

## EASTERN LANCASTER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

December 22, 2020

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Community Members-at-Large,

I wish to inform you that Garden Spot High School and Garden Spot Middle School will shift learning from in-person to ALL remote-learning for tomorrow, Wednesday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> due to COVID cases (multiple adults and learners) at the schools and in keeping with the Governor's Orders and the direction from the Department of Health. This includes all special education classes as well. Teachers will teach from their homes so that we can clean learning spaces throughout the complex.

This shift provides the District time to ascertain and complete contact tracing and to thoroughly clean the school with increased focus in the areas affected by these cases. Please continue to monitor the District's website for updates.

I apologize for the fairly short notice and for the timing of this shift and announcement.

I wish all health and safety as we approach the Holiday season and best wishes for the New Year.

Thank you.

Respectfully,

Robert M. Hollister, Ed.D.

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