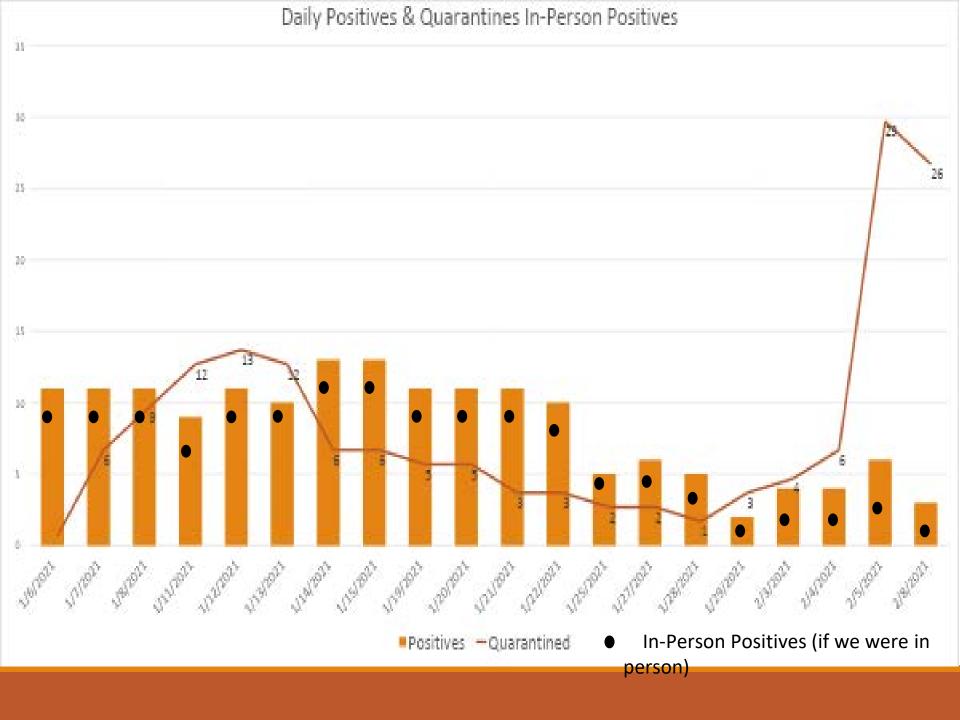


COVID-19

Informational Meetings
Board of Education
Communications Committee
February 16, 2021





Currently:

- Woodstock, Phoenicia, and Bennett Elementary
 have returned to the five day per week in-person
 learning model.
- The Middle School and High School have returned at the 50% in-person learning model with each cohort attending two days per week.



Clarification from NYSED Sent on February 16, 2021:

The Department has received reports from the field that some school districts are requiring parental consent, on behalf of their children, to COVID-19 testing as a condition of activities including in-person learning and extracurricular activities. The Department hereby clarifies that parent/guardian consent for COVID-19 testing of students may not be a condition of in person learning or other school activities.



School Staff Vaccination:

- The Ulster County Department of Health has committed to set aside 15 vaccination appointments per week for each school district in Ulster County, following an initial release of appointments county-wide.
- Following this week's appointments, Onteora has approximately 78 more individuals waiting for an appointment. This includes full time staff, part time staff, substitutes, and coaches.



Sports:

Currently high risk sports have been approved by Governor Cuomo contingent upon each District being in compliance with the guidance provided by the local Department of Health. We are in the process of determining the appropriate level of approval for high risk sports.

Fall II sports season will begin March 1st. A parent/athlete meeting was held last week. The presentation and video can be found on the Athletics webpage: https://www.onteora.k12.ny.us/athletics



Information on the District Website:

Notifications of positive and presumptive positive cases are posted here:

Potential & Confirmed COVID Cases

Charts include any new cases, and also indicate the changes that have taken place, including clearances, new quarantines, or individuals released from quarantine.





Questions?

Please utilize the Q & A function