## Merrimack School District Process for COVID-19 Home Test Kits

**Dear Families,** 

The Merrimack School District recognizes that finding a COVID testing center is getting more difficult, and results may be taking longer, resulting in more days of missed instruction. We want to lessen this burden by now allowing the results of the at home test kits. A list of approved home test kits can be found <u>here</u>. The Merrimack School District is not supplying the home tests for students so home tests will need to be purchased and overseen by a parent/guardian at home.

Please note home test kits can only be used on an individual who is experiencing 1 or more symptoms of Covid-19.

When performing a home test please follow the complete manufacturer's instructions. Write the name of the symptomatic individual on the test as well as the date and time of test. To submit your test results to school, please take a picture in good lighting of results and email to the school nurse and administrator.

Sincerely,

**The Merrimack School District Nurses**