

The Weekly Comet Update

From Tom Meyer, Superintendent of the Bellevue Community School District

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NO School/Early Dismissal Dates and More...

- TODAY - September 24 - Homecoming Parade @ 2:45
- October 6 & 7 - 2-Hour Early Dismissal for Parent-Teacher Conferences (3:30-8:00 PM)
- October 8 - No School
- October 20 - 2-Hour Early Dismissal - Teacher Professional Learning
- November 1 - No School - Teacher Professional Learning
- November 24-26 - No School Thanksgiving Break
- December 23 - January 3 - No School (Winter Break); School resumes on January 4, with the start of the 2nd semester; Teachers return to school on January 3

Weekly COVID Update

Week of...	Elem	MS/HS
Sept. 24	0	<6
Sept. 17	<6	<6
Total School Year	<6	<6

*The district cannot report a specific number of cases that is below 6, as this still provides confidentiality to students and their families.

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Extracurricular Activities and Role-Modeling

Extracurricular activities and participation in athletics and fine arts at all ages is an outstanding way for our students to learn beyond the classroom. From middle school and high school activities to youth sports from the city of Bellevue and the surrounding area, our students gain a great deal about leadership, teamwork/working with others, and many other things beyond individual skill development.

Role-modeling by those involved in the activities as participants are crucial for younger students to observe, and we must promote this for our students. Additionally, our adults must also model behaviors that we expect from our youth as coaches and spectators at all levels.

Sportsmanship, and ultimately being a role-model for others, is important to be displayed by our students, and adults from our school and community. High school activities begin with the following statement to promote appropriate actions at events, and I encourage everyone to consider their actions and the impact it has on others around them at activities involving our youth.

Bellevue High School and the River Valley Conference encourages positive sportsmanship and behavior at our activities. Please encourage all players and coaches with positive comments and acts; and respect the decisions of the game officials. What you do and say during the contest reflects on your team, school, and community. Enjoy the game by being a good sport.

Student Learning

Bellevue Elementary students participated in their “Blue Bandana” activities this week. The Blue Bandana Initiative was started by the Bellevue Elementary teachers in 2015 to help students share the qualities of service, empathy, and spirit. In addition, this week students participated in a variety of team-building activities, including creating “Homecoming” posters.



Bellevue HS students attended a concert by Carter Hulsey on Monday morning, where a variety of financial information was shared with students.



