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Dear School Volunteer,

As a friendly reminder, [Governor Murphy signed Executive Order No. 253](#) instituting vaccination or testing requirements for all PreK-12 school personnel, including ***school volunteers***. As such, if you plan on serving as a school volunteer, you must be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 or be subject to COVID-19 testing on a weekly basis. Documentation of your test results will be required to serve as a school volunteer.

To help us manage a testing plan for unvaccinated school volunteers, **if you have not done so already, please submit a copy of your vaccination card to your school nurse as soon as possible.** It is preferable that you scan/email a copy of your vaccination card, but a paper copy will suffice.

If your school nurse is unable to determine your vaccination status, then you will not be considered fully vaccinated. Therefore, you will not be able to volunteer without a negative COVID-19 test that is less than a week old.

If you have any questions about these government-issued mandates, please feel free to contact me via email at mfetherman@mlschools.org or (973) 334-8280. Thank you in advance for all you do for our students and staff.

Warm regards,

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Superintendent of Schools