

North Branch Area Schools

James D. Fish
Superintendent

Update from Superintendent Jim Fish
February 22, 2021

Good evening,

North Branch Area Schools has been informed that two individuals at North Branch High School have tested positive for COVID-19. North Branch Area Schools, in partnership with the Lapeer County Health Department, conducted contact tracing to identify anyone considered a close contact of these two individuals. A "close contact" is any individual within 6 feet of an infected person for a total of 15 minutes or more. All individuals considered close contacts have been identified and placed in quarantine.

We will continue to work diligently in providing a safe learning environment for teachers, staff, and student. We remind all of our families to prevent the spread of COVID-19, individuals should do the following:

- Do not attend school if you are sick
- Frequent handwashing helps prevent the spread of the virus
- Avoid touching your face and shaking hands with others
- Continue to follow the guidelines for social distancing and the wearing of clean masks

Thank you for your patience and understanding during these trying times.

Sincerely,



Jim Fish, Superintendent
North Branch Area Schools