



# Pearl River School District

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Superintendent of Schools

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Dear Pearl River School Community,

Today we learned of a student testing positive for COVID-19 at Pearl River High School. Since the school has been on remote instruction since October 13th, staff and students at PRHS have not been in direct contact with the student. We confirmed with the Rockland County Department of Health (RCDOH) that no further action is needed at Pearl River High School as a result of this case. The RCDOH will be following up with the family for contact tracing outside of the school setting. We send our best wishes to this student for a complete and speedy recovery.

Parents are reminded that [COVID-19 symptoms](#) can appear up to 14 days after an exposure to the virus. Anyone with a fever of 100 degrees or more, or any symptom of COVID-19, must remain home and parents should contact their health care provider and school nurse.

I would like to thank the Pearl River School District families, faculty and staff for their continued cooperation and support during this pandemic. We will continue to keep our school community informed regarding how this virus is impacting our schools.

Sincerely,

