



Valley Stream UFSD Thirteen

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Constance D. Evelyn, Ed.D., Superintendent of Schools

March 18, 2021

Dear Valley Stream UFSD Thirteen Parents and Guardians,

James A. Dever School:

- Today, a family at the James A. Dever School self-reported that a family member tested positive for the coronavirus (COVID-19).

The student's last day of attendance was Tuesday, March 16th. The student will not be allowed to return to school for at least 10 days.

Willow Road School:

- Yesterday, a family at the Willow Road School self-reported that a student tested positive for the coronavirus (COVID-19).

The student's last day of attendance was Monday, March 15th. The student will not be allowed to return to school for at least 10 days. The class will be quarantined and return to school on Monday, April 5th following Spring Break.

- Today, a staff member at the Willow Road School self-reported that they were in close contact with someone that tested positive for the coronavirus (COVID-19).

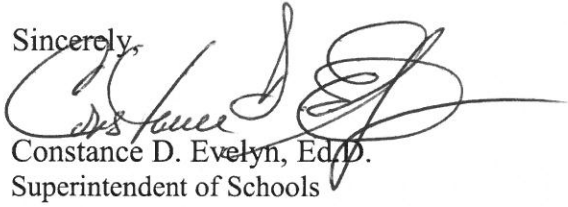
The staff member's last day of attendance was today, March 18th. The staff member will not be allowed to return to school for at least 10 days.

Following the guidance issued by the New York State Education Department, and the Nassau County Department of Health (NCDOH), we immediately contacted the health department for confirmation and direction relative to all reported cases in our district. Additionally, we consistently confirm whether there are any siblings attending the Central High School District or other regional schools.

As a reminder, our facilities are cleaned and disinfected on a daily basis as per the New York State Department of Education and CDC guidelines. We have adhered to the maintenance of social distancing, mask wearing, and desk barriers are utilized daily. Based on guidance from the NCDOH, it is not necessary that we enact any further restrictions or measures at this time.

We will continue to monitor these cases and keep you updated with any pertinent information. Please continue to exercise the safe practices recommended by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) including socially distancing, wearing a mask, and frequent hand washing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Constance D. Evelyn', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Constance D. Evelyn, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools