



# SMETHPORT AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear SASD Community:

Smethport Area School District (SASD) has been notified that two students at Smethport Area Elementary School and one staff member at the Smethport Area Junior-Senior High School have been determined to be positive for COVID-19, per the PA Department of Health (DOH).

Any student identified as a close contact in need of following DOH procedures due to close contact to a positive case will be notified and return to school after following procedures outlined in our current SASD Health and Safety Plan.

Smethport Area School District administration will be following Health and Safety Protocols outlined in the SASD Health and Safety Plan and cooperating with any PA Department of Health (DOH) contact tracing activities and directives. We will continue to closely monitor factors in this case.

School will remain in session as scheduled. Based upon the specific details of each case, three of these cases does factor into "Outbreak Containment" numbers.

Thank you for your time. Stay safe and healthy.

Mr. Brice N. Benson

Superintendent of Schools

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