

## **Coronavirus Update 2**

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Greetings BSD Community,

I want to reiterate that we remain in constant communication with the AOE and VT Dept of Health. At this time we have not been directed to quarantine individuals or decline them access to school.

This morning, the VT Dept of Health updated the **following on their website**. "If you plan to return to Vermont or have returned to Vermont from the following countries in the past 14 days:

- Iran
- · South Korea
- Japan
- Italy
- China

Please call the Health Department at 802-863-7240 and let them know that you have returned from an affected area. The Health Department will be in regular contact with you for 14 days since the day you left the affected area to monitor you for symptoms of shortness of breath, cough or fever. If you develop these symptoms, contact your health care provider right away."

In addition, the **Center for Disease Control** is asking those who recently returned from any country with a Level 3 Travel Health Notice to stay home for a period of 14 days from the time you left an area with widespread or ongoing community spread. This morning the CDC updated this list of Level 3 Travel Health Notices to include: China, Iran, Italy, and South Korea.

At this point, there are still no reported cases of coronavirus in Vermont or our schools.

If you have any questions, please contact your school administrator directly.

Thank you,

Superintendent Obeng

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