



## SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT #48

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### **Press Release from Superintendent Kyla Welch**

September 28, 2020  
3:00pm

Over the past three days SAU48 has been working closely with DHHS to determine what students and staff members should be quarantined. To ensure the safety of our students and staff, Waterville Valley Elementary School will remain in remote learning for the remainder of this week. We will be in remote learning from Tuesday, September 28th through Friday, October 2nd.

On Friday, October 2nd we will determine if Waterville Valley Elementary School will open for in person learning on Monday October 5th or if we should remain in remote learning until Tuesday, October 13th, which is the day after Columbus Day.

Additionally, out of an abundance of caution, we are requesting that all Waterville Valley Elementary Students do not attend any SAU48 athletic practices and games until Tuesday, October 13th.

Waterville Valley Elementary School will be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected prior to re-opening.

If you or your child are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, such as a fever, chills, respiratory illness, aches or change in taste and smell, please stay home and away from others and get a COVID-19 test.

Please note that if you or your child are currently quarantined, you must complete quarantine, even if your test is negative. This is because the maximum amount of time from being exposed to the virus that causes COVID-19 and testing positive is 14 days.

At this point in time, all other schools within SAU48 are not impacted and will remain open.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.