



Nouvel Catholic Central Schools

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January 10, 2022

Dear Nouvel Catholic Central High School Families,

Due to the recent number of COVID-19 positive cases among both staff and students at the high school, as well as the corresponding close contacts, we are going to postpone our exam week and work with students remotely for the remainder of this week (January 11-14). Given the number of rapid tests currently at our disposal, we cannot guarantee that we can test all close contacts throughout the current week. Moving to remote learning for the remainder of the current week will increase our ability to use test-to-stay for the entire rescheduled exam week, thereby keeping more students in school. Given the importance of semester exams at the high school (20% of the semester grade), we are committed to creating an environment where students are able to demonstrate their full understanding of the content in a face-to-face testing environment.

For January 11-14, the schedule will be as follows:

1. January 11: Teachers are expected to create two graded enrichment assignments that support Semester 1 curriculum. By 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 11, teachers will post via Google Classroom the supplemental materials and instructions for online instruction on January 12th and 13th. Students will be informed of the assignment requirements and the completion date.
2. January 12-13: Teachers will meet with each class via Zoom to give appropriate instructional support related to the enrichment assignments. The regular daily schedule will be followed. Teachers will be available for the duration of the class period to support students. Class time may be allocated to completing the enrichment activities, which may not require that students be online for the entire class period.
3. January 14: Teachers will meet with each of their classes via Zoom to provide exam review and support. The regular daily schedule will be followed for this instructional day. Students should be prepared to be present for the entire class period.

Athletics: All Nouvel athletics and extracurricular activities are canceled for the week of January 10th-16th. (Participation in hockey and skiing are at the discretion of the lead school.)

First semester exams will be held on Monday, January 17 through Friday, January 20. The schedule will be as follows:

Monday, January 17, 7:30am - 8:20am:

Teachers are required to report to their classrooms and be available no later than 7:30 a.m. for students to meet with them face-to-face for any exam preparation questions that they may have.

8:30-10:00 a.m.	1st Hour Exam
10:30 am-12:00 noon	4th Hour Exam
12:00 noon-1:00 p.m.	Teachers are available in the classroom for any exam related questions

Tuesday, January 18

8:30-10:00 a.m.	2nd Hour Exam
10:30 am-12:00 noon	6th Hour Exam

Wednesday, January 19

8:30-10:00 a.m.	3rd Hour Exam
10:30 a.m.-12:00 noon	7th Hour Exam

Thursday, January 20

8:30-10:00 a.m.

5th Hour Exam

10:30 a.m.-12:00 noon

Make-up Exams, with prior approval, for student who may have missed an exam due to health issues.

Friday, January 21

No school for high school students; Record Day

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The high school building will be open for students from 7:30 a.m. to 12 noon on Tuesday, January 11. [The COVID-19 reporting page has been updated.](#) Our sincere hope is that, with this pause in in-person instruction, that our number of COVID-19 cases and related quarantines will decrease and more staff and students will be available for in-person instruction (exam week) beginning Monday, January 17th. If you have any questions, please contact the main office at (989) 791-4330 or Mr. Randy Kreger at (989) 399-2239.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dan Decuf". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Mr. Dan Decuf
NCCHS Principal



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Dear Nouvel Catholic Central Elementary & Middle School Families,

Due to the recent number of positive COVID-19 cases among both staff and students, the corresponding high number of close contacts, almost 18% of our students being absent today. The recent surge is also stretching out staff very thin. In addition, the limited supplies of the test-to-stay materials are reducing our ability to keep students in the building. Therefore, the following plan has been put in place for the elementary and middle school for the remainder of the current week (January 10-16).

So that parents can secure childcare, and staff can prepare take-home materials, we will have school as normal tomorrow, Tuesday, January 11. Beginning January 12, we will move to remote instruction for the rest of the week (January 12-14). Our goal is to be back to in-person learning beginning Monday, January 17, 2022, pending building level metrics and appropriate staffing.

- Learning materials will be sent home with your student(s) tomorrow, January 11. In addition, teachers will provide at least two lessons per day via zoom or using other recording methods. Teachers will post assignments for the week and communicate accordingly, based on grade level, via Google Classroom or SeeSaw learning platforms.
- By the close of business on Tuesday, January 11 teachers will communicate with parents regarding the specifics expectations and assignments during the period of remote learning.

Athletics:

- Will continue as scheduled for Tuesday, January 11
- January 12-16, all extracurricular events are canceled

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Wishing you a safe and productive rest of the week.

Yours in Catholic Education,

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