



# Evesham Township School District

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Dear ETSD Staff and Families,

## **SAVE THE DATE: Important Panel Discussion on Tuesday, January 18, 7 pm**

Next Tuesday, January 18, at 7 pm, appropriately right after the national holiday of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr, a panel discussion among key members of our larger community will take place around the topics of hate, love, understanding, our responsibility to each other, and how hate directed at any one group affects all people. The panel participants are Congressman Andy Kim, Mayor Jacky Veasy, Rabbi Jerome David of Temple Emanuel, Imam Wakas Khurshed of Al-Nasr Mosque, Father Joseph Wallace of Christ the Redeemer, and Priest Sudhir Jha of India Temple Association and Indian Cultural Center. It is my honor to be the panel moderator. Many thanks to the Jewish Community Relations Council of Southern New Jersey for their work to make this discussion possible.

All ETSD staff and families are invited to attend this virtual event. Information about how to register will be shared tomorrow.

This discussion is part of work in our district, focused in middle school and beyond, to strengthen our capacity to see, hear, and value one another, in all our enriching differences. On December 17, 2021, swastikas and anti-Semitic writing were found in boys' bathrooms at Marlton Middle School. The pain in this fact is undiminished with time. Intolerance of any kind is completely unacceptable.

## **Quarantine and Isolation Timeframe now 5 Days, not 10**

Effective this evening, ETSD will follow the 5 day timeframe for staff and student quarantine and isolation described in the NJDOH document below released this afternoon. Our district will provide more information based on additional NJDOH guidance forthcoming. Parents of currently quarantining students, please email your school nurse to find out how this shortened time frame may apply to your children. [NJDOH Recommended COVID 19 Isolation & Quarantine Timeframes for Non-Healthcare Settings 1.10.22.pdf](#)

Sincerely,

Dr. Justin Smith  
Superintendent of Schools