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Good afternoon,

I'm writing to let you know we were just notified that a teacher who works in the Sinclairville Elementary School has tested positive for COVID-19. This individual was in the building last on January 8, 2021. At that time the individual came in close contact with two other staff members. In working with the Chautauqua County Department of Health (CCDOH) it has been determined that both of those contacts will be quarantined. The CCDOH has also determined that as a result of following COVID-19 protocols this case will not lead to any students being quarantined. When our staff member learned of this, they immediately reported the information to Mr. Gilevski and our school nurse, Samantha Smith. The two individuals who were direct contacts left the building immediately and will be tested as a part of the precautionary protocol. At this time, there is no reason to believe that any other staff or students have been exposed.

We are in direct communication with the Chautauqua County Department of Health regarding this situation, and we have been informed that no other individuals are required to quarantine, nor are we required to close any of the District's buildings.

Please continue to monitor your child for symptoms and – as always - keep them home if they are ill. Additionally, please contact your health care provider should you or anyone in your household develop symptoms that may be related to COVID-19.

If you have any questions regarding this notice please contact your school's main office.

Respectfully,

Chuck Leichner Superintendent