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WESTFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO OFFER REMOTE LEARNING CENTERS FOR STUDENTS

Superintendent of Schools Stefan Czaporowski is pleased to announce that Westfield Public Schools, the Westfield Boys and Girls Club, and the Westfield YMCA have reached an agreement to provide Remote Learning Centers during remote learning weeks for students that are participating in the Hybrid Model. Students in grades K-8 will be able to attend either the Boys and Girls Club or the YMCA starting Tuesday, October 13, 2020 through Wednesday, December 23, 2020 during their remote learning weeks during school hours at no cost. Lunch will also be provided to all students.

Remote Learning Centers will be staffed by Boys and Girls Club and YMCA employees who will assist students in connecting remotely to their instruction during remote weeks. The Directors of both programs will collaborate with principals and teachers to support maximum engagement of students. "While I realize that this does not solve every issue that our parents and guardians will encounter as we fully implement our Hybrid Learning Model, it is my hope that this offers some temporary relief for a number of families," said Superintendent Czaporowski.

Enrollment is limited due to space restrictions. Last month, parents were asked to call or email our curriculum office to express interest in having their children enroll in our Remote Learning Centers. These families are currently being contacted by the Boys and Girls Club. Additional families that would like to sign their child up for this program can call 413-562-2298 to be put on a waiting list.