



Grand Coulee Dam School District

Superintendent, B. Paul Turner

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Parent/community update

Good afternoon,

This is an update that I had hoped I would not need to write. I want to officially let you know that we have been notified of a positive case of COVID-19 in the Coulee. Coulee Medical Center (CMC) and Colville Confederated Tribes (CCT) have posted a statement on their website.

Besides CMC and CCT, we have been in communication with both Grant and Okanogan counties. Both counties have confirmed that exposure at the school is considered very low risk to students and staff. Current district health and safety operating procedures will continue during this time to help minimize exposure.

In order to maximize ongoing safety, we will be closing the school the rest of today and tomorrow in order to deep clean. In addition to the procedures currently in place, we will be requiring all staff to wear masks and to maintain a social distance of 10 feet.

I have received questions about meals. Lunch/breakfast deliveries will resume Friday as originally planned. Expect the same schedule for meal delivery over spring break.

Now that COVID-19 has reached the Coulee, it is more imperative that you follow the social distance guidelines established by the state.

Stay Home / Stay Safe, keep your distance (10 feet) and wash your hands.

Mr. Turner
