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Dear Parent or Guardian:


At Noxubee County School District, the health, safety and well-being of our students and staff are our top priorities. We want to assure families that we are taking all the essential precautions and we have protocols in place to respond to any outbreak of communicable diseases within our school. With the recently elevated discussion regarding the **coronavirus disease** (COVID-19) in the news, we want to take a moment to reinforce preventive safety measures and to let you know that Noxubee County School District will work directly with the Mississippi Department of Health and our local health department in the event that an outbreak would occur in our area.

We would also like to encourage everyone to practice good hygiene and virus prevention practices. This includes:

- **Wash your hands regularly**, especially after using the restroom and before preparing or consuming food. Using soap and hot water, wash for about 20 seconds. Be sure to also wash your fingertips.
- **Avoid coughing or sneezing into your hands or in the air.** Always try to cough or sneeze into a tissue, and then throw the tissue away. If you don't have a tissue, cough/sneeze into your arm.
- As much as you can, **avoid touching your eyes, mouth and nose.**
- **Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces** using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe.
- **If children are feeling sick, please keep them home from school.** Allow them some time to feel better so that they do not risk infecting others.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact me at 662-726-2045 or [lstevenson@ourncsd.org](mailto:lstevenson@ourncsd.org).

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,  


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Accountability Service Integrity Commitment Relationships