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## **Two Additional Schools to Transition to Synchronous Remote Instruction**

*Pittsburgh Lincoln and Pittsburgh Phillips Closed for Remainder of Week*

PITTSBURGH, May 18, 2022 – Students and staff at both Pittsburgh Phillips PreK-5 and Pittsburgh Lincoln PreK-5 will transition to synchronous learning and instruction for the remainder of the week. The Pittsburgh Phillips facility is closed for COVID-19 mitigation after the school reached its five percent threshold for positive cases. No one will be permitted inside the school until Monday, May 23. A shortage of staff due to COVID-19 related absences requires the transition to remote instruction for students and staff at Pittsburgh Lincoln.

Instruction will move to Microsoft Teams, following the bell schedules at both schools. Students will access work in Schoology. Grab and Go meal service will be available at both schools from 9 AM – Noon. Take a Father to School Day activities will also occur virtually at each school.

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#### **About Pittsburgh Public Schools**

The Pittsburgh Public School District is the largest of 43 school districts in Allegheny County and second largest in Pennsylvania. The District serves 20,350 students in pre-kindergarten through graduation. The Pittsburgh Public Schools offers students a variety of options and opportunities that will help them succeed in school and prepare them for whatever comes next in college, career and life.