



CLIFFSIDE PARK PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Cliffside Park School District Families and Community Partners:

Today, I was informed that a staff member at School #4 tested positive for Covid-19 and a staff member at School #6 was in contact with a family member who tested positive for Covid-19. The staff member who tested positive is currently being treated and we extend our sincere wishes for this individual's full recovery.

Please be assured the District has contacted local health agencies for guidance and advisement. We were notified that the staff member who tested positive was symptomatic for the first time on March 17, 2020. The Health officials informed us that since the staff member's symptoms did not occur until more than three days after schools were closed that the likelihood of transmission before that time is low. However, out of an abundance of caution we want you to be aware of this reported case so that you and your families take the following measures in accordance with the CDC guidelines with regard to curbing the spread of the virus:

- *Be sure to frequently wash your hands with warm water and soap.*
- *Avoid contact with people who are ill.*
- *Do not touch your eyes, mouth, or nose.*
- *Cover coughs and sneezes.*
- *Seek guidance from your health care professional should health issues arise.*

As always, thank you for your cooperation and support. We wish you the best in health as we work together during this most challenging of times.

Sincerely,

Mr. Michael J. Romagnino
Superintendent of Schools