

***Southern Lehigh School District
COVID-19 Case Data
August 28 to January 11***

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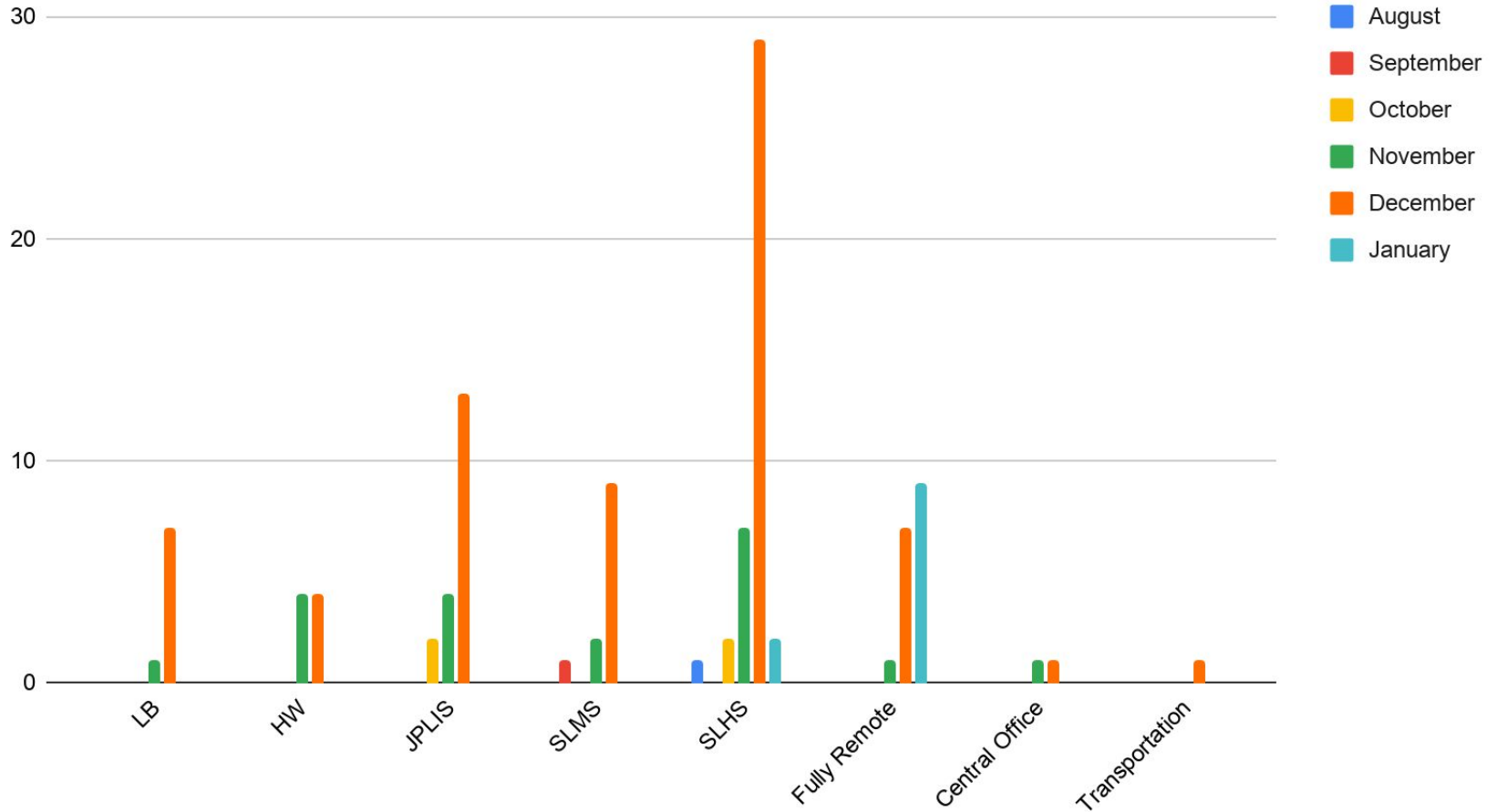
SLSD Total Reported COVID-19 Case Data (8/28 - 1/11)

	LB	HW	JPLIS	SLMS	SLHS	Fully Remote	Central Office	Transportation
August	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
September	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
October	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0
November	1	4	4	2	7	1	1	0
December	7	4	13	9	29	7	1	1
January	0	0	0	0	2	9	0	0

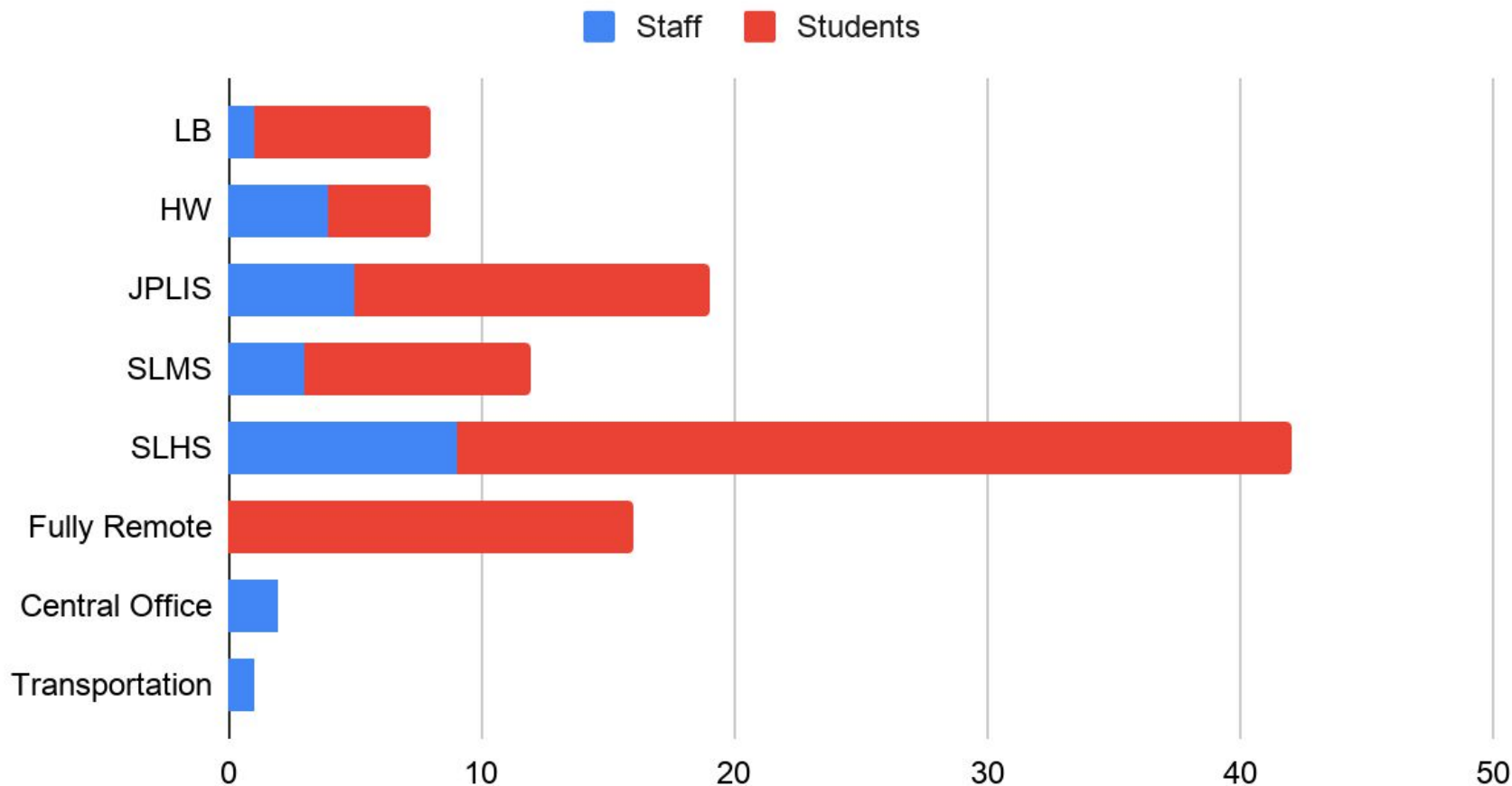
Total SLSD Reported COVID-19 Cases

- To date, the majority of the cases have been reported by families to Nursing Staff. Some cases were reported by the PA DOH to the SLSD.
- Not all case investigation has resulted in a clear connection to a confirmed positive or an exposure history.
- Many instances of “household transmission” with many instances where more than one student from a single household is positive
- The overwhelming majority of the cases have been traced to interactions that are occurring outside of the school buildings.
- Of the 108 reported SLSD COVID-19 cases, only 9 cases resulted in the identification of more than 10 close contacts. This is largely due to the established mitigation efforts of physical distancing of at least 6 feet and universal masking.

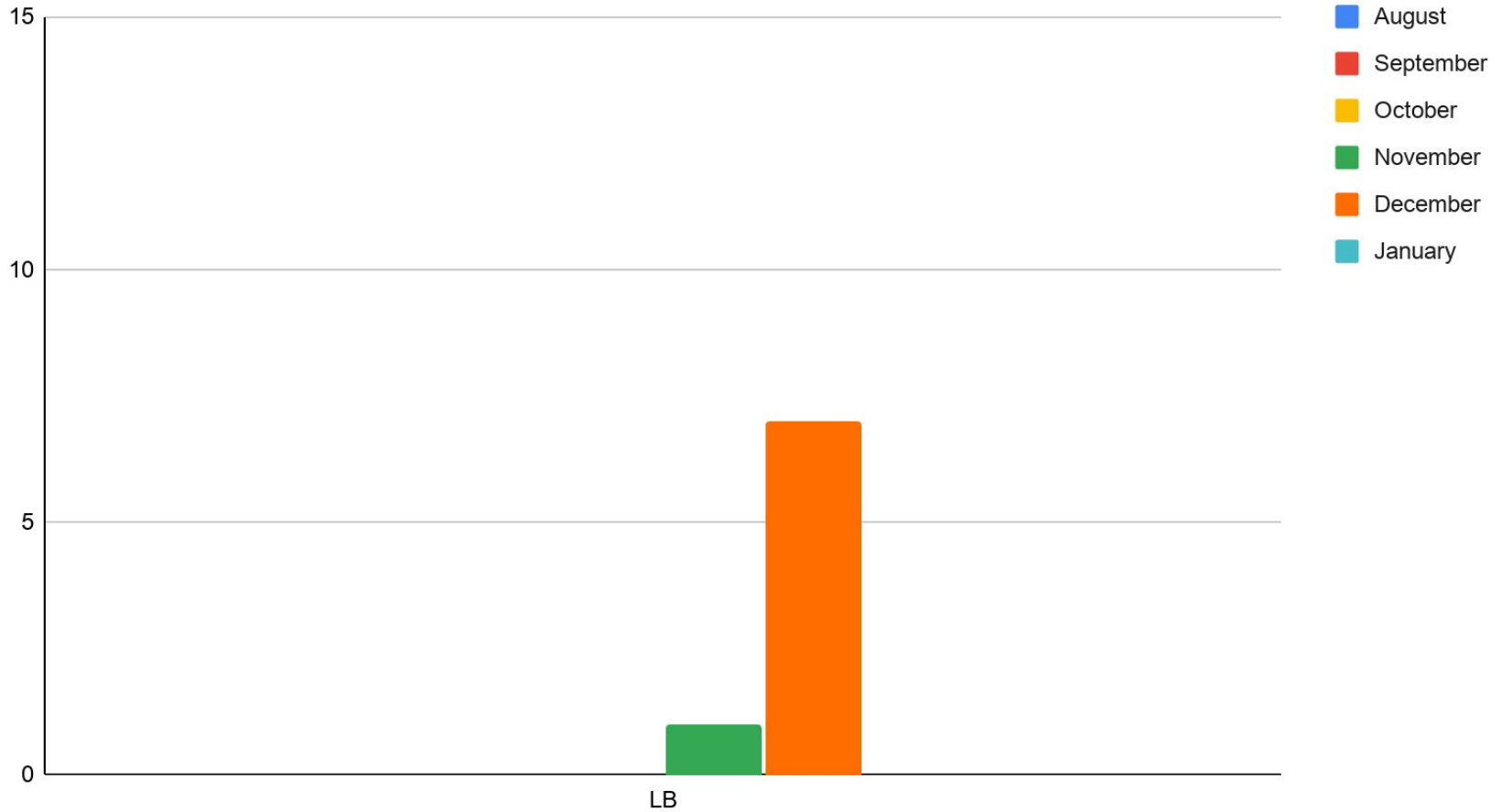
SLSD Aggregate Case Count (8/28 - 1/11)



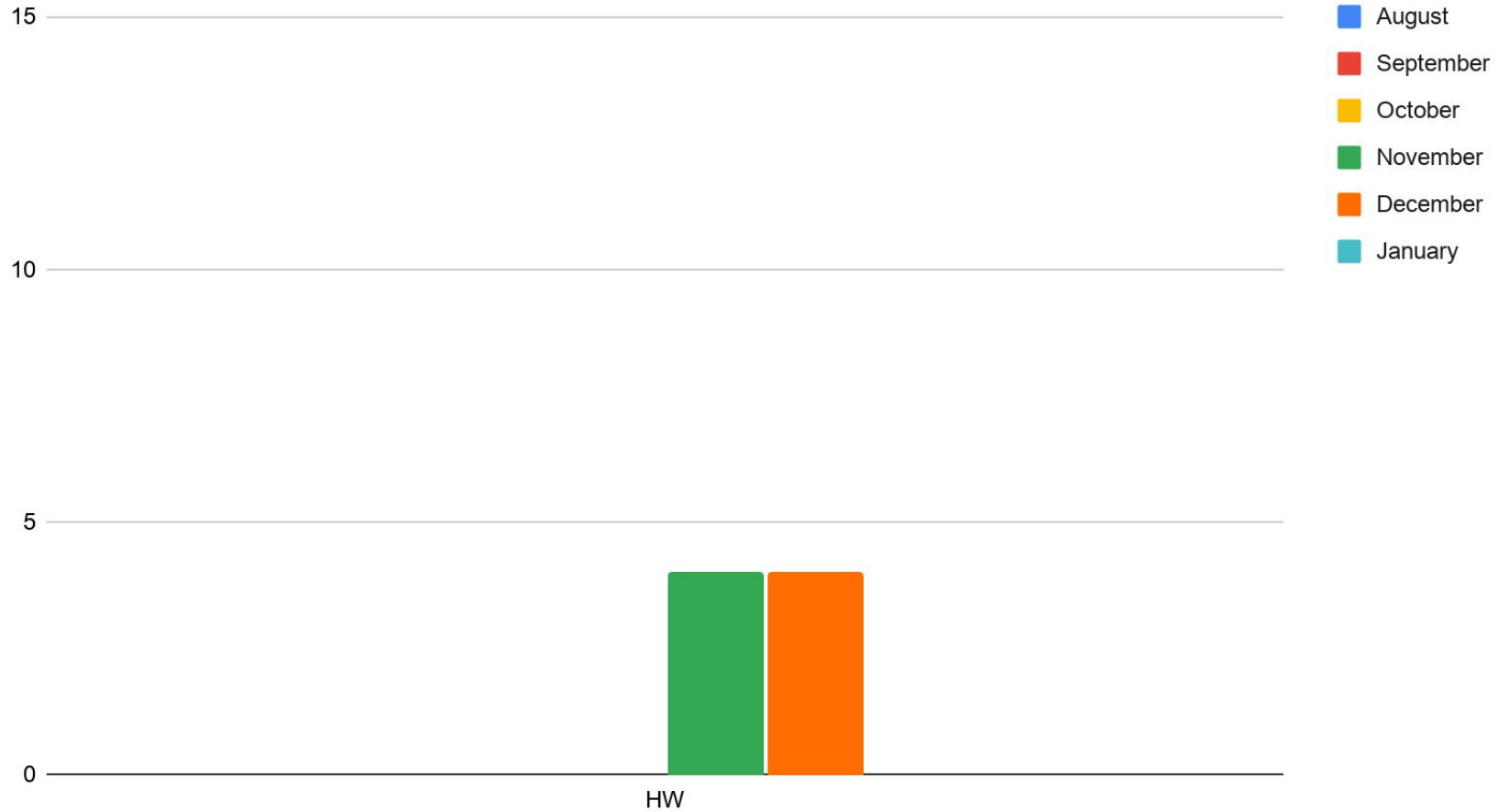
Students & Staff SLSD Aggregate Count (8/28 - 1/11)



Liberty Bell Aggregate Case Count (8/28 to 1/11)

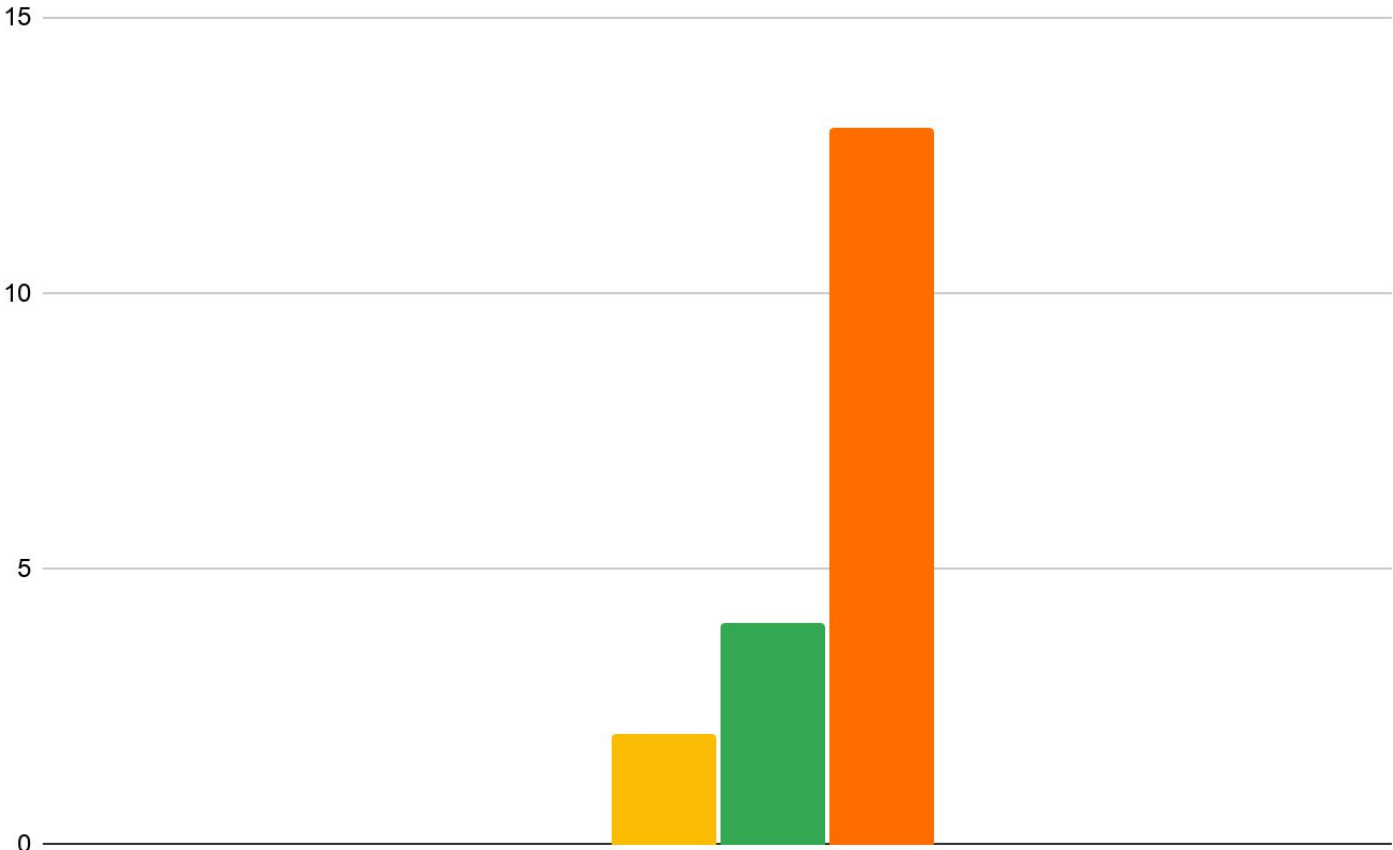


Hopewell Aggregate Case Count (8/28 - 1/11)



JPLIS Aggregate Case Count (8/28 - 1/11)

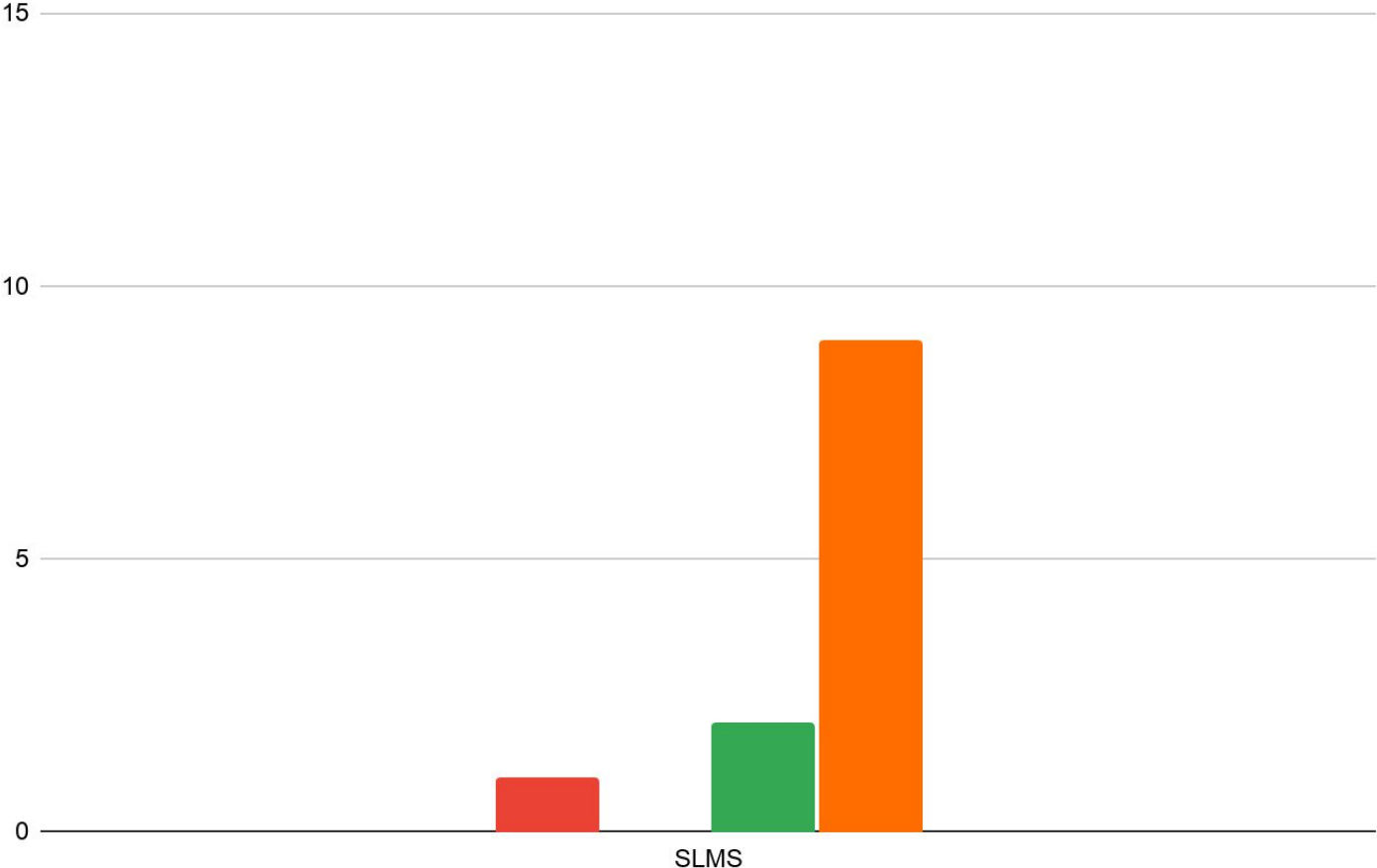
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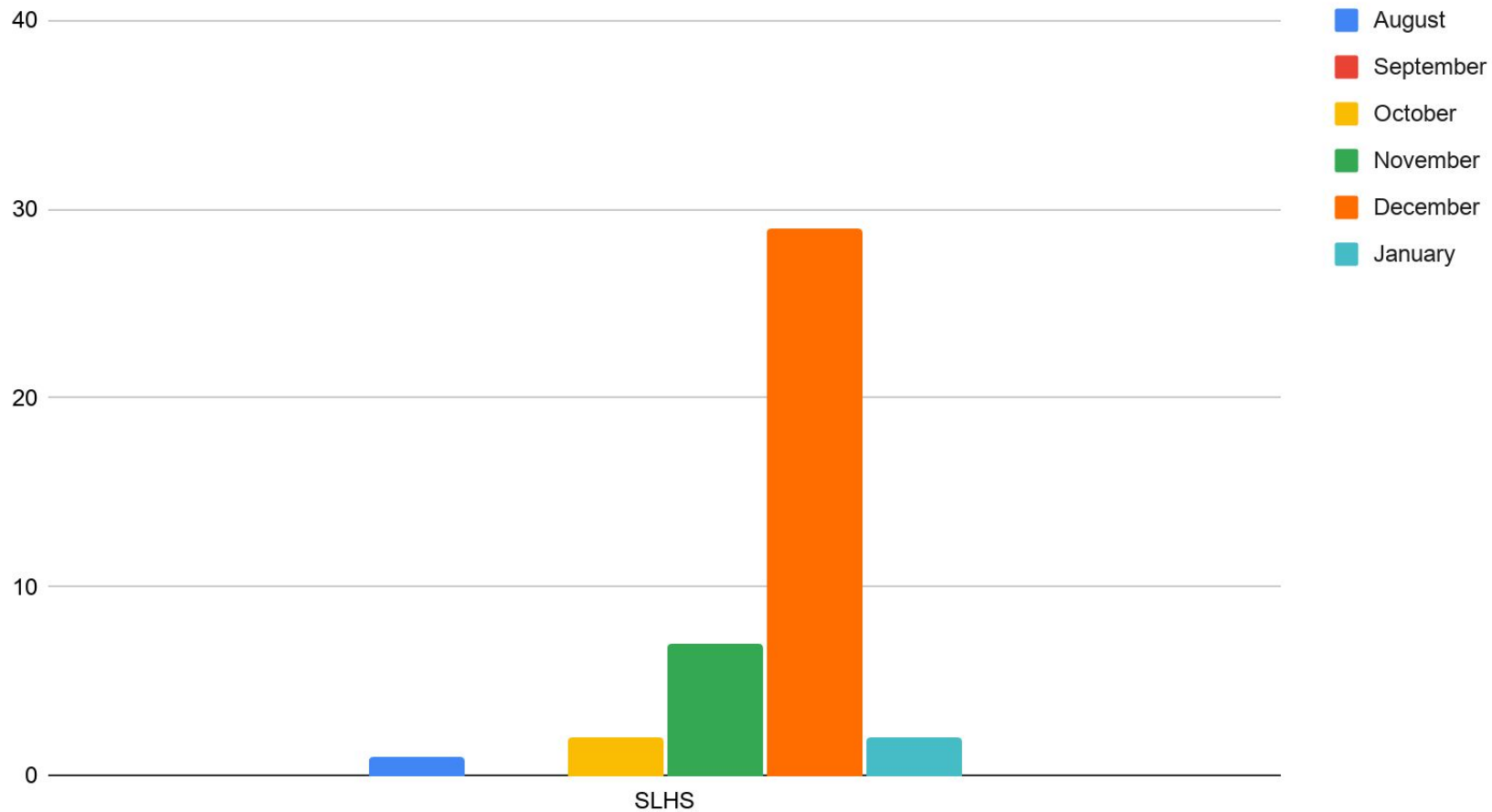
JPLIS

SLMS Aggregate Case Count (8/28 - 1/11)

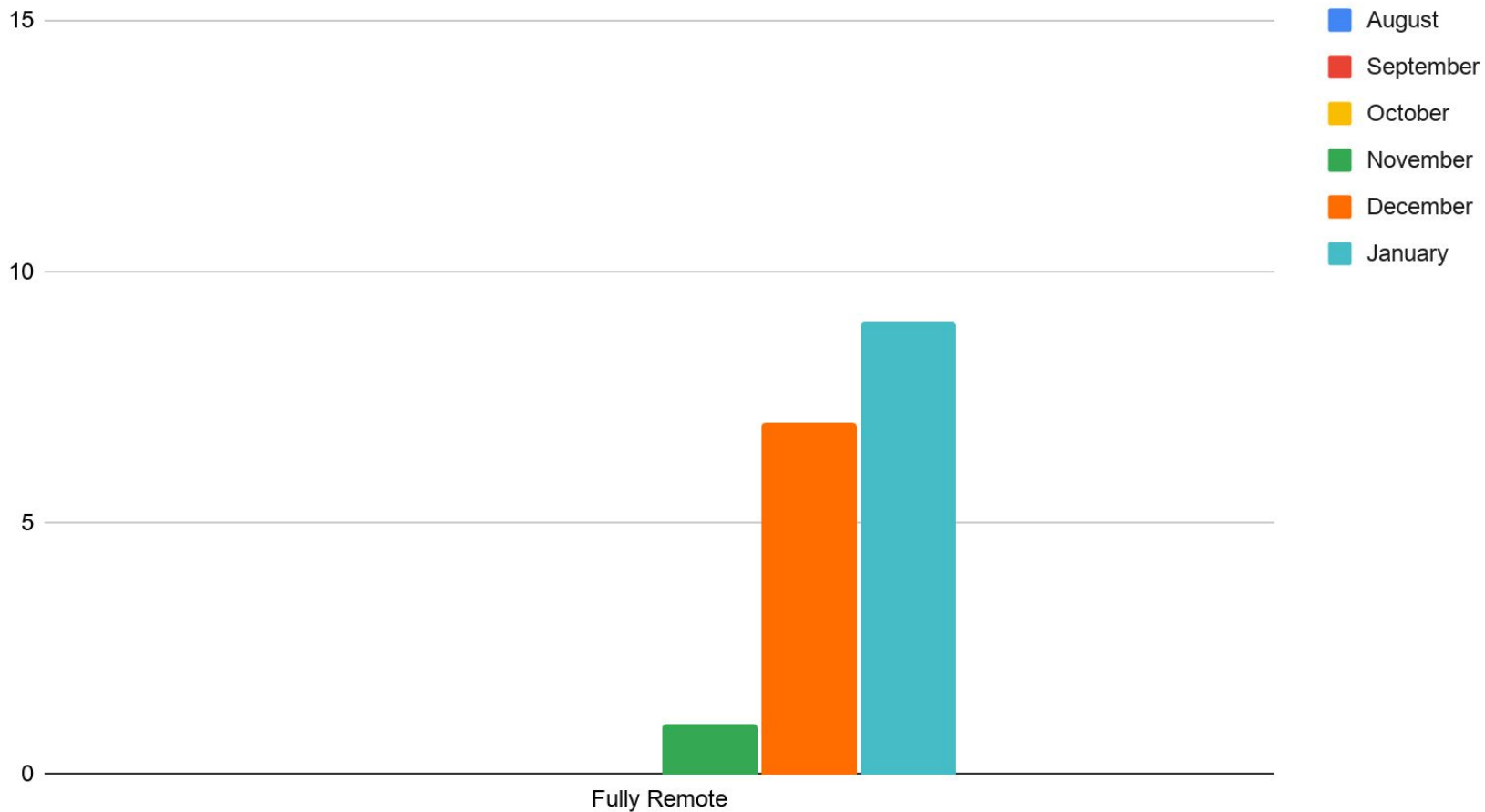
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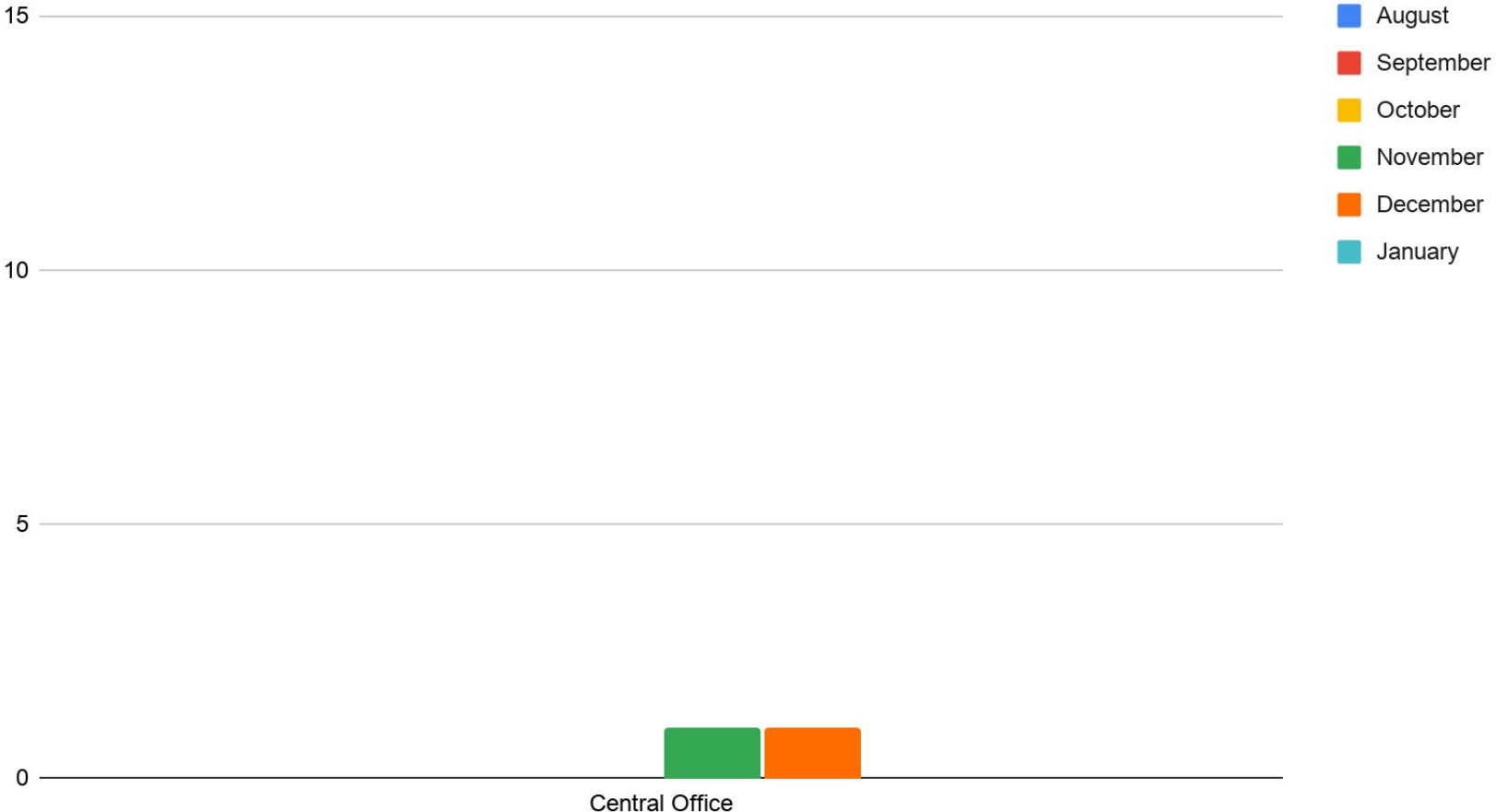
SLHS Aggregate Case Count (8/28 - 1/11)



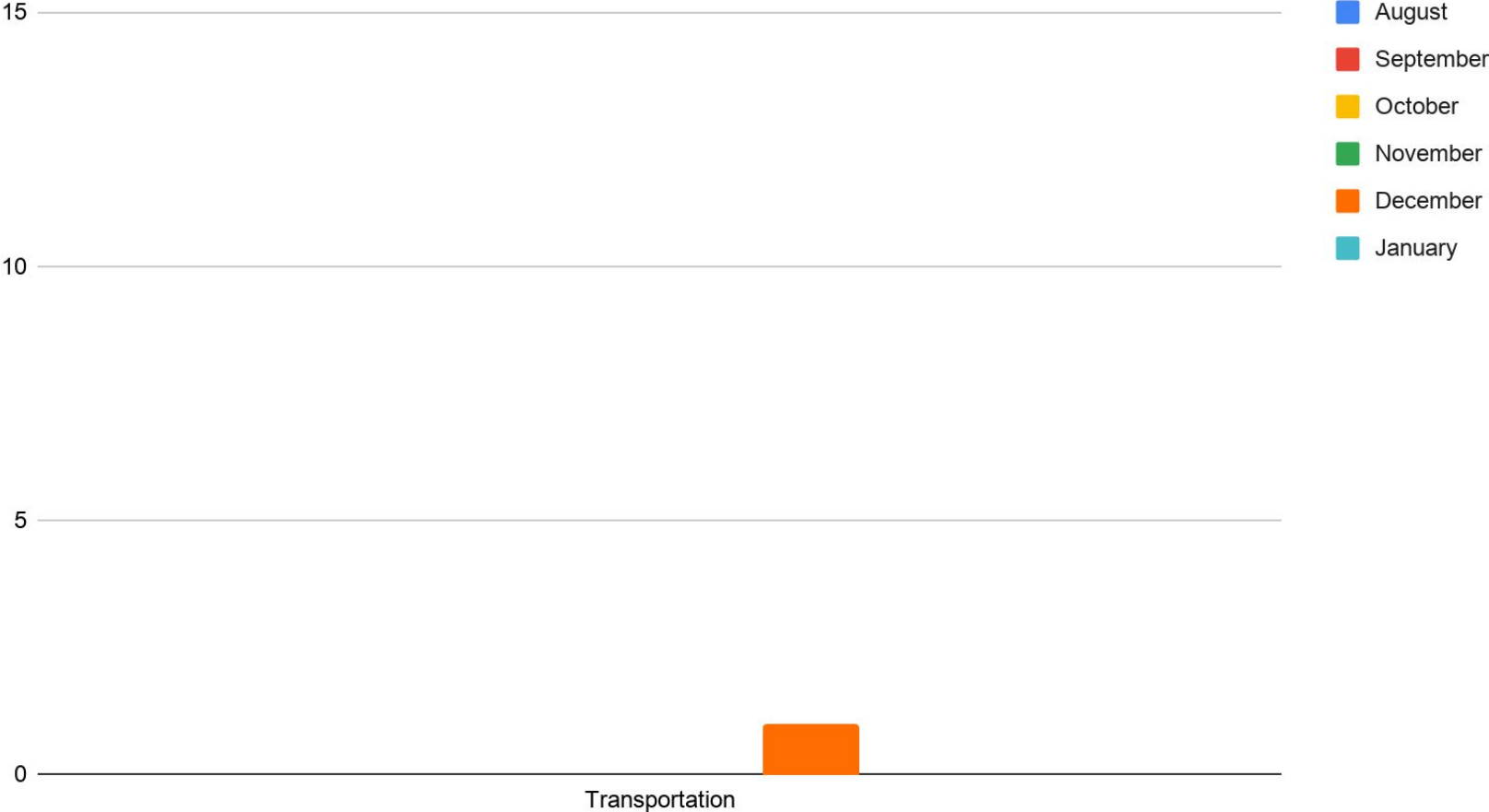
SLSD Fully Remote Aggregate Case Count (8/28 - 1/10)



SLSD Central Office Aggregate Case Count 8/28 - 1/11)



SLSD Transportation (Bus/Van Drivers) Aggregate Case Count (8/28 - 1/11)



Southern Lehigh School District



Total Students

3178



Total Staff

485



Total Number of
Student COVID-19 Cases

83 *As of 1/11/20



Total Number of
Staff COVID-19 Cases

25 *As of 1/11/20

Southern Lehigh School District

School Size and Building Closure Thresholds

Each Southern Lehigh School Building's student population, in conjunction with current Lehigh County COVID-19 community transmission level, determines the number of COVID-19 cases that will mandate temporary closure of the school building. The number of cases within a school building during a 14-day rolling period will determine the length of the temporary building closure for in-person instruction.



School Size

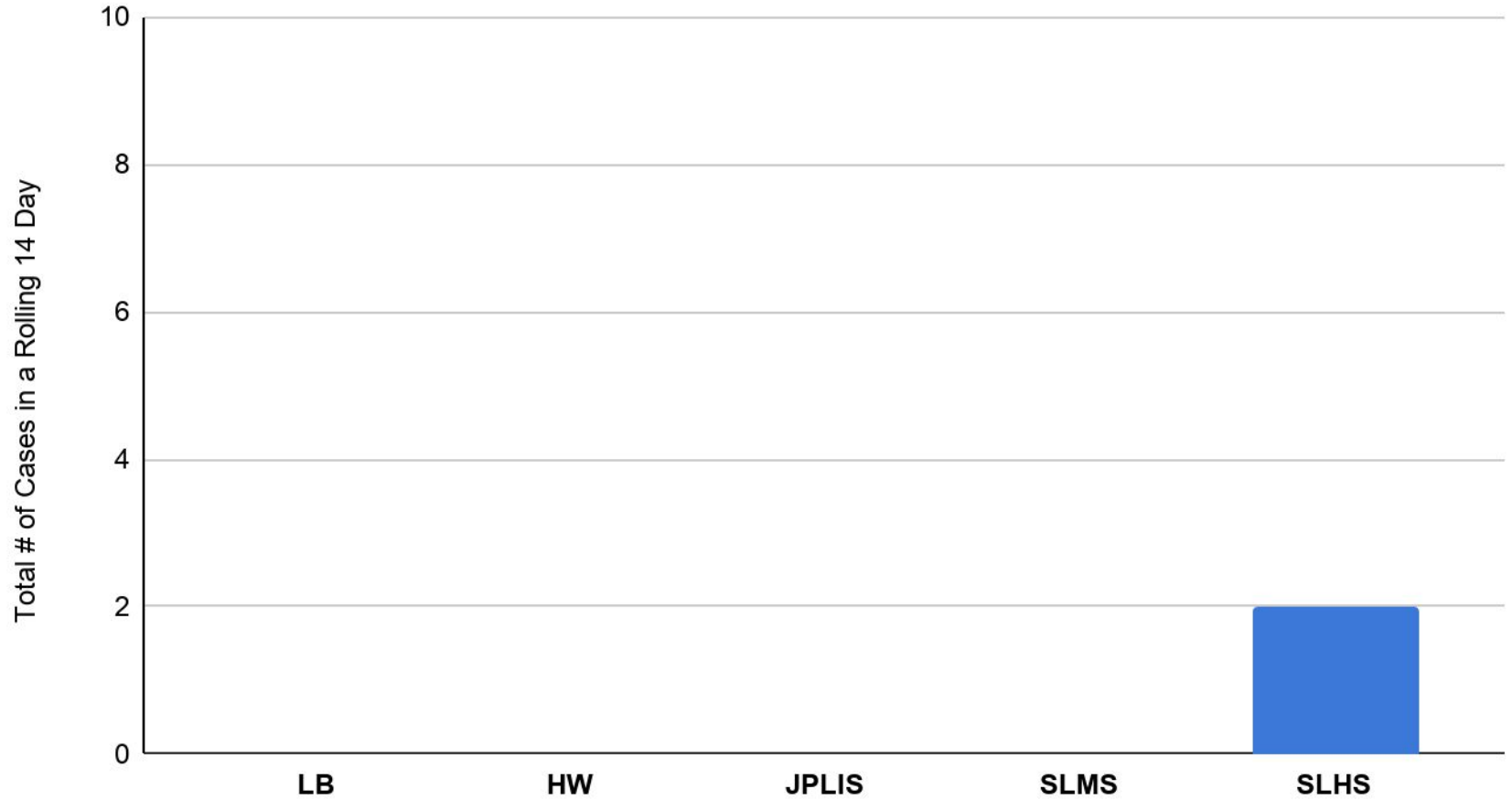


Building Closure Threshold

Small < 500 Students	Medium 500 - 900 Students	Large >900 Students		Remote for 3-7 Days	Remote for 14 Days
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HOPEWELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL • LIBERTY BELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JOSEPH P. LIBERATI INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL • SOUTHERN LEHIGH MIDDLE SCHOOL 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SOUTHERN LEHIGH HIGH SCHOOL 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMALL SCHOOL • MEDIUM SCHOOL • LARGE SCHOOL 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 - 4 CASES • 4 - 6 CASES • 6 - 10 CASES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5+ CASES • 7+ CASES • 11+ CASES

**** PER PDE, SCHOOL SIZE DETERMINATIONS ARE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS WHO WOULD BE ATTENDING SCHOOLS IN THE BUILDING IF NOT FOR THE PANDEMIC.**

SLSD Rolling 14-Day Case Count





WHAT IS A ROLLING 14 DAY PERIOD?



- Per updated PDE and the PA DOH guidance, school district must monitor COVID-19 cases on a rolling 14-day period that begins with the date of the first positive or probable COVID-19 case, specifically, the date of the individual's positive test result or, in the absence of a test result, the date the individual was first symptomatic with a two day look back to verify that they were physically present in a school building during their infectious period.
- Once a school reaches the threshold for number of cases to temporarily close the building, that school building will transition to fully remote instruction for the prescribed period of time. The school will follow mandated case investigation, contact tracing, and cleaning/disinfection protocols while the building is closed for in-person instruction.
- When a school reopens after the required period of closure, the rolling 14-day period starts over again at zero, and a new rolling 14-day period will not begin again until there is a new case that was physically present at the school during their infectious period.

The background features a large, faint watermark of the Southern Lehigh School District logo. The logo is circular and contains the text "SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT" at the top and "CENTER VALLEY, PA" at the bottom. In the center of the logo is a stylized tree or plant.

Southern Lehigh School District COVID-19 Vaccine Update

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Vaccine Update - 1/11/21

- All of this information is subject to change as planning and preparation across the Commonwealth remains **VERY FLUID**.
- The Commonwealth's Vaccination Plan is publically available and was most recently updated as of Friday, 1/8/21.
- The Commonwealth is currently servicing individuals in Phase 1A which includes licensed medical professionals and those living in congregate care facilities. Locally, School Health Personnel are also within Phase 1A.
- Phase 1B is **NEXT** and **EDUCATORS** are amongst a number of different groups of individuals who are eligible in this next phase.

COVID-19 Vaccine Information

Vaccines are safe and effective and the best way to protect you and those around you from serious illnesses. The COVID-19 vaccine will be distributed to Pennsylvanians in a phased approach.

Pennsylvania COVID-19 Vaccination Phases

Currently in: **Phase 1A**





Number of Vaccinations Administered

County	Partial	Full
Allegheny	28,960	3,057
Out Of State	22,741	1,039
Montgomery	16,924	910
Lehigh	14,016	1,276
Bucks	10,486	1,093
Lancaster	10,232	599
Northampton	9,658	988
Delaware	9,396	678
Luzerne	8,697	665
Lackawanna	7,810	332
Chester	7,809	321
Westmoreland	7,728	699
Berks	7,697	210
Philadelphia	6,477	663
York	6,090	529
Erie	5,203	324
Butler	4,388	524
Dauphin	4,365	68
Washington	4,213	439
Cumberland	3,982	81
Cambria	3,747	238
Schuylkill	3,519	168
Crawford	3,329	1,060
Blair	3,032	172
Total	264,380	21,291

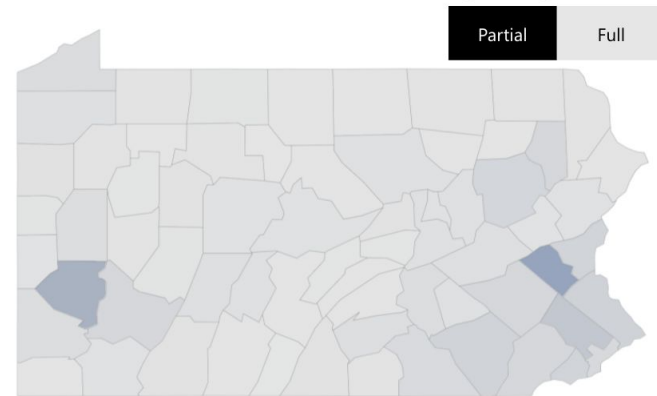
COVID-19 Vaccine Dashboard

Updated on 1/11/2021

Number of Vaccinations Administered

County	Partial	Full
Lehigh	14,016	1,276
Total	14,016	1,276

Number of Partial Vaccinations Administered, by County

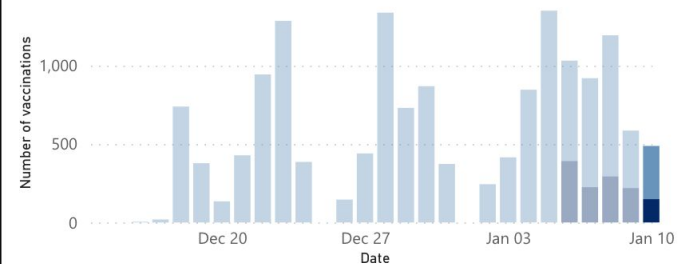


County/State

Lehigh

Number of Vaccinations Administered, by Date

- Number of full vaccinations
- Number of partial vaccinations



Vaccine Update - 1/11/21

- Significant planning has been ongoing in preparation for the TRANSITION to Phase 1B of the Vaccination Distribution.
- The transition between Phase 1A & 1B will likely happen with little advance notice. On Friday, LVHN opened up access to vaccines to certain 1B groups.
- The DOH and the local health networks are seeking assistance from organizations in Phase 1B in the creation of a communication database.
- LVHN has opened the COVID-19 Essential Worker Questionnaire on the MYLVHN system to Phase 1B which allows interested individuals to start to queue.
- The SLUHN will be providing additional information to educational partners this week about their 1B Vaccine Rollout for Educators.

Vaccine Update - 1/11/21

- Both SLUHN & LVHN have mobilized multiple vaccine distribution locations with night and weekend hours to accommodate vaccinations.
- SLUHN is preparing a Vaccine Education Program for educators and as soon as it is available, it will be shared with SLSD staff.
- LVHN is preparing additional educational materials and as soon as those are available, they will also be shared with SLSD staff.
- Any staff member who has medical questions about the COVID-19 vaccines has been encouraged to set up a conversation with their Primary Care Physician to obtain additional professional advice about the administration of COVID-19 vaccine.