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Dear Sussex-Wantage Community:

This letter is to inform you that two individuals at Sussex Middle School have tested positive for COVID-19. One individual also tested positive for COVID-19 at the Clifton E. Lawrence School. The Department of Health (DOH) has been notified and contact tracing was conducted. In all of these instances, the individuals who were deemed to be close contacts have been notified. In addition to these instances, we are writing to inform you that no close contacts were identified from our last Board of Education meeting concerning the COVID positive case. At this time all schools remain operational for in person instruction.

The symptoms of COVID-19 are similar to the regular seasonal influenza and include fever, coughing, and shortness of breath. Some have reported additional symptoms, such as a runny nose, sore throat, nausea, lethargy, lack of appetite, vomiting, and diarrhea. Individuals who need medical care should call their medical provider to report their illness prior to seeking care at a clinic, physician's office, or hospital. *Individuals with symptoms of any illness should not report to school*. As always, we appreciate your support, patience, and cooperation.

Sincerely

Michael Gall
Superintendent/Principal CE Lawrence School