March 18, 2021

District Families,

The District has learned of three cases of COVID-19, one each in the high school, the middle school, and Northern Elementary School.

The case at the high school is a student last in the building on Tuesday, March 16. This is the third case for the high school within the current rolling 14-day period (six cases require a closure).

The case at the middle school is a student last in the building on Monday, March 15. This is the first case for the middle school within the current rolling 14-day period (four cases require a closure).

The case at Northern Elementary School is a staff member last in the building on Tuesday, March 16. This is the first case for Northern Elementary within the current rolling 14-day period (two cases require a closure).

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.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we navigate the many challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic.

In education,

Steve Kirkpatrick Superintendent of Schools