

## **Ravenna Public Schools**

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Dear Staff, Parents, and Community of Ravenna Public Schools:

We have received confirmation that one high school staff member has tested positive for COVID-19. Privacy regulations restrict us from sharing identifying information about the individual affected. No close contacts have been identified at RHS at this point in time.

We will continue to work with Public Health - Muskegon County, and we will follow their recommendations regarding thresholds for maintaining in-person instruction, quarantining, isolation, identifying close contacts, and cleaning/sanitizing protocols.

We believe we are taking appropriate measures to prevent the spread of illness and we appreciate your efforts as well. As a reminder, continue to screen for symptoms. I truly believe it's our civic responsibility to effectively screen and quarantine during this pandemic.

Please be reminded that wearing a mask, following 6' physical distancing measures, and frequently washing your hands is essential. Thank you for your partnership in keeping our students, staff, and community safe and healthy.

If you have questions or concerns, feel free to contact me at <u>ghelmer@ravennaschools.org</u>.

Sincerely,

Greg Helmen

Greg Helmer Superintendent, Ravenna Public Schools #BulldogPride

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