

November 16, 2020

Dear Field Elementary Staff and Families:

We are currently working with the Tri-County Health Department as they investigate and manage a positive COVID-19 student case at our school. Each instance is evaluated individually, and the best possible plan is developed in order to keep students and staff healthy as much as possible.

In working with Tri-County Health, all students and staff who were determined to be in close contact with the student will be quarantined through November 26, 2020. This includes 30 students and 6 staff members. **They have been notified by Tri-County Health that they need to quarantine and the steps they should take.**

If you have NOT been contacted, your student was NOT in close contact with the staff member who tested positive and your student is NOT quarantined. There is no change to your child(ren)'s schedule and they can continue to attend school as planned.

We ask that all Field Elementary students and staff continue to monitor daily for COVID-19 symptoms. If symptoms develop:

- Notify the school.
- Follow these isolation instructions.
- Have your child tested.
- Continue to keep your child home from school and avoid other activities around other people.
- Seek medical care and testing for COVID-19, calling your doctor before you arrive.

If you have further questions, please contact Abby Figat at Tri-County Health Department, at 303-220-9200. You can also contact the LPS Director of Student Support Services, Melissa Cooper, 303-347-3472, or the school nurse consultant, 303-495-9619, Sarah Orlando. Additional resources are available on the Tri-County Health Department website: <https://www.tchd.org/>.

It's important to remember that legally we cannot share the names of those who test positive; it's also important that we respect and maintain the privacy of our students, staff and families. Rest assured that Tri-County Health and staff at Field Elementary are following up with those who need to be informed. Keeping all of our students, staff, and families safe is our highest priority.

District Operations and Maintenance staff are following all Tri-County Health protocols to complete additional deep cleaning procedures. HVAC units will run over night to ensure that outside air is circulating through the affected areas.

Please remind your children of the importance of wearing their mask correctly, remembering to wash their hands, and continuing to physically distance.

Thank you for your understanding, patience, and continued partnership as we all work together to keep our students, staff, and families healthy and safe.

Sincerely,

Joe Hayes

Principal, Field Elementary School

Melissa Cooper

Director of Student Support Services

Littleton Public Schools

16 de Noviembre 2020

Estimado Personal y Familias de las Escuela Primaria de Field:

Estamos trabajando con el Departamento de Salud de Tri-County mientras investigan y gestionan un caso de un estudiante de la escuela Primaria Field que ha dado positivo con Covid-19. Cada caso se evalúa individualmente y se desarrolla el mejor plan posible para mantener a los estudiantes y al personal sanos tanto como sea posible.

Al trabajar con el Departamento de Salud de Tri-County , se determinó que todos los estudiantes y el personal que estuvieron en contacto cercano con el estudiante que dio positivo tendrán que estar en cuarentena hasta el final del día 26 de noviembre del 2020. Esto incluye a 30 estudiantes y 6 miembros del personal. ***Tri-County ya les ha notificado que deben estar en cuarentena y les ha comunicado las medidas que deben tomar.***

Si NO se han puesto en contacto con usted, su estudiante NO estuvo en contacto cercano con el estudiante que resultó positivo, y su estudiante NO tiene que estar en cuarentena. No hay ningún cambio al horario de sus hijos y pueden continuar asistiendo a la escuela según lo previsto.

Rogamos a los estudiantes y al personal de la Primaria Field que continúen monitoreando diariamente los síntomas de COVID-19. Si se desarrollan los síntomas:

- Notifiquen a la escuela.
- Sigam estas instrucciones sobre cómo aislarse
- Lleven a su hijo para que le hagan una prueba.
- Continúen manteniendo a su hijo en casa y eviten otras actividades con otras personas.
- Busquen atención médica y pruebas de COVID-19, llamen a su médico antes de llegar.

Si tienen más preguntas, por favor, comuníquese con Abby Figat en el Departamento de Salud de Tri-County, en el 303-220-9200. También pueden comunicarse con la Directora de Servicios de Apoyo a los Estudiantes de LPS, Melissa Cooper, 303-347-3472, o con la enfermera consultora de la escuela, Sarah Orlando, en el 303-495-9619. Recursos adicionales se encuentran disponibles en el sitio web del Departamento de Salud de Tri-County: <https://www.tchd.org/>.

Es importante recordar que legalmente no podemos compartir los nombres de aquellas personas que han dado positivo en las pruebas; también es importante que respetemos y mantengamos la privacidad de nuestros estudiantes, de nuestro personal y de nuestras familias. Tengan la seguridad de que el Departamento de Tri-County Health y el personal de la Escuela Primaria Field están llevando a cabo un seguimiento con aquellos que necesitan ser informados. Mantener a todos nuestros estudiantes, personal y familias seguros es nuestra máxima prioridad.

El personal de Operaciones y Mantenimiento del Distrito está siguiendo todos los protocolos de Salud de Tri-County para completar los procedimientos adicionales de limpieza profunda. Las unidades de HVAC funcionarán durante la noche para asegurar que el aire exterior circule a través de las áreas afectadas.

Por favor, recuerden a sus hijos la importancia de llevar puesta la mascarilla correctamente, de lavarse las manos y de continuar con la distancia física.

Gracias por su comprensión, su paciencia y su colaboración continua mientras trabajamos todos juntos para mantener a nuestros estudiantes, a nuestro personal y a nuestras familias sanos y seguros.

Atentamente,

Joe Hayes

Director de la Escuela Primaria Field

Melissa Cooper

Directora de Servicios de Apoyo a los Estudiantes
Escuelas Públicas de Littleton

November 16, 2020

Dear Arapahoe High School Staff and Families:

We are currently working with the Tri-County Health Department as they investigate one positive COVID-19 cases at Arapahoe High School. Each instance is evaluated individually, and the best possible plan is developed in order to keep students and staff healthy as much as possible. **Because Arapahoe County has moved to Level 3 Safer at Home - High Risk**, we are required to implement a broader definition of who is in close contact with the individual who tested positive for COVID. This is resulting in a larger quarantine.

In working with Tri-County Health Department, all students and staff who were determined to be in close contact with the positive case will be quarantined for 14 days. They will quarantine through November 24. This includes 27 students and 2 staff. **They have been notified by Tri-County Health that they need to quarantine and the steps they should take.**

If you have NOT been contacted, your student was NOT in close contact with the student and your student is NOT quarantined. There is no change to your child(ren)'s schedule and they can continue to attend school as planned.

We ask that all Arapahoe High School students and staff continue to monitor daily for COVID-19 symptoms. If symptoms develop:

- Notify the school.
- Follow [these isolation instructions](#).
- Have your child [tested](#).
- Continue to keep your child home from school and avoid other activities around other people.
- Seek medical care and testing for COVID-19, calling your doctor before you arrive.

If you have further questions, please contact Tri-County Health Department, at 303-220-9200. You can also contact the LPS Director of Student Support Services, Melissa Cooper, 303-347-3472, or the school nurse consultant, Charlotte Brazelton 720-951-3853. Additional resources are available on the Tri-County Health Department website: <https://www.tchd.org/>.

It's important to remember that legally we cannot share the names of those who test positive; it's also important that we respect and maintain the privacy of our students, staff and families. Rest assured that Tri-County Health and staff at Arapahoe are following up with those who need to be informed. Keeping all of our students, staff, and families safe is our highest priority.

District Operations and Maintenance staff are following all Tri-County Health protocols to complete additional deep cleaning procedures. HVAC units will run over night to ensure that outside air is circulating through the affected areas.

Please remind your children of the importance of wearing their mask correctly, remembering to wash their hands, and continuing to physically distance.

Thank you for your understanding, patience, and continued partnership as we all work together to keep our students, staff, and families healthy and safe.

Sincerely,

Natalie Pramenko

Principal, Arapahoe High School

Melissa Cooper

Director of Student Support Services

Littleton Public Schools