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February 24, 2022

Dear Sherman School Families,

The Commissioner of Education and the Department of Public Health have recently issued a recommendation that schools distribute COVID test kits to every student and staff member. They suggest that one test kit be administered at home on the morning of Tuesday, March 1st, which is the first school day of our “mask optional” transition. This recommendation is intended to provide an additional layer of risk mitigation as we anticipate that many of our families may elect not to wear face masks in school.

Per this recommendation, we will make test kits available to anyone who wishes to have one. To make this as easy as possible, we will have staff distributing test kits at the following dates, times, and locations. In addition to the times listed below, you may simply stop by the Main Office during normal school hours and we will be happy to provide you with a test kit. N95 and K95 masks are also available for anyone interested.

Date	Time	Location
Thursday, 2/24	8:05 AM - 8:25 AM	Morning Drop-Off Circle
Thursday, 2/24	3:15 PM - 3:25 PM	Outside Door by LMC
Monday, 2/28	8:05 AM - 8:25 AM	Morning Drop-Off Circle
Monday, 2/28	3:15 PM - 3:25 PM	Outside Door by LMC

Please remember that face masks must continue to be worn on school buses at all times due to a federal mandate.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or Lorraine Spinetti.

Sincerely,

Jeff Melendez
Superintendent-Principal