



GOWANDA CENTRAL SCHOOL

Engaging students in learning through the development and use of communication, collaboration, creativity and critical thinking.

February 8, 2021

Dear Gowanda CSD Families:

The health and safety of our students and staff is our top priority. This letter is to inform you that one (1) Gowanda Elementary School staff has tested positive for COVID-19. The local department of health is aware and taking further steps as necessary.

- In-person school close contacts have been contacted.

We are working with the health department and are taking all recommended steps to ensure the safety of our students and staff. We will provide further updates if additional steps are needed. Please continue to monitor your child(ren) for symptoms.

In addition, please contact your healthcare provider if you develop symptoms or if you have any additional questions or concerns. More information on the symptoms of COVID-19 can be found at <https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home> or on the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention website <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>.

For covid-19 testing:

Erie County Residents visit:

<https://www2.erie.gov/health/index.php?q=covid-19-testing-information> or call 716-858-2929;

Cattaraugus County Residents call 716-938-9119 or 716-938-2265.

If you have questions regarding the information in this letter, please contact us.

Thank you,

Robert B. Anderson, Ed.D.

Superintendent of Schools