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RE: COVID-19 Update # 3- Baker Early College shift to Hybrid

Dear BEC Families and Staff,

We are writing to our families to let you all know about a key change that will be taking place over the next couple of days. Our Baker Early College team had an initial meeting today and reviewed which college campuses offer on-campus vs. online courses. Of the 13 we have students attending, there are 5 who are offering on-campus courses. Our students signed up for on-campus courses in the spring. We do not believe we can find available alternatives for the students this late in the registration process. **Therefore we must shift Baker Early College to the Hybrid plan under the Oregon Department of Education guidelines.** 

Our administration team will be working on submitting a revised plan to move Baker Early College from Comprehensive Distance Learning to Hybrid Education to allow for this shift. If you are a student enrolled in Baker Web College you will have to shift your schedule to fully online, or transfer to Baker Early College. Baker Web Academy students are not allowed to be around other students for the 20/21 school year in person under our state approved plan.

All Baker Web College students transitioning to Baker Early College have to complete the BEC application in full in order to move. We will make the process as simple as we can. Students can fill out the application HERE.

Please check the webpage often for updates. The COVID-19 situation is fluid, rapidly evolving, and ever changing. Thank you for your patience.

Sincerely,

Daniel Huld, Ed. D. Superintendent Baker Charter Schools