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## IMPORTANT UPDATE | Schools to remain open, Tuesday April 6th 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The Government of Ontario has announced a province-wide lockdown effective Saturday, April 3, 2021 at 12:01 a.m. You can read the official announcement <u>here</u>.

At this time, all CEPEO schools will remain open on Tuesday, April 6. Staff will be on hand to welcome your children and ensure their well-being and education.

We will continue to monitor the situation closely and will keep you informed should schools close and a return to distance education be necessary.

Although spring is approaching and vaccination has begun, the increase in the number of cases of COVID-19 reminds us of the importance of being vigilant and to rigorously respect all health and safety measures for your own safety and that of others.

We would like to remind you to avoid in-person gatherings with friends and family during the weekend and to opt for virtual gatherings instead.

I wish you a safe and happy long weekend with your family.

Sylvie C. R. Tremblay Directrice de l'éducation