



## MEDIA RELEASE

FROM: Donna Talerico, Deputy Superintendent  
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RE: COVID-19 Update

Working with the Monongalia County Health Department, Monongalia County Schools has confirmed a positive COVID-19 case at Morgantown High School. As we conduct appropriate contact tracing, disinfecting of all areas within the schools will be conducted this evening by the MCS COVID Disinfecting Team.

To prevent the spread of COVID-19, everyone is urged to follow best health practices as issued by the Governor's Executive Orders and outlined by the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources (DHHR) and the West Virginia Department of Education (WVDE) guidance. This includes wearing face coverings, and practicing social distancing, hand washing and cleaning protocols regularly.