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Dear Sussex-Wantage Community:

This notification is to inform you that we have two unrelated individuals with COVID-19 compatible symptoms in our school community. We have notified the Sussex County Department of Health (DOH) and followed their guidance in order to ensure the health and safety of our school community. One case impacted CEL and the other WES. All close contacts have already been notified. These cases will not impact our operations for next week and school will be in person using our cohort model.

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. ***As always, individuals with symptoms of any illness should not report to school.*** If anyone in your immediate household is experiencing symptoms of illness, please contact our school nurses prior to sending your child to school. We apologize for any inconvenience that this has caused and thank you for your patience as we worked through this challenge together.

Sincerely

Michael Gall
Superintendent/Principal CE Lawrence School