



May 10, 2022

Dear Thurston Elementary Community,

This letter is to inform you that we have been notified of a case of COVID-19 at Thurston Elementary. Positive cases have been asked to isolate according to AAPS protocols.

At this time, we are focusing on following up with known positive cases and conducting contact tracing for any higher-risk exposures. Anyone identified as a close contact during a higher-risk exposure will be notified of their close contact status and instructed to quarantine if required.

If you are not individually contacted, by email or phone, then no action is necessary. We encourage you to monitor your student's health. If you are interested in getting tested on your own, <u>CLICK HERE</u> for a list of community testing sites.

We continue to work closely with the Washtenaw County Health Department (WCHD). As a reminder, we need everyone to do their part to help minimize the spread of COVID-19. This also includes keeping your child home if they are experiencing *any* symptoms, completing the <u>Daily Student Pre-Screening for COVID-19 Symptoms</u>, masking up, physical distancing, practicing healthy hygiene habits, and getting vaccinated and boosted. Please contact our school nurse, Jill Sanabria, with questions.

Please note that privacy regulations restrict us from sharing identifying/personal information about the individual(s) who have been diagnosed with COVID-19.

Sincerely,

Natasha York

Thurston Elementary School