



GARY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
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August 14, 2020

Dear Bobcat Family,

On August 13, 2020 the district was informed that an 11th grade student has tested positive for COVID-19. The female student was last on campus on Wednesday, August 12. The student was screened upon arrival and did not report or display any symptoms. On Wednesday evening, the student had a family member test positive and notified the school immediately. The student remained home for testing on Thursday and received a positive result.

Based on the information that we have gathered, it has been determined that the end of the 14-day incubation period for anyone possibly exposed on campus to the student is **August 25, 2020**. We have directly notified all staff and students who may have had contact with the student. We are asking that these individuals continue to monitor for symptoms and seek immediate treatment if any occur.

We have cleaned and disinfected the areas and equipment used by the student. We will continue to enforce safety and hygiene requirements such as health screening, wearing masks when unable to social distance, frequent hand washing, using hand sanitizer, and social distancing when feasible.

We ask that all parents continue to screen your children at home before sending them to school. If your child has any symptoms, please contact your physician and your campus principal.

Gary ISD's priority remains the safety and well-being of our students and staff. Our thoughts and prayers are with our Bobcat student as we all hope for a speedy recovery.

Sincerely,

Todd Greer

Superintendent