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This is Steve Dionisio, Superintendent of Charlotte County Public Schools.

I am calling to update CCPS Staff and parents that the Department of Education has been working with the Department of Health and informed the school system this morning of the following additional coronavirus recommendations:

Anyone (students/faculty/staff/etc.) who goes on foreign travel, to any country, must self-isolate for 14 days upon return to the United States.

Anyone (students/faculty/staff/etc.) who goes on a cruise, anywhere, must self-isolate for 14 days upon return.

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Parents and guardians who take their child to a foreign country or on a cruise must call their child's school with the location of travel and the date of their child's return to the United States. Once again, the school system is asking parents to make this call ONLY if their child travels to a foreign country or if their child goes on a cruise.

Students and staff will be required to self-isolate for 14 days and may only return to school with the permission of the school principal.

We apologize for the late notice as this information was provided earlier this morning.

The Department of Health Call Center is available at 1-866-779-6121 for any COVID-19 questions or concerns.

Thank you for your time and have a great night.