

**Wilton-Lyndeborough Cooperative School District**  
**School Administrative Unit #63**

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To WLC Families and Staff,

Two additional staff persons tested positive for COVID-19 at Florence Rideout Elementary School. The staff people testing positive were not in school today. One was a teacher who works with third grade and the other is a teacher who works remotely with students who is in the building daily.

- Students in grade three were in contact with the staff person who tested positive for COVID-19. **Third grade students should quarantine starting today through December 19.** You should contact your health care provider immediately if your child exhibits symptoms of COVID-19 to include:

Shortness of breath	Cough	Sneezing	Runny Nose
Gastrointestinal issues	Fever	Chills	Body Aches
Loss of taste or smell	Diarrhea		

- Students in grades 1, 2 and 4 were not exposed to the staff who tested positive. **Students in grades 1, 2, and four do not have to quarantine.**
- Siblings at WLC or at LCS can attend school as long as FRES students are not exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19.
- We will need to have 11 staff people quarantine for through next week according to the recommendations and guidelines of the NH Department of Health.

With about 30% of the staff needing to quarantine, aside from four staff persons those who already are quarantining, we will not be able to staff and appropriately supervise children in the building during the quarantine period. Beginning tomorrow, students from Florence Rideout will be going to a remote learning scenario through Friday December 18.

- Tomorrow Friday December 11 will be an organizational day for grades 1-4. There will be no instruction on this organizational day.
- Information will be coming out tomorrow morning to families on when and where to pick up Chromebooks and other materials that students will need.
- Instruction for fifth grade students will continue remotely through Friday December 18.
- Instruction for grades 1- 4 will begin remotely on Monday December 14 at 8:05.
- All students will return to Florence Rideout on Monday December 21.

Information on COVID-19 can be found at the following websites:

[www.nh.gov/covid19.index.htm](http://www.nh.gov/covid19.index.htm)  
[www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html)

I am sorry to have to make this decision but it is in the best interest for the safety of our staff and students. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Bryan K. Lane