

Bluffton Exempted Village Schools

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Dr. Gregory J. Denecker, Superintendent

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Dear Parents and Students-

I am writing to inform you of 1 positive COVID-19 test result in Bluffton High School and 2 positive cases in the Elementary School. Due to privacy laws, we cannot disclose further information about these cases. Whenever a person has a confirmed COVID-19 case, they must quarantine per the CDC and local health department guidelines and may not return until they meet the Health Departments criteria for returning to school.

We have notified the local health department, and we have conducted contact tracing through seating charts to identify individuals who had close contact with the positive cases. If your child had close contact with these cases in a seating chart, then you have already been notified by our school.

As a precaution, we encourage you to monitor your health and contact your doctor if you develop COVID-19 symptoms.

Sincerely,

Greg Denecker