



November 8, 2020

Dear Phoenix Christian Family,

Phoenix Christian remains FULLY committed to our daily mask requirements and health screening protocols.

Yesterday, one of our middle school teachers tested positive for Covid-19. We have invested consultation with the Maricopa County Department of Public Health and investigated directly with the middle school teacher (who tested positive) regarding any possible exposure.

Any student who may have **POSSIBLY** met exposure criterion were identified. **Each of those students are to either test negative or enter into a ten-day quarantine.** We are partnering with those specific families individually.

As always, we encourage you to monitor your student's health and contact Phoenix Christian immediately with any concern. Our parents have been incredible communicators throughout this entire season.

Phoenix Christian is tirelessly committed to measures to protect attendees and staff from exposure to COVID-19. Phoenix Christian remains committed to transparent communication to ensure you have all the information you need to make informed decisions about your family's health.

On Saturday (November 7) Phoenix Christian underwent specialized and certified Covid-19 cleaning of our middle school educational spaces by CleanNet.

We are partnering directly with the Maricopa County Department of Health (MCDH) who defines specific criterion for "exposure." Specifically, *exposure* criterion is met when an individual (masked or unmasked) enters into contact (less than 6 feet) for

a cumulative time of 15 minutes within a 24-hour period, with an individual who is contagious. An individual can be contagious up to 2 days prior to symptoms.

The dates of exposure in this particular case are 11/2 to 11/5.

According to the (MCDH), an individual who is potentially exposed, needs to self-isolate for a minimum of 10 days OR receive a negative Covid-19 test result. If the individual tests negative, they may return to school/work if they wear a mask and maintain physical distancing.

On a procedural note, a VERY LIMITED number of staff unable to wear a mask for medical reasons. In such case, specific procedures are in place and monitored.

Thank you for continuing our Christ centered pursuit to protect our children by wearing masks and honoring health protocols while on the Phoenix Christian campus.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me personally (602)265-4707 ext. 226.

With prayer,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "JEFF BLAKE". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "J" and "B".

Phoenix Christian Preparatory School