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Dear Students, Staff, Parents/Guardians:

This letter is to inform you that today we learned an individual at Chesterfield Elementary School has tested positive for Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). The District is coordinating closely with the Burlington County Health Department (BCHD) and following CDC and State guidelines in order to ensure the health and safety of our community.

Per the guidelines of the BCHD, Chesterfield Elementary School may remain open. As of this date, there is no evidence of a COVID-19 spread from within our building and contact tracing has been completed. If you were identified as a close contact (within 6 feet for 15 cumulative minutes or more over 24 hours), you received additional notifications in the form of a phone call and letter. If you did not receive additional notification, no further action is required.

We appreciate our community's support and cooperation. Any student or staff member who is experiencing COVID-19 symptoms or being tested should notify the school nurse and remain home from school. Should you have any questions about this situation, please feel free to call me directly at (609)298-6900 x1230 or email at [sheino@chesterfieldschool.com](mailto:sheino@chesterfieldschool.com). You may also contact our school nurses at (609)298-6900 at extensions 1212 or 1215.

Although we are not seeing spread within the building, the number of cases around us continues to impact our ability to remain open. I will be meeting with my team tomorrow morning to determine our status for opening on Monday. Tomorrow an additional notification will be sent to the school community confirming our status for the upcoming week.

Sincerely,

*Scott Heino*

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