



May 31, 2022

Dear Carpenter Families,

This letter is to inform you that we have been notified of two additional confirmed staff cases and six cases in the following classrooms: Ms. Armstrong, Mrs. Aherne, Mrs. Fields, Mrs. Hippleand Mrs. Blandino/Ms. Kinder. Positive cases have been asked to isolate according to AAPS protocols. Privacy regulations restrict us from sharing identifying/personal information about the individual(s) who have been diagnosed with COVID-19.

At this time, we are focusing on following up with known positive cases and conducting contact tracing for any higher-risk exposures as defined by the Washtenaw County Health Department. If you are not individually contacted, by email or phone, then no action is necessary.

As a reminder, we need everyone to do their part to help minimize the spread of COVID-19 in our schools. This includes:

- Monitoring your child for any COVID symptoms using the <u>Daily Student Pre-Screening</u> for COVID-19 Symptoms,
- Keep your student home with <u>even mild</u> symptoms, get tested, and quarantine until results come back.
- Ensuring your child wears a tight-fitting mask to school
- Getting your student vaccinated and boosted
- Getting your student tested as needed based on symptoms and exposure to others who test positive. CLICK HERE for a list of community testing sites.

Please contact our school nurse, Marietta Bell with questions.

Sincerely,

Michael Johnson & Terra Webster

Carpenter Elementary School