekly post.

Moving forward we will do our best to post accurate numbers for positive cases of COVID, but they will only be as good as the information that is shared with us. It is important for parents of students and staff to report positive test results to Mrs. Hager (school nurse) at 699-2318 or khager@ecsny.org. This will allow us to conduct our own tracing so that we can notify possible close contacts to quarantine/watch for symptoms.

Please keep in mind that these numbers only represent a snapshot in time. They can and will change as we move forward.

We truly appreciate everyone's help (testing, staying home if sick, etc.), patience and understanding as we continue to move forward to provide a quality education to students in an environment that is safe for students and staff.

We will strive to keep you informed.

Thank you. Bob Miller