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Dear Parents and Students,

The district is monitoring the developing information related to the spread of COVID-19 (commonly referred to as the coronavirus). To date, the district is unaware of any native cases of COVID-19 being reported in our state. However, the district has reviewed its relevant policies and procedures and is confident that it is prepared to respond to any outbreak of communicable disease that may occur. Should this situation interfere with the district's ordinary operations or schedule, you will be provided notice in the customary fashion.

We encourage you to remain informed about the spread of the coronavirus and would recommend that you visit the website for the Department of Health and Human Services, found here, for further information as it develops. We would also encourage you to use this opportunity to remind your students of the importance of getting rest and washing hands, especially during cold and flu season.

For convenience, we've produced the following links, which include Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services and CDC:

<http://dhhs.ne.gov/Pages/Coronavirus.aspx>

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/specific-groups/guidance-for-schools.html?_cldee=anNwYXR6QG5hc2JybmxpbmUub3Jn&recipientid=contact-44c9e1a0a13cea119c3900155d234400-ef954c71da344efea5124c2e4c8821b2&esid=ebb9c998-c75c-ea11-9c3f-00155d10129b

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A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dan Keyser". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Dan Keyser
Superintendent