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Dear Dover Sherborn Families,

Just as the state has experienced an increase in the number of presumptive positive cases of Covid-19, the Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) has made us aware that recent testing within our community has resulted in a presumptive positive test result for families with students in our district. The household(s) immediately effected have been and will continue to remain in self-quarantine as directed by the Department of Public Health. Our current policy developed in conjunction with the Dover and Sherborn Boards of Health has been that households for whom testing is pending should remain out of school, even if asymptomatic. This policy was applied to these members of our school community as well.

This is a rapidly evolving situation. We are anticipating additional information from state and local health officials later this afternoon. When that information becomes available, we will update you again.

During these uncertain and challenging times, it is incumbent upon us that we model personal responsibility and respect for one another. We are asking for your continued assistance in this regard.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent of Schools

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