March 11, 2020

Dear Piney Orchard ES Families:

I am writing to let you know about an incident that occurred today. This morning, a student became ill and required medical intervention and transport to the hospital. Although most students were promptly moved away from the involved child to allow medical professionals space to help, it is possible that your child witnessed some portion of what happened.

Understandably, this situation may be troubling to you and your child. Therefore, I encourage you to talk to your children, and help them share their feelings. Our school counselor visited the affected classroom to make sure that students were ok. The students showed concern for their classmate but were able to settle back into their routines.

I want to commend our students and staff for remaining calm and working together to make sure that their schoolmate was cared for under the circumstances.

I know that you join me in sending positive thoughts and get-well wishes to the involved student. Thank you for everything you do for your children and for our school.

Sincerely,

Barry Gruber
Principal

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