

KALEVA NORMAN DICKSON SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Small School – Big Family

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Dear Families,

Today we were made aware of an elementary student who tested positive for Covid-19. This student will remain in quarantine until Saturday, December 18, 2021 according to Health Department and CDC guidelines. This positive case resulted in 2 sibling close contacts at home, one who will have to quarantine until Saturday, December 18, 2021. The other sibling is fully vaccinated and may attend school if symptom free according to Health Department and CDC guidelines. In addition, there were six close contacts at school. Those students may continue to attend school as long as they are not exhibiting any symptoms according to Health Department and CDC guidelines.

To help protect your family from the negative effects of Covid-19, please consider the following information that is provided from the Health Department... 1. Fully vaccinated individuals deemed a closed contact do not have to quarantine as long as they are not experiencing symptoms. 2. Regardless of vaccination status, an individual wearing a mask properly and maintaining 3 feet of distance from the exposed individual, does not need to quarantine. 3. Students and staff not vaccinated, not wearing a mask, and are within 6 feet of an individual for 15 cumulative minutes who tests positive, will be quarantined for a minimum of 7 days. Feel free to email me with any questions or concerns you may have. Should you have any questions for the Health Department you can reach them at 231-723-3595.

Sincerely,



Cheryl Smith
KND K-12 Principal