



September 9, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians:

On Wednesday, Tatum ISD received confirmation that a staff member who works at Tatum High School tested positive for COVID-19. The staff member was last on campus Tuesday, September 1, 2020. You are receiving this notice because your child was present on the campus prior to the staff's diagnosis of COVID-19.

The district will follow cleaning protocols to ensure that the area is sanitized and safe for staff and students upon their return on Thursday.

While we do not have reason to believe that those who were not in close contact with the infected individual have reason to be concerned, we ask that you, as always, watch for symptoms of COVID-19.

Any of the symptoms below indicate a possible COVID-19 infection:

- Feeling feverish or a measured temperature greater than or equal to 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit
- Loss of taste or smell
- Cough
- Difficulty breathing
- Shortness of breath
- Fatigue
- Headache
- Chills
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Shaking or exaggerated shivering
- Significant muscle pain or ache
- Diarrhea
- Nausea or vomiting

If you or any member of your family begins experiencing any of these symptoms in a way that is not typical, we encourage you to contact your physician. We also ask that you contact Mr. Quick at quickm@tatumisd.org or call 903-947-0102. We encourage anyone who is lab-confirmed to have COVID-19 to please notify the school. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to the high school campus or visit our website at www.tatumisd.org.

Sincerely,

Matthew Quick
THS Principal