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## Northern Elementary Closure 3/29-31

Today the District has learned of a second case of COVID-19 at Northern Elementary School. This case involves a staff member, last in the building on March 18. Because Northern Elementary has now accumulated two cases within a 14-day period, the building must close per PDE's Closure Orders.

The building closure will begin Monday, March 29 and continue through Wednesday, March 31. Staff and students will operate in the remote model of instruction. Northern Elementary will reopen on Thursday, April 1, unless we notify you that conditions have not adequately improved.

The District has taken action in accordance with the guidelines of the PA Department of Health (DOH) and the protocols established in the district's Health and Safety Plan, including consultation with the DOH, contact tracing, quarantining individuals that were in close contact, and appropriate cleaning and disinfecting of affected areas.

Miss Cal will follow up with school staff and families with an email providing additional details as necessary. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we navigate the many challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic.