



# BYRAM HILLS

## CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

10 TRIPP LANE ARMONK, NY 10504

**January 8, 2021**

To the Byram Hills School Community,

The Byram Hills School District conducted voluntary COVID-19 surveillance testing this week using SalivaClear PCR testing. We selected 20% of all in-person faculty, staff, and students. There were three positive cases identified, which resulted in the quarantine of 14 individuals who were close contacts. Those individuals have been notified.

The Department of Health continues to guide our COVID-19 protocols for who needs to quarantine. The guidelines for Westchester were updated this week since there have been no in-school transmissions across the county, resulting in less individuals who are mandated to quarantine. We have continued to follow all protocols for social distancing and cleaning. As a result, the Department of Health does not deem that we need to quarantine large groups of individuals who maintained social distancing and wore masks. This is good news and helps us to keep students in school who were not exposed.

Thank you for your continued support - I hope that your families are well.

Thank you,

Jen Lamia, Ed.D.  
Superintendent of Schools