

# Press Release

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*Reno County, Kansas*

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## **Buhler Grade School Closing for In-Person Instruction**

Due to several positive COVID-19 cases within Buhler Grade School and those classrooms needing to quarantine; Buhler Grade School will be closed to in person classes beginning September 21, 2020. In conjunction with the USD 313 Superintendent Cindy Couchman, it was decided to close the grade school thru Sept. 29, 2020, pending no further positive COVID-19 cases evolve. Parents with students in classes of a case were notified by the Buhler School District and the Reno County Health Department will follow up with phone calls to the parents of those that need to quarantine due to exposure to COVID-19.

Please continue to be vigilant by washing your hands, social distance by at least six feet or more, wear a mask when you are in public places and stay at home if you are not feeling well. It is very important that people continue to follow the guidelines to help decrease the spread of COVID-19.

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