

Manchester Community Schools

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Good Afternoon, Manchester Community Schools Families,

We have been notified that one individual within Manchester Jr./Sr. High School and one individual within Luther C. Klager Elementary has tested positive for COVID-19. Additionally, three individuals within Riverside Intermediate School, two individuals within Manchester Jr./Sr. High School, and one individual within Luther C. Klager Elementary have been quarantined for COVID-19. As required by law, we will continue to update our district-wide dashboard with additional positive cases and quarantined individuals. The link to our Manchester Community Schools COVID-19 Dashboard is below and also linked on our the MCS Website Homepage under "COVID-19 Updates":

Manchester Community Schools COVID-19 Dashboard

The Washtenaw County Health Department (WCHD) continues to investigate to determine if there are any additional quarantined or close contact individuals related to these quarantines. A "close contact" is someone who was within 6 feet of the individual for at least 15 minutes. All close contacts will be contacted directly by WCHD and will receive instructions on what to do next, which may include assisting them with the continued contact tracing efforts, quarantining, and/or contacting your primary physician.

In working with the Washtenaw County Health Department, there were no additional individuals determined to be close contacts through the contact tracing process.

Families should continue to monitor their students each day for symptoms of COVID-19 which could include fever, loss of taste or smell, headache, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, sore throat, fatigue, congestion or runny nose, body aches and/or nausea. If your child develops COVID-19 symptoms, please contact your child's healthcare provider as soon as possible. Also, please contact the school if your child tests positive for COVID-19.

Please remember that if your child exhibits any of these symptoms, the child should remain home from school.

Per privacy guidelines, no additional information can be shared regarding the COVID-19 positive individual. We understand that this situation will cause personal concern for you, so please reach out to us if you have any questions. We will continue to keep our entire school community up to date as to next steps and further information, and potential school quarantines.

Brad Bezeau Superintendent Manchester Community Schools