

Dear Parents,

The Center for Disease Control (CDC) held a press conference this morning (5/05/09) and announced two changes:

1. The H1N1 flu is no worse than the “regular” flu.
2. It is no longer necessary for schools to close even if they have one confirmed case.

We are, however, keeping our precautions in place for the next few weeks. We have waterless hand sanitizer in classrooms and promote regular hand washing with soap throughout the day. We will continue to send students home at the first sign of illness. We will continue cleaning door handles and common areas.

We are aware this has been a nervous time for every parent. Thank you for partnering with us to do what we can to keep our kids healthy. Your understanding and calm resolve have been very much appreciated.

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Superintendent