Dear DPS Community,

Gathering for Thanksgiving with our family and friends is an opportunity for reflection and gratitude. During this challenging time for our community, please know that I have reflected and listened. I want to thank you for sharing your personal experiences with me and offering resources to support our students and the district.

Over the past few weeks we have seen an increase in Covid cases across the district. For your reference, our DPS Family Covid Information sheet and the Mass.gov Covid-19 Updates and Information site, are available resources. As we return next week, we would like to remind all families about the importance of following our Covid protocols. Please remember to wash your hands frequently, wear a mask while in school buildings and stay home when sick.

We also realize that the holiday season can be stressful. DanversCARES Fall Newsletter and Mass.gov- Handholdma provide support for children and families.

Warm Regards,

Lisa Dana