



March 28, 2020

Dear Parents, Staff, and Community Members,

The Borough of Rumson School District officials were informed today that an employee at the Forrestdale School tested positive for COVID-19. The Monmouth County Health Commission has been consulted. Based on the timeline of the confirmation, the Monmouth County Health Commission has advised that there is low risk for any students and staff that may have been in contact with the staff member prior to the closure of school on March 13th.

As recommended by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention, please contact your health care provider if you are experiencing any of the following symptoms: fever, cough, shortness of breath, and abide by self-quarantining protocols. Please visit <https://covid19.nj.gov/> for further guidance and information.

Understandably, I know this news may raise concern. While health officials are the ones to provide you with appropriate guidance on your health, we are here to support you and your children in any way possible. With the schools being closed, please email an administrator, nurse, or counselor and we will follow-up.

Thank you for your ongoing cooperation and support.

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Superintendent of Schools