



Central Dauphin School District In-Person COVID-19 Tracker

Positive cases reported between January 19 and February 22.

Total Confirmed Cases			
74 (8 active, 66 resolved)			
Student Cases		Adult Cases	
4 active, 44 resolved		4 active, 22 resolved	
Breakdown by School			
Central Dauphin High School		Central Dauphin East High School	
1 active, 9 resolved		0 active, 9 resolved	
Central Dauphin Middle School	Linglestown Middle School	CD East Middle School	Swatara Middle School
0 active, 5 resolved	0 active, 5 resolved	0 active, 3 resolved	2 active, 1 resolved
Linglestown Elementary	Middle Paxton Elementary	Chambers Hill Elementary	E.H. Phillips Elementary
0 active, 3 resolved		0 active, 1 resolved	0 active, 2 resolved
Mountain View Elementary	North Side Elementary	Lawnton Elementary	Paxtang Elementary
	1 active, 4 resolved		
Paxtonia Elementary	West Hanover Elementary	Rutherford Elementary	South Side Elementary
0 active, 2 resolved	0 active, 7 resolved	4 active, 2 resolved	0 active, 4 resolved
Contracted Employees		Tri-Community Elementary	Administration Building
0 active, 1 resolved		0 active, 5 resolved	

Buildings highlighted in blue are currently full-remote.

Staff members who travel to multiple buildings are listed at their home building.

Rolling 14 Day Total Confirmed Positive COVID-19 Cases by Building

Building	14 Day Rolling Total
CD High School	
East High School	
CD Middle School	
East Middle School	1
Linglestown Middle School	
Swatara Middle School	1
Chambers Hill Elementary School	
E.H. Phillips Elementary School	
Lawnton Elementary School	
Linglestown Elementary School	
Middle Paxton Elementary School	
Mountain View Elementary School	
North Side Elementary School	2
Paxtang Elementary School	
Paxtonia Elementary School	
Rutherford Elementary School	
South Side Elementary School	
Tri-Community Elementary School	
West Hanover Elementary School	

- The 14-day rolling total only includes cases where the individual was in-person or otherwise engaged in school activities or athletics two days before symptom onset or positive test.
- The 14-day rolling total **DOES NOT include** positive cases among individuals who did not participate in any in-person instruction or school sponsored activities or athletics on or after their onset date.

For more information go to

<https://www.education.pa.gov/Schools/safeschools/emergencyplanning/COVID-19/SchoolReopeningGuidance/ReopeningPreKto12/PublicHealthGuidance/Pages/SchoolClosureRecommendations.aspx>

The Central Dauphin School District is committed to in-person instruction, and submitted to the Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE) a signed attestation that provides for the authority to continue to offer in-person instructional modes so long as the district complies with the following:

- The Updated Order of the Secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Health Requiring Universal Face Coverings, including necessary exceptions and associated guidance, and
- The Recommendations for Pre-K to 12 Schools Following Identification of a Case(s) of COVID-19.

The Updated Universal Face Coverings Order and the Recommendations to follow after identification of cases are designed to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 among out in-person students and/or employees. The Recommendations provide thresholds and guidelines for the District to use in consultation with public health staff when making decisions related to school procedures following a case of COVID-19 in a school. The thresholds differ depending upon the status of COVID-19 in the county and the size of the building's population. **(Read online via the PDE website.)**

Through complying with these Commonwealth measures, we are hopeful that our schools can remain open, or if a closure is necessary, we will reopen quickly. Per PDE, **"If case investigations, contact tracing, and cleaning and disinfecting can be accomplished in a faster time frame, the length of closure time may be shortened." Once complete, and a school reopens after closure, the school's 14-day rolling total resets to 0.**

We realize compliance with the Commonwealth's requirements may present a hardship and challenge for families who must manage child-care and other matters. For that reason, we will do all that we can to help families anticipate, wherever possible, a potential closure within their school.

NOTIFICATION OF THE NEED TO CLOSE A CLASSROOM OR SCHOOL - In the event that it becomes necessary to migrate a classroom or school to all-virtual learning for any length of time, as in the past, clear communication will be sent by the building principal or superintendent of schools via the district's Blackboard messaging system. District staff have been directed to prepare for closure at a moment's notice as part of the 2020-21 Return to School planning

CDSD School Building Sizes

<500 Students

Chambers Hill, Lawnton, Linglestown Elementary, Middle Paxton, Mountain View, Paxtang, Tri-C, Rutherford, E.H. Phillips

500-900 Students

East Middle, Linglestown Middle, CD Middle, Swatara Middle, North Side, Paxtonia, South Side, West Hanover

>900 Students

Central Dauphin High School, East High School

Definitions

Confirmed Positive Case - A case that is confirmed positive through a COVID-19 test.

Onset Date - The date on which COVID-19 symptoms began.

14-Day Rolling Total Cases - Confirmed positive cases reported within the most recent 14 calendar days are included in the 14-day rolling total.

- The total only includes cases where the individual was in-person or otherwise engaged in school activities or athletics two days before symptom onset or positive test.
- The 14-day rolling total **DOES NOT** include positive cases among those who are engaged in the all-virtual program (unless the student participates in-person for athletics or activities).
- The 14-day rolling total **DOES NOT** include positive cases among individuals who did not participate in any in-person instruction or school sponsored activities or athletics on or after their onset date.

Case Investigation - Central Dauphin School District staff will research close contacts (individuals who have come within 6 feet of a confirmed positive case for a time period greater than or equal to 15 minutes) during the time when students or employees are in school, on district transportation, or otherwise engaged in school sponsored athletics or activities. This information, along with the confirmed positive case information, will be promptly reported to the Pennsylvania Department of Health.

We understand that circumstances may change quickly and we have to adapt to each unique situation. This may require school closures, including those for reasons other than COVID-19. Each potential situation is highly fact-specific and may differ from the general provisions of the District's Health and Safety Plan or other publicly available guidance.