

Good afternoon,

As the weekend approaches, I would like to provide another district update regarding COVID-19 and its impact on our school community. We continue to work through the transportation challenges I apprised you of earlier this week and the district will communicate directly with families about changes or delays in our bus routes. Since the update provided on December 7th, we have had six students and one staff member report positive cases to the district. Based upon the assigned cohorts and the attendance of these students and staff in our school buildings, there was no in-school exposure to any other student or staff member. Please see the details below:

School	Staff/Student	Result
Governor Livingston	2 Students	Last day in School 11/4 No in-school exposure
Columbia	1 Student	Last day in School 11/25 No in-school exposure
Mountain Park	2 Students	Last day in School 11/30 No in-school exposure
Thomas P. Hughes	1 Student	Fully Remote Student No in-school exposure
MKM ECC	1 Staff Member	Last day in School 11/30 No in-school exposure

We continue to wish all of our staff, students, and families a speedy recovery and good health as they navigate this virus. We also hope that everyone will do their part to protect themselves, their families and our entire community by following the risk mitigating guidelines shared by the CDC and Department of Health.

Finally, I want to share that the district has begun accepting online lottery applications for the 2021-2022 Mary Kay McMillin Preschool and Full Day Kindergarten programs. Lottery applications will be accepted between December 10, 2020 and January 5, 2021. [More information and the online applications can be found on the MKM ECC website.](#) Additionally, registration for Kindergarten and new incoming First Grade students will begin on December 18, 2020. [This information can also be found on the MKM ECC website.](#)

Enjoy the weekend!

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