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**Director**  
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December 2, 2020

Dear Parent or Guardian,

At the request of The New York City Department of Health, we are notifying you there has been a positive case in the school building and we will be moving into remote learning for safety as well as to do a deep cleaning of the building. You may also be contacted by the Department of Health (DOH) if your child has been identified as a direct contact. We were notified of the positive case in the morning on Tuesday December 2<sup>nd</sup>, the DOH was called immediately following the notification and the DOH provided instructions for next steps on Tuesday, December 2, 2020.

We have received notice of a positive covid case in our school building. As per Department of Health guidelines, once we are notified of more than one case, we must close down and move into remote learning. **The return to school date is Wednesday December 9, 2020.** We will be providing remote instruction and teletherapy during this time to provide continuity of learning.

Currently, I do not think that your child was exposed because your child was not a “close contact” of the person with COVID-19. A close contact is a person who was within 6 feet of the person with the virus for at least 10 minutes. Parents and guardians of children who may have been close contacts are being notified.

If your child feels well, you do not need to do anything, and your child can continue their usual activities. If you are concerned, or your child does not feel well, talk to your child’s medical provider. If you do not have a medical provider, call **311**. You can also have your child tested for COVID-19. For information about testing, call your child’s medical provider, call **311** or visit [nyc.gov/covidtest](https://nyc.gov/covidtest). Testing is free at many sites and available regardless of immigration status.

To learn more about COVID-19, visit [nyc.gov/health/coronavirus](https://nyc.gov/health/coronavirus).

Sincerely,

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Querido Padre o Guardian,

Al la decision del Departamento de Salud, le estamos dejando saber que ha habido un caso positive de COVID-19 en la escuela y estaremos trabajando en aprendizaje remote para la seguridad de nuestros estudiantes y personal y para hacer una limpieza profunda de la escuela. Usted podra ser contactado por el Departamento de Salud si su hijo/a ha sido identificado como alguien que ha tenido contacto directo con la persona con COVID-19. Fuimos notificados de el caso positive en la mañana de Diciembre 2, 2020 y llamamos al Departamento de Salud inmediatamente para su ayuda.

**Hemos recibido una notificacion de un caso positive de COVID en nuestra escuela. Siguiendo el Departamento de Salud, cuando temenos mas de un caso positive, temenos que cerrar y mover a aprendizaje remote. La fecha para regresar a la escuela sera Miercoles, Diciembre 9, 2020.** Vamos a estar dando aprendizaje remote y tele-terapia durante este tiempo para seguir con el aprendizaje de sus hijos.

Actualmente, no creemos que su hijo/a ha sido expuesto porque no estaba en contacto directo con la persona con COVID-19. Un contact cercano es alguien que estuvo dentro de 6 pies de la persona con COVID-19 por 10 minutos o mas. Padres y guardians que estuvieron en contacto seran notificados.

Si su hijo/a se siente bien no necesitan hacer nada, y su hijo/a puede continuar con sus actividades regulares. Si esta preocupado o si su hijo/a no se siente bien, hable con un profesional medico. Si no tiene un doctor para su hijo/a llame al 311. Tambien puede llevar a su hijo/a para que le hagan un examen de COVID-19. Para informacion sobre los exámenes de COVID-19 llame al 311 o visite a [nyc.gov/covidtest](https://nyc.gov/covidtest). Los exámenes son gratis en muchos lugares no importa su estatus de imigracion.

Para aprender sobre COVID-19, [nyc.gov/health/coronavirus](https://nyc.gov/health/coronavirus).

Sinceramente,

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