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Dear Parents, Guardians and Employees:

Flu activity in the United States is relatively low at this time. Most flu continues to be caused by the H1N1 viruses, with very little seasonal flu spreading so far. If you have not yet received your vaccination and would like to get vaccinated, please visit our local health department or call 540-672-1291 for information on vaccination clinics.

During the weeks of January 25 – February 26, 2010, information on flu-like illnesses in our schools is reported in the chart below. On Monday, January 25th schools were closed due to high water/flooding and closed on February 1st, 2nd, 3rd, & 5th due to snow. Again due to snow, schools were closed for the week of February 8th - 12th & Feb 16th. Unionville & Lightfoot experienced a two hour delayed opening on Tuesday, January 26th. All schools reported on a two hour delay on Thursday, February 4th and Wednesday, Feb 17th. Students did not report to school on February 26th due to parent conferences.

School	Total Enrollment	Reports of Influenza for weeks ending 1-29-10 through 2-26-10
Gordon-Barbour Elem	381	0
Lightfoot Elementary	298	0
Locust Grove Elem	653	0
Locust Grove Middle	826	0
OCHS	1,584	0
Orange Elementary	573	0
Prospect Heights MS	498	1
Unionville Elementary	297	0
Total	5,110	1

We will continue to track illness in all our schools and report the data monthly.
Sincerely,

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Director, Special Education