

# The Weekly Comet Update

From Tom Meyer, Superintendent of the Bellevue Community School District

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### District-Wide COVID-19 Information - October 30

The Bellevue CSD has the following information to release in regard to COVID-19 in the Bellevue CSD as of 11.12.20 (and last week's numbers):

Building	Quarantine/Monitored Students
Elementary	58 (38)
MS/HS	40 (12)
District Total	98 (50)

Total Numbers of Positive Student Tests for COVID-19 for the school year:

Elementary	14
MS/HS	21
District Total	35

**Staff members** testing positive is 15 in both buildings combined for the district in the school year.



### Jackson County Positivity Rate for COVID-19

The positivity rate for Jackson County is sixth highest in the state at 31.0% for COVID-19. This is unacceptable for our county and our community if we are planning on being able to stay in school with a staff that can cover all areas, and with a large majority of students in attendance. The school needs your help to stay in school. Assist the school to maintain safety standards both inside and outside of school by following the recommendations of Governor Kim Reynolds and wearing a mask, especially when you cannot maintain 6-foot or more distance between individuals, avoid large gatherings, increase handwashing and hand sanitizing, and many other things that have been mentioned multiple times by state and national organizations. Check out more

details on specific data about the Bellevue Schools and COVID-19 at the district website: [www.bellevue.k12.ia.us](http://www.bellevue.k12.ia.us)

The Bellevue HS Student Council once again offered a free Veteran's Day in a drive-thru format for all veterans on Wednesday. Thanks to Chad Rentz and the Riverview Hotel/Restaurant for assisting in providing this outstanding meal for our veterans funded by the Bellevue HS Student Council.



