



# CANDOR CENTRAL SCHOOL

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Dear School Community Member:

This afternoon, there was a regional meeting with the Tompkins County Health Department regarding the amount and variety of information on the Coronavirus (COVID-19).

While there are no confirmed cases at this time in New York State, the District is closely monitoring this public health concern, as well as following guidance from National, State, and Local Health Agencies.

The recommendations for combating the spread of Coronavirus is the same as the recommendations for avoiding a flu outbreak:

Students and staff should:

- Stay home if feeling sick.
- Cover coughs and sneezes appropriately.
- Dispose of tissues properly.
- Wash hands frequently with soap and water.
- Utilize hand sanitizer if soap and water are unavailable.

The school district, in mid-December, began our recommended additional cleaning of frequently touched surfaces. We disinfect doorknobs, drinking fountains, and desktops daily. We have utilized this procedure in the past for flu outbreaks, and it is the same procedure recommended most recently for the Coronavirus.

Student and staff health and safety is of utmost importance to the District. If you have questions or comments, please feel free to contact the Tompkins or Tioga County Health Department or the school district at the number listed above.

Respectfully,

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