



## **Confirmed COVID-19 Case: DiLoreto Elementary & Middle School**

***New Britain Public Health Department recommends that DiLoreto School be closed for at least two days to allow additional time for contact tracing***

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Dear Families, Staff, and Community Members,

On the afternoon of October 19, we were notified that a member of the DiLoreto Elementary & Middle School community tested positive for coronavirus (COVID-19). The affected person has been instructed to remain home and quarantine for 14 days. This person was last at DiLoreto School on Friday, October 16.

After the New Britain Public Health Department investigated this case, they determined that there are multiple close contacts\* with this Case. Those individuals who were in close contact with the person who tested positive for coronavirus have been instructed to remain home and quarantine for 14 days.

**Because of these circumstances, and to allow time for CSDNB staff and the New Britain Public Health Department to conduct additional contact tracing, we have moved all DiLoreto students and staff to remote learning on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.**

We continue to closely monitor this situation with the New Britain Public Health Department and will provide you with updates as needed. Please remember that if staff or students exhibit any symptoms of COVID-19 or are feeling ill, they should remain at home. If a staff member or student tests positive for COVID-19, the school nurse should be informed immediately.

It is our priority to ensure the health and safety of our staff, students, and community. We cannot stress enough how important it is - *while at home and in the community* - to frequently wash your hands, wear face coverings, and maintain social distancing so we can help stop the spread of the virus and maintain a healthy school environment for all students and staff.

In partnership,

Ms. Nancy Sarra  
Superintendent

Mr. Alex Ortiz  
DiLoreto School Principal

CC: New Britain Board of Education Members  
Erin Stewart, Mayor of New Britain  
Sergio Lupo, Director - New Britain Public Health Department  
Francine Truglio, MSN, APR, Nursing Supervisor - New Britain Public Health Department

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*\* Close Contact is defined as individuals who spent at least 15 minutes closer than six feet of a confirmed COVID-19 case or had a direct exposure such as being sneezed or coughed on in the face.*



## Confirmed COVID-19 Case: Pulaski Middle School

*New Britain Public Health Department determines no classroom or school closure is needed*

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Dear Families, Staff, and Community Members,

On the afternoon of October 19, we were notified that a member of the Pulaski community tested positive for coronavirus (COVID-19). The affected person has been instructed to remain home and quarantine for 14 days. The person was last at Pulaski School today, October 19.

**After the New Britain Public Health Department investigated this case, they determined that there were no close contacts\* within the Pulaski School community. As such, Pulaski School will remain fully open.**

We continue to closely monitor this situation with the New Britain Public Health Department and will provide you with updates as needed. Please remember that if staff or students exhibit any symptoms of COVID-19 or are feeling ill, they should remain at home. If a staff member or student tests positive for COVID-19, the school nurse should be informed immediately.

It is our priority to ensure the health and safety of our staff, students, and community. We cannot stress enough how important it is - *while at home and in the community* - to frequently wash your hands, wear face coverings, and maintain social distancing so we can help stop the spread of the virus and maintain a healthy school environment for all students and staff.

In partnership,

Ms. Nancy Sarra  
Superintendent

Ms. Johanna Robles  
Pulaski Principal

CC: New Britain Board of Education Members  
Erin Stewart, Mayor of New Britain  
Sergio Lupo, Director - New Britain Public Health Department  
Francine Truglio, MSN, APR, Nursing Supervisor - New Britain Public Health Department

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