

Good evening,

North Miami Community Schools was notified this evening of an additional Covid positive student case. With this additional case, we now have a quarter of our middle/high school student population in quarantine due to being considered close contacts. Additional staff members have also been impacted as close contacts and need to quarantine.

In communicating with the Miami County Health Department and considering all options, North Miami Middle/High School will move to Remote Learning for virtual instruction beginning tomorrow, Tuesday, October 27<sup>th</sup> through this coming Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. Vocational students at Heartland Career Center will also move to virtual instruction this week. All extracurricular activities 7-12 are postponed through Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>.

North Miami Elementary PreK-6 will continue to operate as normal with in person instruction. Elementary students will continue to come to school every day like normal and busses will continue to transport elementary students. Wednesday, October 28<sup>th</sup> will be an eLearning day.

NMCS will continue to follow our Covid re-opening safety plan and consider all factors in making these decisions a week at a time. As of now, our goal is to re-open the Middle/High School on Monday, November 2 and this decision will be determined later this week.

Any student belongings that need to be picked up to help with virtual instruction can be collected by family/students between 8am and 4 pm. Any students or individuals that are symptomatic should not enter the M/HS building.

The pSAT testing scheduled for Thursday will be re-scheduled later for a date TBD in January.

We understand the challenges these decisions have an impact on and as we continue to move forward we will get through this by working together. We appreciate your support and efforts in the making the most of this challenging situation.

Respectfully,

Kenneth Hanson  
Superintendent  
North Miami Community Schools