



Streator Township High School

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Dear Streator High School Community,

As we kick off the second half of the school year, we wanted to provide an update to a change we are making. Throughout this semester, we will continue to send a letter through email to all parents when we have a positive case to report. We will also update our dashboard 2-3 times per week or as needed. **We will not be sending a text message home to parents each time we issue a letter. To keep current on the situation, please check your emails regularly or the dashboard on our website.**

This release is also to inform you that one Streator High School Student has tested positive for COVID-19. This individual is currently in isolation to avoid further spread. **There were no close contacts associated with this case.**

Cases and quarantines that occurred during the Holiday Break are not being reported as none of those individuals have returned to school yet.

The health and safety of Streator High School students and staff is our highest priority, and we recognize the uncertainty and concern regarding the evolving coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. We are following guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as well as the state and local health departments for best practices and procedures to protect everyone's health.

As always, everyone should monitor their health and stay at home if they develop symptoms. Sick persons should contact their health care provider to determine if testing is needed. Anyone who develops severe symptoms should seek medical care immediately. If your child has had close contact with a known case of COVID-19, keep the child at home and notify your primary healthcare provider, Streator High School, and your local health department.

We are committed to providing your child and our staff with a safe and healthy environment. Thank you for your understanding and ongoing cooperation with our COVID prevention policies and procedures as we work to help protect your children, your families, and our staff and their families. Please continue to follow our COVID-19 Dashboard on our website at <https://www.streatorhs.org/coviddashboard> for the latest updates.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact me at (815) 672-0545 or by email at mseaton@streatorhs.org.

Sincerely,

Dr. Matt Seaton, Superintendent

Vision Statement

Streator Township High School prepares its graduates to live and adapt in a changing world by offering a challenging academic and career-ready curriculum with a solid technological foundation and a comprehensive extracurricular program in a safe and effective learning environment.

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