



Conestoga Valley School District
2110 Horseshoe Road
Lancaster, PA 17601



Families – As I mentioned in my letter dated August 20, 2021, we will be notifying parents of students who were identified as close contacts. We are defining anyone who was within 6 feet for 15 or more minutes while in the buildings, or 3 or more feet while masked on the bus. Unlike last year, the notification to parents will be through our automated ParentLink network with accompanying email. The template of the notification is listed *below*. Please ensure your contact information is updated in Sapphire. Thanks! - Dr Z

Hello, this is (building principal/school nurse)

We are notifying you that your student has been identified as a close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19. A close contact is someone who has been within 6 feet of the infected individual for 15 minutes or more, or within 3 feet while wearing a mask on the bus.

The last day of exposure was (last date positive case was in the school)

Currently, CV is not requiring quarantine for close contacts not exhibiting symptoms. Therefore, a parent of a child without symptoms may choose to have their child quarantine per DOH guidelines or to have their child remain in school.

We have given the names of all close contacts to the Department of Health, and you should be receiving a call from them. The Department of Health will provide guidance and answer any questions you may have. You can also reach out to your family practitioner for further guidance.

As a reminder, if your child does develop symptoms, he or she must stay home, and you should reach out to your family practitioner.

Thank you for working with us!