Memorandum of Understanding By and Between The Northshore School District No. 417 and

The Northshore Education Association Quarantine Learning Support for Students in the 2021-22 School Year

The maintenance of educational progress for all students who must quarantine due to COVID-19 is a priority.

To prepare for the possibility of a PreK-12 student or class needing to quarantine, teachers will:

- Ensure all students have a device.
- Ensure all students have a hotspot if needed.
- Ensure all students know how to log into SeeSaw (if used) or Schoology.
- Ensure all students know how to access materials in SeeSaw (if used) or Schoology.
- Ensure all students know how to access a teacher's Zoom link.
- Ensure all students know how to utilize Zoom features such as breakout rooms, chat, reactions, etc.

When a K-12 student has been notified they must quarantine at home due to a positive COVID-19 test or close contact with a student diagnosed with COVID-19:

- The school principal and teacher(s) will ensure student(s) has(have) access to required technology and resources.
- The student's teacher will continue to post learning materials for student(s) to access in SeeSaw (if used) or Schoology.

Identified educators will work with K-5 students in guarantine, and will:

- Meet with groups of students, according to a determined schedule, on a daily basis.
- Provide reading, writing, and math lessons to groups of students.
- Help students access materials placed in SeeSaw (if used) or Schoology by their teacher, and ensure students know how to complete these assignments.

When a whole class of PreK-5 students has been notified that the students and their teacher must quarantine at home due to a COVID-19 outbreak:

- The school principal or COVID-19 Supervisor will communicate with students and their families about the need to quarantine and provide a timeline for the transition from inperson instruction to virtual learning.
- The school principal and teacher will ensure students have access to required technology and resources.
- The teacher will communicate with student(s) about learning expectations while they are away from the physical classroom.
- The teacher will post daily materials for student(s) to access in SeeSaw (if used) or Schoology.
- The teacher will provide students with access to a Zoom link to use to access the virtual classroom.

The Northshore School District will work to identify educators to support all students in quarantine. These educators may include retired teachers, external tutors, substitute teachers, part-time teachers willing to expand their assignment, and/or teachers on special assignment. If the District is unable to secure educators, there will be no expectation for these responsibilities to fall on existing staff.

The District and Association will explore appropriate accommodation of specially designed instruction for students with IEPs such as identifying qualified teachers willing to support students eligible for Special Education, providing additional compensation for special education teachers, and other remedies to coordinate delivery of SDI.

The District and Association will explore appropriate accommodations for students qualifying for multilingual support such as identifying qualified teachers willing to support students eligible for multilingual support, providing additional compensation for teachers of multilingual students, and other remedies to coordinate delivery of a student's necessary accommodations.

Agreed to this 17th day of September, 2021. Signed this 20th day of September, 2021.

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