



REED CITY AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Every Student, Every Day... Commit, Succeed, and Lead

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Re: Positive Covid-19 Cases - Reed City Elementary and Middle Schools

Dear RCAPS Families:

Reed City Area Public Schools received notification on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week that nine (9) individuals between GT Norman Elementary and Reed City Middle School have tested positive for Covid-19 or are probable positives. You will be contacted directly with further instructions if your child has been found to be a close contact.

The closure of district buildings for three days (9/9, 9/10, and 9/13) was predicated upon this information.

Please continue to monitor your students for symptoms that are new, different, or worse from the baseline of any chronic illness. The safety, health, and well-being of our staff, students, and community will continue to be our priority.

Reminder to All - Please Stay Home If You Are Sick

Staff and students with any of the following symptoms (new/different/worse from baseline of any chronic illness) should stay home:

Please monitor your students for the following symptoms:

- Fever/chills
- Sore throat
- Uncontrolled coughing
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle/body aches
- New loss of taste or smell
- Congestion/runny nose
- Diarrhea, nausea/vomiting,
- Headache

We will continue to keep you updated with any new information while meeting the requirements to honor everyone's right to privacy.

Sincerely,

Michael L. Sweet
Superintendent