November 10, 2020

To all Parents/Guardians:

KIBSD would like to remind all students, staff, and families to stay healthy and to follow the school district travel policy. In light of increased travel connected COVID-19 cases across the state and locally among staff and students, the district has extended out-of-state travel guidelines to include travel within the State of Alaska.

Please review the following protocols for out-of-state travel:

• You must receive a negative test within 72 hours of travel.
• Upon returning to Kodiak, follow strict social distancing and remain out of school until a second negative COVID-19 test, 7-14 days after travel.
• If you do not receive a second COVID-19 test, you are required to quarantine at home for a period of 14 days.

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KIBSD recommends that tests be scheduled a few days in advance. Test results must be shared with your school nurse.

If a member of your household has traveled off island, you may be unable to avoid contact with that person, so it is important to make an effort to stay as safe as possible by following the tips below:

• Monitor your health for any signs of illness
• Wash your hands often
• Distance as much as possible
• Wear a mask when in the same room
• Disinfect surfaces regularly

Please feel free to reach out to your student’s school if you have further questions. Additionally, if your student requires a COVID-19 test, please contact your school nurse.

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