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PRESS RELEASE – PERRY HIGH TO BE CLOSED ON TUESDAY

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The Chandler Unified School District has chosen to close Perry High School on Tuesday as an extra precautionary measure, following the Monday evening closure of the Town of Gilbert library on the same campus.

The Town of Gilbert chose to close its municipal library as a precautionary measure following positive test results of Legionella bacteria. While the testing was confined to the municipal library, Chandler Unified officials have chosen to close Perry High while they conduct independent testing of the school.

"While there have been no reports of illness, we are taking extra precaution to ensure the safety of our students and staff," said Superintendent Camille Casteel.

The library was tested after a Maricopa County Library District employee tested positive for a different infection, Whooping Cough, which signaled sampling by the county of the facility. The closure will allow the facility to be treated and retested. The Town will announce its reopening and provide updates at www.gilbertaz.gov.

The school at this time is closed Tuesday. District officials will provide families with additional information as it becomes available at the Perry High School and CUSD web site at ww2.chandler.k12.az.us.

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