

Delaware Valley School District

Coronavirus Cases Dashboard – Winter/Spring 2021

(Students & Staff Combined)

	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June
DVES	4	2	11			
DDES	2	1	8			
DDPS	4	3	7			
SES	8	14	9			
DVMS	2	3	10			
DDMS	5	10	4			
DVHS	25	17	36			
Other	2	0	1			
Total	52	50	86			

Notes: This chart will be updated weekly. All cases listed on this chart may not count toward 14-day rolling count because some of these cases occurred when students or staff were not physically present while infectious. The “Other” category is for employees not assigned to a particular school. **Updated on 3/31/21.**

Delaware Valley School District

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January 4, 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Happy New Year to all of you! May 2021 bring you good health and plenty of happiness. Our schools were closed for 12 days for winter recess so I wanted to give you an update on the COVID-19 situation over that time period. We had 20 cases over the 12 days so that's less than two per day. The case breakdown is as follows:

DDPS - 2	DDES - 3	DVES - 3	SES - 1
DVMS - 3	DDMS - 1	DVHS - 7	

I do anticipate some short-term closures over the next few months. If a school hits a certain threshold of positive cases in a 14-day period (which varies based on school size), we will switch that school to remote learning for one or more days as per state regulations. These short-term switches to remote learning allow for case investigation, contact tracing and disinfecting. It also resets the 14-day count back to zero for any school that goes remote for one or more days. The 20 cases listed above all happened while we were closed for winter recess so all of our schools reopened today with new 14-day counts starting at zero. Thankfully, the quarantine periods for almost all of the 20 cases ended in time for the staff and students affected to return to school today.

As I was typing this letter, we were just informed of our first new case since reopening this morning. This case is from Delaware Valley Middle School so their 14-day count just went from zero to one. No one needs to be quarantined as the student hasn't been in school since December.

The virus is definitely more prevalent in the community now than it was just a few weeks ago. We are asking everyone to keep their guard up and limit their exposure as much as possible. **What happens in our community seeps into our schools so we need everyone's help to keep the schools open.**

Finally, we are going to stop making the automated calls and social media posts every time we have a positive case. Since we are now held to new metrics based on a rolling 14-day count, we will make the calls/social media posts each time a school is forced to go remote. We will still post letters on our website each day that we have positive cases. We will also continue to update the coronavirus dashboard weekly on our website.

Wishing you all the best in the new year,

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January 6, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of two confirmed cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley Elementary School and the Shohola Elementary School. The DVES individual was last in school on Friday, December 18, 2020, and the SES individual was last in school on January 5, 2021. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected since then according to CDC guidelines. The schools will remain open. No one needs to be quarantined in either situation.

In addition, the Department of Health notified us of two more cases that occurred over winter recess. This increases the total over vacation to 22 cases.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

The Delaware Valley School District will continue to monitor the situation and will provide updates as needed. Please know the health and safety of our students and staff is our utmost priority.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent

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January 7, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Delaware Valley School District was notified today of six confirmed cases of coronavirus COVID-19 as follows:

SES - 1 DVES - 1 DDMS - 1 DVHS - 3

None of these six individuals have been in school since December so no one needs to be quarantined except those from their own households. We continue to clean and disinfect the schools on a daily basis. All schools will remain open.

We also received clarification from the state on tracking case counts. The state's language says "the case count for a school building would include any individual (student or staff) with a confirmed or probable case of COVID-19 **who was physically present** in the school setting while infectious, including but not limited to instruction, work, sports or extracurricular activities."

Of all the cases reported to us this week, only one case involved someone who was physically here this week. Therefore, that means when tracking the 14-day counts per building, *Shohola Elementary is at one case and all the other schools are at zero.* I apologize for the confusion previously but this is certainly good news. It also makes sense in that if the goal is to control the spread then only those who are physically present while infectious should be counted toward a possible short-term closure.

I can't say thank you enough for the efforts of our staff, students and parents/guardians. While we hear stories of people trying to skirt the system, 99% of you are doing a wonderful job trying to keep our kids safe and our schools open.

Sincerely,

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January 8, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Delaware Valley School District was notified today of seven confirmed cases of coronavirus COVID-19 as follows:

DDPS - 1 DDMS - 2 DVHS - 4

We are now at 68 cases total since the start of the school year. All of our schools except the high school have a threshold of two cases in a rolling 14-day time period to cause a short-term shutdown while the high school has a threshold of six cases. These thresholds were set jointly by the state departments of health and education.

Since Dingman-Delaware Middle School (DDMS) had two cases today, it will be 100% remote on Monday. This means all DDMS students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The staff will report to work as usual on Monday. The in-person students can physically return to the school on Tuesday.

Again, this is DDMS only! All other schools are operating on their regular schedule.

The **grab and go lunch pick-up** on the DD campus on Monday from 9:30-10:30 will still happen like usual. This is open to all families.

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January 11, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Delaware Valley School District was notified today of four confirmed cases of coronavirus COVID-19 as follows:

SES – 2 (one case hasn't been in school since December so it doesn't count toward 14-day count)

DVHS – 3 (one case is a Zoom student so it doesn't count toward the 14-day count)

Since Shohola Elementary School and the High School reached their thresholds today, both schools will be 100% remote on Tuesday. This means all SES and DVHS students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The staff will report to work as usual on Tuesday. The students can physically return to the school on Wednesday.

Again, this is SES and DVHS only! All other schools are operating on their regular schedule.

Grab and Go Breakfast and Lunch will available tomorrow at SES and DVHS between 9:30 and 11:30 for any student affected by the closing at no cost to you. No registration necessary. Need more information, please contact the cafeteria office 570-296-8168.

We received some further information regarding thresholds requiring a switch from in-person learning to remote learning. Three of our schools are now considered "medium" schools so that means they won't have to switch to remote learning as quickly.

School Size	Schools	# of cases requiring remote learning
Small (less than 500 students)	DDES, DVES, SES	2
Medium (500-900)	DDPS, DVMS, DDMS	4
Large (more than 900)	DVHS	6

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January 12, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of seven new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Dingman-Delaware Primary School – 1, Dingman-Delaware Elementary School – 1, Shohola Elementary School – 2, Delaware Valley High School – 2 and the Delaware Valley Administrative Offices – 1. At least four of the cases won't require anyone to quarantine. Contact tracing is occurring right now on the other cases. All schools will be open tomorrow.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

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January 15, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one confirmed case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School on Thursday, January 14 and one confirmed case at the Dingman-Delaware Primary School today. Five individuals that have come into close contact (any individual within 6 feet of an infected individual for at least 15 minutes) with the high school individual have already been contacted by the Department of Health and/or the school district with instructions to self-quarantine and contact tracing is occurring right now on the case at the Dingman-Delaware Primary School. The schools will remain open.

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January 19, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of four new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Delaware Valley Elementary School – 1, Dingman-Delaware Elementary School – 1, Dingman-Delaware Middle School – 1, and the Delaware Valley High School – 1. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. The schools will remain open. All close contacts needing to quarantine have been contacted.

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January 20, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of two new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School and one new case at Shohola Elementary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. The school will remain open. There were no close contacts related to these cases.

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January 21, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individual have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. The school will remain open. All close contacts have already been notified.

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January 22, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of two new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. The school will remain open. All close contacts have already been notified.

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January 25, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Delaware Valley School District was notified today of four confirmed cases of coronavirus COVID-19 as follows:

DVES – 1 SES – 1 DDMS – 1 DVHS – 1

Since Delaware Valley Elementary School reached its threshold today, it will be 100% remote on Tuesday. This means all DVES students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The staff will report to work as usual on Tuesday. The students can physically return to the school on Wednesday.

Grab and Go Breakfast and Lunch will be available tomorrow at DVES between 9:30 and 11:30 for any student affected by the closing at no cost to you. No registration necessary. For more information, please contact the cafeteria office 570-296-4934.

If we have a snow day on Tuesday, the DVES remote learning day and the “Grab and Go” meals will occur on Wednesday instead.

Again, this is DVES only! All other schools are operating on their regular schedule.

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January 27, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Delaware Valley School District was notified today of four confirmed cases of coronavirus COVID-19 as follows:

DVHS – 3 Staff not assigned to a school - 1

Since Delaware Valley High School reached its threshold today, it will be 100% remote on Thursday. This means all DVHS students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The staff will report to work as usual on Thursday. The students can physically return to the school on Friday (which is a half-day).

Grab and Go Breakfast and Lunch will be available tomorrow at DVHS between 9:30 and 11:30 for any student affected by the closing at no cost. No registration is necessary. For more information, please contact the cafeteria office 570-296-1868.

Again, this is DVHS only! All other schools are operating on their regular schedule.

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January 29, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of two new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School, one new case at the Delaware Valley Middle School and one new case at the Dingman-Delaware Primary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. The schools will remain open. All close contacts have been notified.

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February 4, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School, one new case at the Delaware Valley Middle School and one new case at the Dingman-Delaware Primary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. The schools will remain open. All close contacts have been notified.

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February 10, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Dingman-Delaware Primary School and three new cases at the Dingman-Delaware Middle School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. The schools will remain open. All close contacts have been notified.

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February 11, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of five new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Shohola Elementary School – 1, Dingman-Delaware Middle School – 3 (all zoom), and the Delaware Valley High School – 1 (zoom). The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. The schools will remain open. All close contacts have been notified.

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February 17, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of seven new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) for the time period of February 13-17 when schools were closed as follows: Dingman-Delaware Elementary School – 1, Shohola Elementary School – 5, and the Delaware Valley High School – 1. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. Dingman-Delaware Middle School and Shohola Elementary, as previously announced, are learning remotely from February 16-18 as a result of reaching their case count thresholds.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

The Delaware Valley School District will continue to monitor the situation and will provide updates as needed. Please know the health and safety of our students and staff is our utmost priority.

Sincerely,

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February 22, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of six new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) for the time period of February 20-22 when schools were closed as follows: Dingman-Delaware Primary School – 1, Shohola Elementary School – 3, Delaware Valley Elementary School – 1 and the Delaware Valley High School – 1. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. All schools will be open on Tuesday.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

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February 23, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of two new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. The school will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

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February 24, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of four new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Shohola Elementary School – 1, Dingman-Delaware Middle School – 2 and the Delaware Valley High School – 1. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. All schools will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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February 26, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley Middle School and one new case at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. The schools will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 1, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of five new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School and one new case at the Shohola Elementary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Since Shohola Elementary School has reached their threshold today, they will be 100% remote for the next three days (March 2, 3, and 4). This means all SES students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The students can physically return to the school on Friday.

This is for SES only! All other schools are operating on their regular schedule.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
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- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 2, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of four new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School and one new case at the Shohola Elementary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Shohola Elementary School is already in remote learning for March 3 and 4. SES students will return to school on Friday, March 5.

Delaware Valley High School will now be in remote learning for March 3, 4 and 5. DVHS students will return to school on Monday, March 8.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
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Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 3, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of three new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School and one new case at the Delaware Valley Elementary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Delaware Valley High School is in remote learning for March 4 and 5. DVHS students will return to school on Monday, March 8.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
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Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 4, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of 8 new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Delaware Valley High School – 2, Dingman-Delaware Middle School – 1, Dingman-Delaware Elementary School – 1 and Shohola Elementary School – 4. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Shohola Elementary School students will remain in remote learning through Friday, March 5 and will return to school on Monday, March 8. Delaware Valley High School is currently on remote learning and will return to school on Monday, March 8.

All other schools will remain open.

Correction: On March 3, we reported that the Delaware Valley Elementary School had one new case, that case was actually in the Delaware Valley Middle School.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 8, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of three new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School and one new case at the Delaware Valley Middle School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. The schools will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
- Wash your hands frequently
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- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 10, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Shohola Elementary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individual have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. The school will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
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- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 11, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Shohola Elementary School and one new case at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. The schools will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

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- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
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- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 12, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individual have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. The school will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

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March 15, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of seven new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Dingman-Delaware Primary School – 1, Delaware Valley Middle School – 1, and the Delaware Valley High School – 5. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Since the Delaware Valley High School has reached their threshold today, they will be 100% remote for the next three days (March 16, 17, and 18). This means all DVHS students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The students can physically return to the school on Friday.

This is for DVHS only! All other schools are operating on their regular schedule.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

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March 17, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of six new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Dingman-Delaware Primary School – 1, Delaware Valley Elementary School – 3, Delaware Valley Middle School – 1, and the Delaware Valley High School – 1. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines.

Since the Delaware Valley Elementary School has reached their threshold today, they will be 100% remote for the next three days (March 18, 19, and 22). This means all DVES students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The students can physically return to the school on Tuesday.

Delaware Valley High School is currently on remote learning and will return to school on Friday, March 19.

All other schools will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

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March 18, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of two new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Dingman-Delaware Primary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. The school will remain open.

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- Practice social distancing and wear a mask

Please keep your child home if they are experiencing any of the following signs or symptoms: fever (100.4 F or greater), cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, lack of smell or taste, sore throat, chills, muscle pain, headache, congestion, or runny nose.

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March 19, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of two new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Dingman-Delaware Elementary School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Since the Dingman-Delaware Elementary School has reached their threshold today, they will be 100% remote for the next three days (March 22, 23, and 24). This means all DDES students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The students can physically return to the school on Thursday.

All other schools will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
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- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
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March 22, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of 11 new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) since March 20 as follows: Dingman-Delaware Primary School – 3, Delaware Valley Elementary School – 2, Delaware Valley Middle School – 2, Delaware Valley High School – 3, and other – 1. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Since the Delaware Valley Middle School has reached their threshold today, they will be 100% remote for the next three days (March 23, 24, and 25). This means all DVMS students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The students can physically return to the school on Friday.

The Dingman-Delaware Elementary School and the Dingman-Delaware Primary School are currently on remote learning and will return to school on Thursday, March 25.

All other schools will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
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- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick or come in close contact with someone who has tested positive
- Cover your mouth and nose with the inside of your elbow when you cough and sneeze
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The Delaware Valley School District will continue to monitor the situation and will provide updates as needed. Please know the health and safety of our students and staff is our utmost priority.

Sincerely,

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Delaware Valley School District

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March 24, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of eight new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) as follows: Delaware Valley Elementary School – 4, Dingman-Delaware Elementary School – 1, Dingman-Delaware Middle School – 1 and the Delaware Valley High School - 2. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

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March 25, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of two new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Delaware Valley Middle School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
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March 26, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Shohola Elementary School and two new cases at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
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- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
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March 29, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Shohola Elementary School and five new cases at the Delaware Valley High School since March 26. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified. All schools will remain open.

Parents/Guardians, students, and staff are encouraged to do the following to help prevent the spread of illness at home and in school:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick and/or have tested positive
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March 30, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of one new case of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Dingman-Delaware Elementary School, one new case at the Delaware Valley Middle School and one new case at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

Since the Delaware Valley High School has reached their threshold today, they will be 100% remote for tomorrow, March 31, 2021. This means all DVHS students will stay home and learn remotely using their Chromebooks and Schoology. The students can physically return to the school on Tuesday, April 6, after spring recess.

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March 31, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Delaware Valley School District was notified of three new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) at the Dingman-Delaware Elementary School, two new cases at the Dingman-Delaware Middle School, one new case at the Delaware Valley Elementary School and four new cases at the Delaware Valley High School. The classrooms and spaces used by the individuals have been cleaned and disinfected according to CDC guidelines. All close contacts have been notified.

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