

MEDIA STATEMENT

Date of release: November 8, 2020

On November 8, 2020 officials from the Saskatchewan Health Authority identified a positive COVID-19 case in an individual at Rendell Park Elementary School in Lloydminster.

To protect privacy, we are not able to share or discuss details.

Communication has been shared with the specific classrooms and school community. The SHA has completed contact tracing.

In consultation with Public Health, and to minimize further risk of transmission within the school and community, a few students in R18 Grade 5, and R23 Grade 4 will be moving to online learning from Nov 16th till Nov 18th, and return to regular classes on Nov 19th. All other students will continue with regular classes after the November Break on Monday, November 16th.

We all have a shared responsibility to decrease the risk of COVID-19 entering schools. Students and families are reminded to be diligent in performing the daily health screening, stay home if ill, call HealthLine 811 if exhibiting COVID-19 symptoms, practice proper hand hygiene, maintain physical distancing as much as possible, wear a mask when appropriate, and do everything we can to keep each other safe.

"As an extra precaution, the classroom and common areas of Rendell Park School will be cleaned and sanitized prior to students returning to school on Monday, November 16th, after the November student break." - Todd Robinson, Director of Education

The Lloydminster Public School Division and Rendell Park Elementary School Administration, with the support of Public Health and the SHA, will continue to communicate additional information as it becomes available.

Todd Robinson, Director of Education

More Information can be found on the LPSD website at: https://www.lpsd.ca/students-and-parents/covid19