



SAUSALITO MARIN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Superintendent:
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September 29, 2021

Dear 2nd Grade Parents/Guardians and Staff:

I am writing to inform you that a student or staff person in Room 11 has tested positive for COVID-19. I am working with Marin County Public Health to support contact tracing efforts according to protocols developed jointly with Public Health and the Marin County Office of Education. We are sending this letter to all 2nd grade families because, while the positive case is in Room 11, we know that our 2nd graders do eat and play together as one cohort at recess and lunch/lunch recess.

Based on our investigation, we believe that your child has not had close contact with the COVID-19 positive individual. Your child may therefore continue with school and their usual daily activities, while monitoring for symptoms.

We are taking all steps required by Public Health to prevent the spread of COVID-19. When a positive COVID Case is identified within our school community, you can expect the following:

- BMLK will receive and follow specific guidance from Marin County Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Division of Public Health. The School provides data to HHS for contact tracing to identify children and staff who have been exposed through school activities to COVID-19
- Watch your child for symptoms of COVID-19. If your child develops symptoms of COVID-19 (cough • shortness of breath / difficulty breathing • loss of taste or smell, fever (100.4°F/38°C or higher) or chills • sore throat • diarrhea), they must be tested for COVID-19 or evaluated by a healthcare provider. If not, they must stay at home and isolate for at least 10 days

If you have any health-related questions, please contact your healthcare provider or the Public Health information line at (415) 473-7191.

Sincerely,

David Finnane
Principal
BMLK

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Marin Public Health, CDC & Marin County Office of Education Resources:

- Marin Public Health: (415) 473-7191 | Link: <https://coronavirus.marinhhs.org/>
- Visit MCOE Rethinking Schools Website with updated information (<https://bit.ly/MCOERethinkingSchools>)
- Other Resources:
 - August 14, 2020 Marin County Public Health Guided Return to Site-Based Classroom Instruction (Comprehensive School Resource Document)
 - May 20, 2020 Public Health Emergency Isolation Order
 - May 20, 2020 Public Health Emergency Quarantine Order
 - New Testing Guidelines
 - COVID-19 Guidance: At Home Quarantine and Isolation Safety
 - CDC Appendices- Glossary of Terms
 - CDC Exposure Risk
 - CDC Symptoms
 - Marin HHS - Risk levels of knowing someone who tested positive for COVID-19

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Estimados padres / tutores y personal del Grade 2:

Le escribimos para informarle que un estudiante o miembro del personal en el grade 2 ha dado positivo por COVID-19. Estamos trabajando con el departamento de Salud Pública del Condado de Marin para apoyar los esfuerzos de rastreo de contactos de acuerdo con los protocolos desarrollados conjuntamente con Salud Pública y la Oficina de Educación del Condado de Marin. Según nuestra investigación, creemos que su hijo no ha tenido un contacto cercano con la persona que dio examen positivo de COVID-19. Por lo tanto, su hijo puede continuar con la escuela y sus actividades diarias habituales, mientras monitorea los síntomas.

Estamos tomando todas las medidas requeridas por Salud Pública para prevenir la propagación de COVID-19. Cuando se identifica un caso positivo de COVID-19 dentro de nuestra comunidad escolar, puede esperar lo siguiente:

- BMLK recibirá y seguirá la orientación específica del Departamento de Salud y Servicios Humanos (HHS) del Condado de Marin, División de Salud Pública. La escuela proporciona datos al HHS para el rastreo de contactos para identificar a los niños y al personal que han estado expuestos a COVID-19 a través de las actividades escolares.
- Observe a su hijo para detectar síntomas de COVID-19. Si su hijo presenta síntomas de COVID-19 (tos • dificultad para respirar / dificultad para respirar • pérdida del gusto o del olfato, fiebre (100.4 ° F / 38 ° C o más) o escalofríos • dolor de garganta • diarrea), debe ser examinado para COVID-19 o evaluado por un proveedor de atención médica. De lo contrario, deben quedarse en casa y aislarse durante al menos 10 días. Si tiene alguna pregunta relacionada con la salud, comuníquese con su proveedor de atención médica o con la línea de información de Salud Pública al (415) 473-7191.

Atentamente,

[Administrador / profesor del sitio XXX]

[Nombre de escuela]

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[The recommendation is to send the following resources to families. The links that are not spelled out should not go via hardcopy (note that all resources listed are available on the Public Health & MCOE websites).]

Recursos de Salud Pública, CDC y la Oficina de Educación del Condado de Marin:

- Salud Pública de Marin: (415) 473-7191 | Enlace: <https://coronavirus.marinhhs.org/>
- Visite el sitio web de MCOE Rethinking Schools con información actualizada (Enlace:

<https://bit.ly/MCOERethinkingSchools> - Para ver el español en el sitio web, haga clic derecho y elija "translate to español")

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- Otros recursos
 - August 14, 2020 Marin County Public Health Guided Return to Site-Based Classroom Instruction (Comprehensive School Resource Document)
 - 20/05/20: Orden de aislamiento de emergencia de salud pública
 - 20/05/20: Orden de cuarentena de emergencia de salud pública
 - Nuevas Pautas de Prueba
 - Orientación sobre el COVID-19 Cuarentena en Casa y Seguridad de Aislamiento
 - Apéndices Glosario de términos
 - Orientación de salud pública para la exposición relacionada con la comunidad (CDC)
 - Síntomas de la enfermedad del coronavirus (CDC)
 - Alguien que conozco dio positivo por COVID-19. ¿Estoy en riesgo?