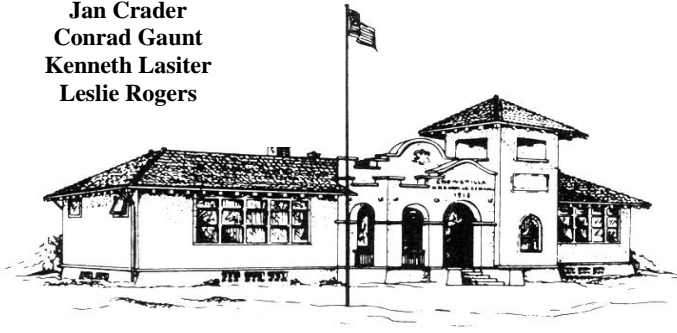


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## COVID-19 UPDATE - INFORMATIONAL

The Chowchilla Elementary School District, Madera County Superintendent of Schools, and the Madera County Public Health Department continue to work together in response to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). There are currently no confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Chowchilla or the Chowchilla Schools. However, there is one confirmed case in Madera County which is an "isolated" case where the person contracted the contagion from being on the Princess Cruise. Upon returning to Madera County, the person has remained in isolation in their home.

While the Madera County Public Health Department acknowledges that the "situation is rapidly evolving," officials still believe the risk to the general public remains low. The Madera County Public Health Department has issued updated recommendations that are meant to keep our community at a low risk for COVID-19. The Chowchilla Elementary School District is implementing recommended actions in accordance with the Madera County Public Health Department recommendations. These recommended actions were determined utilizing recently released guidance from the state public department of public health and all currently available information. Our highest priority is the health and well-being of our students, families, and staff. You are all essential to our preparation ultimately being effective in keeping our community at low risk for COVID-19. We need your full cooperation:

1. Read all communications carefully and be sure information shared is reliable
2. Go to <https://www.maderacounty.com/government/public-health> for more information on COVID-19
3. Refrain from passing along rumors or anxieties as the general public often assumes school staff have access to better information than the general public
4. Understand we are working proactively on behalf of our entire community and that responses to individual situations may not be possible at this time

Additional information can be found on the District Website or District Facebook page.  
<https://www.chowchillaelem.k12.ca.us/>

Very sincerely,

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