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Dear Parents/Guardians and Staff:

We have been notified of a positive COVID-19 individual at Mason Middle School. Students or staff considered close contacts have been notified and will be quarantining.

As a reminder, the virus that causes COVID-19 is thought to spread mainly from person to person, through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs, sneezes or talks. These droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs.

**The symptoms of COVID-19** are similar in children and adults.

The principal symptoms of COVID-19 now include any of the following NOT explained by a known medical or physical condition: • Fever (100.4 +) • an uncontrolled cough • shortness of breath

OR At least two of the following NOT explained by a known medical or physical condition: • Loss of taste or smell • myalgia (muscle pain) • sore throat • severe headache • diarrhea • vomiting • abdominal pain

No further action is required, yet we encourage you to continue to monitor and evaluate your child's health daily by using the student screening found on the COVID-19 page of the District/School Website. Additionally, up to date resources can be found on the Monroe County Health Department page at [www.co.monroe.mi.us](http://www.co.monroe.mi.us)

Further questions regarding COVID-19 can be answered by contacting the Monroe County Health Department at (734) 240-7860.

Please know that when a case is identified, we conduct additional cleaning and disinfecting in areas throughout the school and transportation if applicable. We will continue to recommend students and staff wear facial coverings while in buildings and social distancing wherever possible.

Additionally, please be reminded that resources and information regarding COVID-19 and Mason Consolidated Schools confirmed and probable cases can be found by visiting the District website COVID-19 page.

Respectfully,

*Kelli A. Tuller*

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