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This is a message for the students and parents of the Mount Carmel Area School District.

Mount Carmel Area will continue to communicate with our learning community concerning positive case counts within our buildings. Reminder that the main form of communication will be our COVID positive real time tracker found on our main website at www.mca.k12.pa.us. Our community should reference this document for the most up to date information.

Today we received notice of one positive COVID case related to a student that attends our Junior-Senior High School. Contract tracing has begun and our district has already started communication with the Pennsylvania Department of Health on this latest case for guidance.

Our current case count is at one (1) in our Junior-Senior High building and zero (0) in our elementary building. Our current case count was lowered by our district due to our ability to reset our positive case count over the Easter break during which our district buildings were closed and cleaned. At this time there is no change to our in person learning model. Any changes to our learning model due to positive case counts will be communicated as soon as possible.

Please continue to follow all COVID-19 related mitigation efforts and continue to screen your child daily before sending them to school. Also reminder to keep your child home if sick or exhibiting any COVID19 symptoms. **This is one of the more important mitigation measures to keep our schools open for continued in-person instruction the last two months of the school year.**