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March 11, 2022

Dear NPS Community:

Below, please find the results of our pooled testing program for the week covering March 7-11, 2022.

March 7-11	Total Pools Tested	Presumed Positive Pools	Positive Cases	Cases Reported to School (Wed to Wed)
Bridge Street School	35	0	0	0
Jackson Street School	39	0	0	4
Leeds Elementary	36	1	1	1
R.K. Finn Ryan Road	30	0	0	0
JFK Middle School	39	0	0	0
NHS	43	0	0	0

Weekly pooled testing, reflex testing for positive pools, symptomatic testing, and home testing will continue.

The Northampton School Committee has scheduled a special meeting for March 17, 2022 to consider changing the indoor mask requirement for the schools. In preparation for that vote, the Committee is seeking to understand perspectives on the mask requirement. We encourage you to share your thoughts by participating in the survey found at [THIS LINK](#).

Thank you for continuing to work together to keep our school community safe. This will not last forever.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John A. Provost, Ed.D.", written over a light blue horizontal line.

John A. Provost, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools