

LENNOX SCHOOL DISTRICT 41-4

Serving the communities of Chancellor, Lennox, & Worthing EVERY SCHOOL, EVERY STUDENT, EVERY DAY.

COVID-19 Case Update

11/24/2021

Dear Parent or Guardian.

Below are the total active cases, total confirmed cases, and recovered cases in each school. All positive cases are investigated by school staff to determine close contacts and reported to affected families.

School	Active Case Count	Recovered Case Count	Total Confirmed Case Count
Lennox Elementary	0	13	13
Worthing Elementary	0	4	4
LWC Intermediate	1	6	7
LWC Junior High	0	8	8
Lennox High School	0	24	24
TOTAL	1	55	56

Home screening: Please monitor daily for the following symptoms and complete daily temperature checks.

Fever or chills

- Difficulty breathing
- Headache

Congestion or runny nose

• Cough

Fatigue

- Loss of taste or smell
- Nausea or vomiting

- Shortness of breath
- Muscle or body aches
- Sore throat
- Diarrhea

The COVID-19 virus is spread from person-to-person, mainly through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes. Spread is more likely to occur when people are in close contact with one another (within 6 feet for 15 minutes).

If your child develops symptoms of any contagious disease, including COVID-19, do not send him/her to school. If a healthcare provider is contacted, follow all directions on care and testing.

Precautions to avoid illness:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer
- Cover your mouth and nose with a cloth face cover when around others
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- Refrain from touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Cover your coughs and sneezes with a tissue
- Clean frequently touched surfaces and objects
- Individuals at higher risk for severe COVID-19 illness, such as older adults or people who have chronic medical conditions like heart, lung or kidney disease, should take actions to reduce your risk of exposure (https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/people-with-medical-conditions.html)

For more information on COVID-19, South Dakota's Information Line can be reached at (800) 997-2880 or visit https://covid.sd.gov/.

Sincerely,

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