

Dear Parents/Guardians & Students,

We look forward to welcoming our students back during our orientation sessions this week. As mentioned in our previous letter, the purpose of these orientation sessions is to familiarize students with school staff, daily routines, and important health & safety guidelines. This will help to prepare them for a strong start to regular daily attendance in their learning zone the following week.

Health and Safety:

It is important to re-emphasize that students must stay home when they are sick. Parents and caregivers must assess their child/student daily for symptoms of common cold, influenza, COVID-19, or other infectious respiratory disease, as well as possible exposure to COVID-19, before sending them to school. We have included the daily health check form below that will lead you through this important process. Please go through the form with your child/student before they attend their orientation session this week. During their orientation, they will complete and submit a paper copy of the Health Check form to their teacher. Anyone who feels sick should use the self-assessment tool at <https://bc.thrive.health/>, call 8-1-1, or consult their health care provider to be assessed.

Cross-Enrolled students:

Cross-Enrolled students will receive their cross-enrolled schedules from their ILC Teacher Advisors during their orientation sessions this week. Students will need to review their schedules with their Teacher Advisors. It is important to note that when cross-enrolled students are on the campus of neighbourhood schools, they are outside their ILC cohort (learning group) and will need to maintain physical distancing and/or wear a mask. Each student will receive two cloth masks from their Teacher Advisor during their orientation session this week.

Communication

We encourage you to please continue to monitor the school district website and our ILC website in the weeks ahead. This will ensure that you stay up to date with further announcements and developments.

Sincerely,



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Daily Health Check			
Symptoms of illness	Does your child have any of the following symptoms?	CIRCLE ONE	
		YES	NO
	Fever	YES	NO
	Chills	YES	NO
	Cough or worsening chronic cough	YES	NO
	Shortness of breath	YES	NO
	Sore throat	YES	NO
	Runny nose/Stuff nose	YES	NO
	Headache	YES	NO
	Fatigue	YES	NO
	Diarrhea	YES	NO
	Loss of appetite	YES	NO
	Nausea and vomiting	YES	NO
	Muscle aches	YES	NO
	Conjunctivitis (pink eye)	YES	NO
	Dizziness, confusion	YES	NO
	Abdominal pain	YES	NO
Skin rashes or discoloration of fingers and toes	YES	NO	
International Travel	Have you or anyone in your household returned from travel outside Canada in the last 14 days?	YES	NO
Confirmed Contact	Are you or is anyone in your household a confirmed contact of a person confirmed to have COVID-19?	YES	NO

If you answered "YES" to any of the questions and the symptoms are not related to a pre-existing condition (e.g. allergies) your child should **NOT** come to school.

If they are experiencing any symptoms of illness, contact a health-care provider for further assessment. This includes 8-1-1, or a primary care provider like a physician or nurse practitioner.

If you answered "YES" to questions 2 or 3, use the COVID-19 Self-Assessment Tool to determine if you should be tested for COVID-19.