

August 28, 2020

Hello Resurrection Parents & Students!

We are off to a GREAT start! I hope that you all loved coming onto campus as much as we loved welcoming you! There are many, many new ideas, processes, and ways of life that we have to accommodate; what has not changed is our passion for providing you the best, most comprehensive education possible!

## **COVID-19 Updates**

We started planning for the school year in April 2020, assuming that COVID would be different than what it is today. Despite our wishes, we understand that COVID is something that we are going to engage for the future. Our efforts, thus, have shifted to making our education available following the necessary guidelines for managing COVID in a school setting.

As your principal, I want to make certain that we all know how we will act when COVID enters our school community. I encourage you to read the three documents below. Collectively, our team will use this information in the management of COVID cases reaching our students and families at Resurrection.

- COVID-19 Exclusion Guidance from the Illinois Department of Public Health
- Frequently Asked Questions for Schools from the IDPH
- <u>Archdiocese of Chicago Office of Catholic Schools Decision Tree for Symptomatic Students/Faculty/Staff</u>

I want to stress that we all will act with diligence and caution when making decisions about campus exclusion, eLearning shifts, etc. Each case will be handled by an administrator and the student's generalist counselor. If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact me (Rpiwowarski@reshs.org) or the Dean of Students (Tbernardin@reshs.org). I understand how challenging this time is for all of us, especially our young women.

As always, I thank our God for your efforts to provide a Catholic education for your daughter, and I pray we all have the grace to support the young women entrusted to our care.

In Charity and Truth,

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