## PLAINVIEW-OLD BETHPAGE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

106 Washington Avenue, Plainview, New York 11803 www.pobschools.org



Dr. Lorna R. Lewis Superintendent of Schools

February 3, 2020

Dear Parents and/or Guardians.

We are all concerned about the Coronavirus. While there are no reported cases in our area, there have been several inquiries regarding a need for a common procedure for responding to parents/guardians of students who have recently visited China or are new entrants to our District from China. I have consulted with our medical director, as well as NYSED for guidance. We are following the Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines by applying the 14-day waiting period prior to re-entry to our schools.

We are also installing more hand sanitizers throughout the buildings. Additional cleaning measures have been put in place, and all health teachers will address the importance of hand washing to reduce the spread of germs during the flu season.

We will continue to employ best practices in the interest of having safe and healthy schools.

Sincerely,

Dr. Lorna R. Lewis Superintendent of Schools

LRL:ss

E-mail: Llewis@pobschools.org. - Phone: (516) 434-3001 - Fax: (516) 937-6303