

## Lassen COVID-19: Incident Command



## DAILY UPDATE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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To date, the Lassen County COVID-19 (novel coronavirus) total tests are as follows:

0 - Known cases

94 - Negative

1 - Pending

95 - Total Tests

Lassen County schools are entering their second week of distance learning. The local school districts and their teachers are working hard to continue educating the youth during the COVID-19 (novel coronavirus) pandemic. Even though schools are not operating in their usual manner, teachers have been busy working on modalities to keep learning in place and interaction with peers a possibility.

Many schools have provided devices for student access to online learning. Some schools are providing textbooks, packets, and other activities for students to stay active in their education. Although this is not the ideal situation for the public school system, it is amazing to see how quickly the educators in our community have come together to help students as families are following the stay-at-home order.

Here are some tips for helping students in the home learning environment:

- Develop a schedule for students to complete academic work.
- Provide a guiet and comfortable working space for students.
- Email teachers or contact the school by phone if you have questions specific to school work.
- Be patient and supportive.

Lassen County Superintendent of Schools, Patty Gunderson, says "We are in this together and we will survive." She also gives the following suggestions:

- Remember to breath and just do your best.
- Don't add additional stress to your lives or the lives of your children.
- Everyone is in a different place and somedays you just may need to take a break to laugh and hug your child.

For additional information and updates, please visit our website at <a href="www.lassencares.org">www.lassencares.org</a> and the LassenCares Facebook page. If you have any questions regarding COVID-19, please call the Lassen County COVID-19 call center at (530) 251-8100 Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.