

Amity COVID Updates

November 23, 2020

Current Amity Data

STUDENT ENROLLMENT -
2209

STAFF EMPLOYED -
509

TOTAL “AMITY” POPULATION -
2718

	+ Cases	Quarantined
AMSB	1	11
AMSO	0	15
ARHS	17	90
ATA	0	22
Oct. 19	5	59
Nov. 9	11	100
Nov. 23	18	138

Leading Indicator of COVID Infection Levels

Leading Indicator	MORE In-Person Learning	Re-assess strategies to determine appropriate balance of in-person and remote learning (hybrid learning)	LESS In-Person Learning
Number of new cases of COVID-19 (14-day average of new cases per 100,000 population per day)	< 10 new cases per 100,000 per day	10 to < 25 cases per 100,000 per day	25+ cases per 100,000 per day

Addendum 4 - CSDE Reopening Plan

Originally adapted from: the Harvard Global Health Institute's publication The Path to Zero and Schools: Achieving Pandemic Resilient Teaching and Learning Spaces, July 2020 and revised in consideration of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidance document Indicators for Dynamic School Decision-Making, updated September 15, 2020.

BOW Leading Indicator of COVID Infection Levels

Reporting Period	Bethany	Orange	Woodbridge	Amity
09/20/2020 - 09/26/2020*	2.6	3.1	4.9	3.5
09/27/2020 - 10/10/2020	13.0	4.1	3.2	6.8
10/04/2020 - 10/17/2020	10.4	6.7	4.9	7.3
10/11/2020 - 10/24/2020	10.4	9.7	10.5	10.2
10/18/2020 - 10/31/2020	9.1	12.8	15.4	12.4
10/25/2020 - 11/7/2020	13.0	15.9	12.2	13.7
11/1/2020 - 11/14/2020	24.8	24.1	17.0	22.0

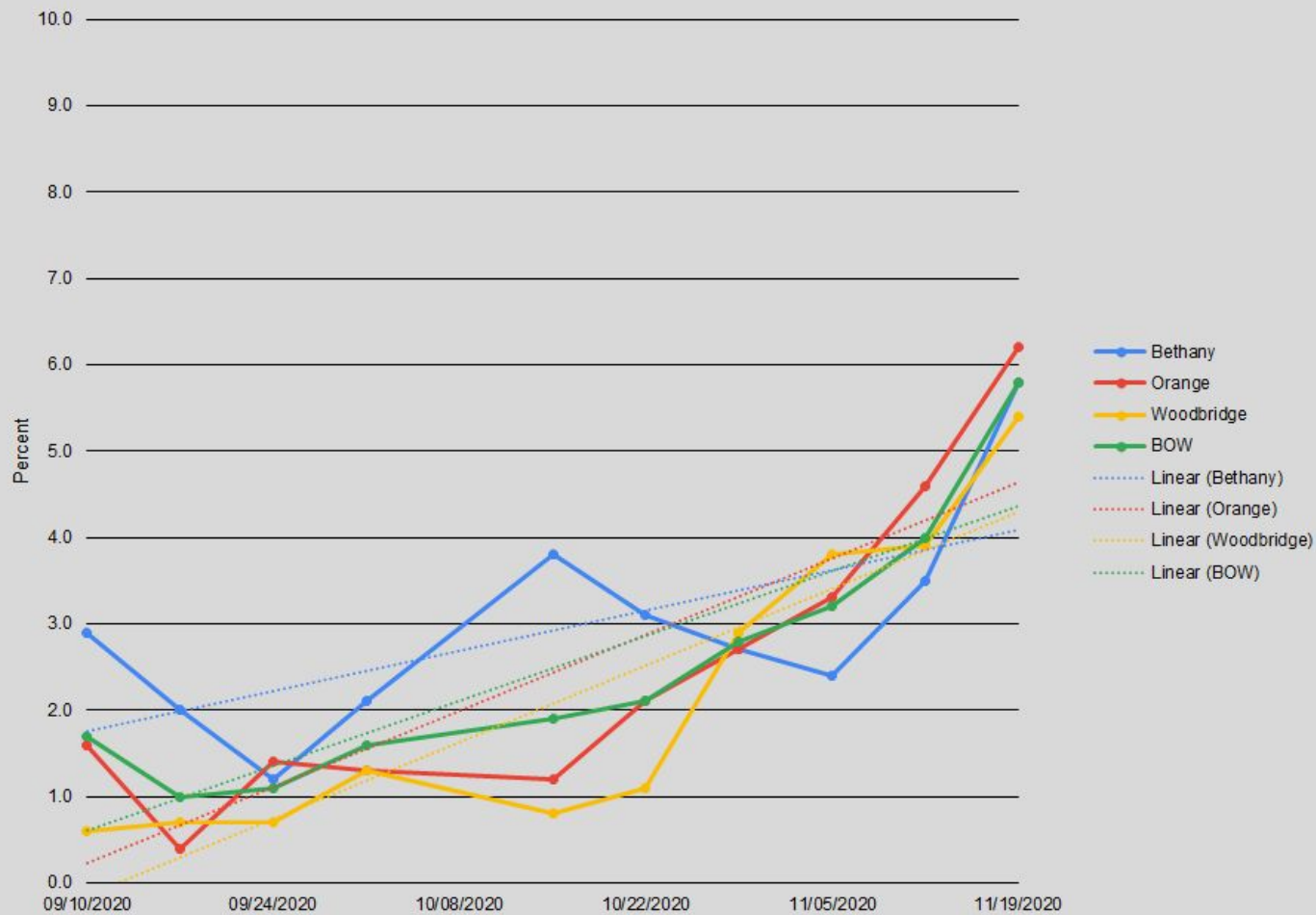
New COVID-19 Cases per 100k Population per Day

*Data changed from a 7 day collection period to a 14 day collection period per CT DPH

Secondary Indicators of COVID Infection Levels

Secondary Indicators	MORE In-Person Learning	Re-assess strategies to determine appropriate balance of in-person and remote learning (hybrid learning)	LESS In-Person Learning
Percent positivity rate <i>(# of positive tests/ # of total tests, 14-day average)</i>	Secondary Indicators trending down to flat	<u>Direction of Change:</u> Secondary Indicators trending flat to upward	Secondary Indicators trending upward
Number of new COVID-19 hospitalizations per 100,000 population <i>(14-day average)</i>	No statistically significant changes to Secondary Indicators	<u>Speed of Change:</u> Any statistically significant changes upward to Secondary Indicators	Consistent, statistically significant changes upward to Secondary Indicators
COVID-like and Influenza-like Illness (CLI and ILI) Syndromic Surveillance			

Percent Test Positivity



Secondary Indicators of COVID Infection Levels

Summary Table

County	Leading		Secondary				
	New COVID-19 cases per 100,000 population per day	Leading Indicator Risk Category	Percent test positivity	New COVID-19 hospitalizations per 100,000 population per day	Percent COVID-19-like illness hospital ED visits	Secondary Indicators Risk Category	Reporting Period
Fairfield	49.3	High	8.3%	2.9	8.0%	High	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020
Hartford	37.5	High	5.5%	2.6	3.1%	High	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020
Litchfield	34.8	High	4.9%	0.7	3.2%	High	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020
Middlesex	34.5	High	3.0%	1.7	3.9%	High	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020
New Haven	43.6	High	6.9%	3.6	5.8%	High	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020
New London	28.4	High	4.1%	1.6	3.7%	High	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020
Tolland	24.8	Moderate	3.3%	0.1	2.4%	Moderate	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020
Windham	28.4	High	4.9%	1.3	2.1%	High	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020
Connecticut	40.7	High	5.9%	2.6	4.8%	High	11/01/2020 - 11/14/2020

Health Department Meetings

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12

- Metrics support in-person learning
- Hybrid model to continue in Amity;
Full in-person to continue in elementary districts

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13 (Unscheduled)

- Recommend ARHS move to remote learning through November 25th

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20

- Continue hybrid model in middle schools through November 24, 2020
- Full remote learning November 30 - December 4, 2020
- Reassess Friday, December 4, 2020

Next Steps

- Increase student population based on academic need
 - Special Education, Spartan Academy, English Language Learners - October 19, 2020
 - Students with 504 Plans - anticipated December 7, 2020
 - Students with 2 or more F's in Quarter 1 - anticipated December 7, 2020
 - 11% of “opt out” students with 2 or more F's
 - 2% of “hybrid in person” students with 2 or more F's
 - Population Density will remain at or under 50%

Next Steps

- Increase instructional days by eliminating mid-term exam period at ARHS
 - Hybrid model would require 2 weeks for exam period
 - There is already less face-to-face instructional time in hybrid model and with shortened day

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FE
25%	25%	20%	20%	10%

- CIAC postponed the start of winter sports to January 19, 2021

Tentative November/December Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
30 A-Z Full Remote	1 A-Z Full Remote	2 A-Z Full Remote 12:12 dismissal – Parent Conferences	3 A-Z Full Remote	4 A-Z Full Remote
7 A-K In Person L-Z Remote 12:12 dismissal – PD Day	8 A-K Remote L-Z In Person	9 A-K In Person L-Z Remote	10 A-K In Person L-Z Remote	11 A-K Remote L-Z In Person
14 A-K In Person L-Z Remote	15 A-K Remote L-Z In Person	16 A-K Remote L-Z In Person	17 A-K In Person L-Z Remote	18 A-K Remote L-Z In Person
21 A-K In Person L-Z Remote	22 A-K Remote L-Z In Person	23 A-K In Person L-Z Remote 12:12 dismissal – Holiday Recess		