

Delaware Valley School District

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of 9 new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Dingman-Delaware Primary School – 2, Dingman-Delaware Middle School – 2, Delaware Valley Middle School – 1, and the Delaware Valley High School – 4. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Since the Dingman-Delaware Middle School has reached their threshold today, they will be 100% remote April 13 and April 14. This means all DDMS students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The students can physically return to the school on Thursday, April 15.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

The Delaware Valley School District will continue to monitor the situation and will provide updates as needed. Please know the health and safety of our students and staff is our utmost priority.

Sincerely,

John J. Bell

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Superintendent