



Pablo Muñoz
Superintendent of Schools

November 17, 2020

Dear Passaic Students, Parents, and Staff:

On Monday, November 16, 2020, the Passaic Public Schools was advised that an employee tested positive for COVID-19.

Individuals identified as having close contact with the employee, will receive the appropriate notification and will be directed to self-quarantine and monitor their health for symptoms. However, there were no district employees identified as having close contact. The City of Passaic Division of Health, following the guidance provided by the New Jersey Department of Health, defines close contact as someone who was within 6 feet of an infected person for at least 15 minutes starting from 2 days before illness onset (or, for asymptomatic clients, 2 days prior to positive specimen collection) until the time the patient is isolated.

In addition, the locations that the employee was identified as visiting received additional sanitation protocols.

The health and safety of our staff remains a priority, and we will remain in consistent communication with local health officials.

Thank you to all of the staff who are working during this challenging time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pablo Muñoz".

Pablo Muñoz