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Dear Shawano School District Parents/Guardians and Staff,

This letter is to notify you that multiple positive cases of COVID-19 have been identified in our school district, affecting all school buildings. Due to the increase in cases, at this time, we do not have the capacity to identify close contacts within the school setting. We ask that all parents be very diligent and monitor your child every morning. Please keep them home if they have any symptoms of COVID-19. We continue to work closely with our local health department. If you have been advised to quarantine or are informed your child has been in contact with someone with COVID-19, please inform the school and follow the quarantine options available to you.

We will continue to do a full clean and disinfection of the school buildings every day.

About COVID-19

COVID-19 is an illness caused by a coronavirus. It spreads from person to person through droplets created when we cough, sneeze, talk, sing or laugh. Most people—especially young people—who get COVID-19 have mild illness, similar to having a cold or the flu. However, in others it can cause severe illness, such as pneumonia. Symptoms of COVID-19 include:

- Fever (temperature 100.0°F or higher)
- Cough
- Trouble breathing
- Chills
- Muscle/body aches
- Loss of sense of taste or smell
- Runny nose or nasal congestion
- Fatigue
- Nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea

The CDC's website has good information about COVID-19: www.cdc.gov/coronavirus.

Prevent Further Spread

COVID-19 is at very high levels in our community. Please remember we all need to do our part to help decrease community spread. **Although masks are not required at this time, they are strongly encouraged to decrease spread of illness.**

The following guidelines will help to prevent further spread of illness at our school:

- Notify the school if your child is diagnosed with COVID-19.
- Notify the school if your child had contact with someone who you know was diagnosed with COVID-19.
- Keep students home from school if they are sick.
- Get yourself and your child vaccinated as soon as you are able to do so.
- Encourage good habits: frequent handwashing, covering coughs and sneezes, use of face coverings in public.

We thank you for your continued support in keeping our students safe. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your school nurse.

Sincerely,



Randi Anderson, Superintendent
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