

# GLOVERSVILLE ENLARGED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Superintendent

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Dear Gloversville Enlarged School District Families:

After consulting with the Public Health Department, we have made the decision to close Gloversville High School to in-person instruction tomorrow, Tuesday, November 24th, Monday, November 30th and Tuesday, December 1st, due to a confirmed positive COVID-19 case in the high school student body. At this time, we plan to have the high school return to our hybrid model of in-person learning on Wednesday, December 2nd, assuming there are no additional positive cases.

Individuals who had direct contact with the affected student will be notified by the Public Health Department this evening and required to quarantine for 14 days. The student was last in the school building on Wednesday, November 18th, which is the start date of the 14-day quarantine established by the Public Health Department.

Students of Gloversville High School should be ready to commence remote learning immediately, as most are already well versed in the expectations for synchronous learning. We are confident that effective instruction will continue while the high school building is closed. Parents and guardians, please be sure your high school children are logging into their classes. All other Gloversville Enlarged School District schools will remain open for in-person learning as usual.

Please reach out to your child's building principal with any questions you may have. Thank you for your continued support and flexibility as we balance the need to effectively educate our youth, while doing our best to ensure health and safety is not compromised. I hope you all have a relaxing Thanksgiving with your loved ones. As a nation, we will get through this pandemic together by being patient, responsible and pragmatic.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Halloran', with a horizontal line extending to the right.

David Halloran  
Superintendent of Schools