

Marathon Central School District

Office of the Superintendent of Schools

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Mrs. Rebecca Stone
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March 24, 2021

Dear Marathon Parents and Guardians,

We were advised on Tuesday, March 23, 2021, that two people who attend the Jr./Sr. High School have tested positive for the COVID-19 virus. Cortland County Health Department has investigated and completed the contact tracing process. No additional students or staff will be required to quarantine due to these two cases.

The people who tested positive will not return to school until the Cortland County Health Department provides clearance for them to do so. We hope you understand that we cannot provide any additional information about the people who tested positive due to confidentiality concerns. We will continue to deep clean and sanitize our school buildings and school buses on a daily basis.

It is important that students and staff who feel sick stay home. If you or a family member start to exhibit symptoms of COVID-19 (defined by CDC to include fever, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, chills, muscle pain or body aches, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell, fatigue, diarrhea, nausea or vomiting, congestion or running nose), please reach out to your physician and inform the appropriate school nurse. If you do not have a physician, you can call Guthrie Cortland Medical Central at (607) 299-7676, Upstate Medical University at (315) 464-3979, Cayuga's Call Center at (607) 319-5708 or Binghamton University's Drive-Thru Site at 1-888-364-3064. If you would like further information on COVID-19, please go to this Cortland County website, <https://www.cortland-co.org/432/Health-Department>.

We thank you for your understanding and patience. We will continue to support our students, families, faculty and staff to the best of our ability. Let's all continue to work together to stay healthy, so our schools can stay open.

Sincerely,



Rebecca Stone
Marathon CSD Superintendent