

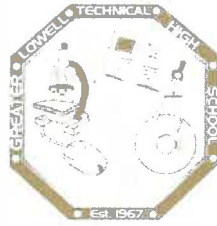
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November 13, 2020

Dear Greater Lowell Tech Families,

This letter is to provide you with an update on recent changes to the public health data. Based on the Massachusetts Department of Public Health COVID-19 Report for this week, November 13, 2020:

The Average Daily Incidence Rate number of cases per 100,000 residents (last 14 days) for the City of Lowell is **42.1, up from 27.7 last week** and puts Lowell in the “red” or “higher risk” category again this week. Currently, the highest volume of new COVID-19 cases are amongst young adults in our community. The “percent positivity rate” (the percentage of tests that are positive in Lowell) is **6.45%, up from 4.97% last week**.

Based on this data, GLTHS will remain in our current Full Remote Learning Model.

We will continue to monitor the public health data and keep you informed as we work to develop customized strategies to reduce in-school health risks to transition our students back to a hybrid learning model that prioritizes the health and safety of all school community members.

Thank you in advance for your patience, support, and cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Jill Davis'.

Jill Davis
Superintendent-Director