



# West Irondequoit Central School District

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Dear West Irondequoit Families,

We were informed that an Irondequoit High School student recently tested positive for COVID-19. At this time, the Monroe County Department of Public Health (MCDPH) has completed contact tracing and determined that the student contracted the virus outside of school. As a precaution, the student self-quarantined and has not been on campus since October 9<sup>th</sup>. The MCDPH also indicated that the student was not a carrier of the virus prior to their last day of attendance.

If the MCDPH did not contact you or your child, there is no risk of exposure. As you know per federal privacy laws, we cannot disclose more details or personally identifiable information about COVID-19 cases.

As you hear in the news, COVID-19 positive cases are to be expected especially as the weather gets colder. Earlier this week, I shared advice about the precautions we need to take when moving our small family and friend gatherings indoors. Like this case, we need to continue to closely monitor the possible physical signs and symptoms daily. Our staff and you are doing a great job completing your daily health screens and taking necessary precautions. Let's keep up the good work and stay the course. Transmission will happen in the community, but we can contain the spread.

Again, thank you for your ongoing support and commitment to our children.

In partnership,

Aaron R. Johnson, Ed. D  
Superintendent of Schools