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TO: PENNCREST Students, Families and Staff
FROM: Dr. Timothy S. Glasspool *XSB*
DATE: November 18, 2020

RE: *Positive COVID-19 Case Cambridge Springs High School*

The District was notified this afternoon that a Cambridge Springs High School student tested positive for COVID-19. We have contacted all ten (10) of the students who are potential close contacts.

It is critical for all students and staff to stay home from school when sick or demonstrating any [symptoms of COVID-19](#). In order to continue in person learning and the winter athletic season, it is imperative that all students, staff and families follow [CDC mitigation strategies](#).

Please read this important PA DoH information:

[COVID-19 patient instructions for self-isolation while awaiting laboratory results](#)

[Notification of COVID-19 test results to patients](#)

**An individual who is quarantined cannot "test out" of quarantine. The full 14-day quarantine must be observed.*

We encourage all individuals that are contacted by the PA DoH to follow their instructions. All families should closely monitor students for signs and symptoms of COVID-19. [Symptoms of COVID-19](#) may include fever or chills, cough, sore throat, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, or new loss of taste or smell. We strongly recommend that parents contact health care professionals if demonstrating any of the signs or symptoms outlined above. The District's response to future COVID-19 positive tests or active cases will differ based on information, potential spread, and direction from the PA DoH.