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Dear North Syracuse Central School District Families,

This morning we were notified that due to one of our school bus drivers testing positive for COVID-19, the Onondaga County Department of Health has advised the quarantine of additional transportation staff. Because the quarantine will lead to a shortage of drivers, the District has made the decision to shift K-12 students to remote learning on Tuesday, October 13. Additionally, there will be no transportation for UPK students on that day.

The North Syracuse Early Education Program will remain open and is not impacted by today's decision to shift K-12 students to remote learning. Additionally, transportation on October 13 will still be provided for students that normally attend in-person 5 days/week, including parochial, charter and OCM BOCES students.

The District's normal transportation schedule will resume on Thursday, October 15. The District continues to work with the Department of Health and will communicate updates as necessary. As always, parents should monitor their child for any symptoms associated with COVID 19 and contact their health care provider if their child becomes symptomatic.

We appreciate your support and understanding on this matter. If you have any questions or concerns, please reference the District website at www.nscsd.org.

Sincerely,

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Daniel D. Bowles Superintendent of Schools North Syracuse Central School District