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IMPORTANT UPDATE | SCHOOL CLOSURES ON MAY 25 AND STORM IMPACT

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We hope you are doing well. The situation in the areas affected by the May 21 storm continues to improve. However, some schools will remain closed tomorrow, Thursday, May 26, as they still do not have power.

Schools closed (including daycare) on Thursday, May 26, 2022:

- Charlotte-Lemieux
- Gabrielle-Roy
- Marie-Curie
- Omer-Deslauriers

Schools open

All other schools and their daycare services will be open as usual.

NEW - Instruction

Closed schools will not offer synchronous virtual teaching. However, assignments will be placed in the Classroom so that students who have access can continue their learning in an asynchronous mode. Open schools will operate as usual.

REMINDER - Attendance

Students who are unable to attend school due to the effects of the storm will not be declared absent. Please still follow the normal procedure for reporting absences.

REMINDER - PAVÉ

For all elementary and secondary PAVÉ students, instruction will be provided in a synchronized manner, subject to sufficient staffing. Students will be contacted by the school team if instruction is to be delivered asynchronously on Thursday, May 26.

REMINDER - Transportation

For those schools that remain open, transportation may be limited. Please follow the usual channels of communication to monitor the status of school and public transportation:

Consortium de transport scolaire d'Ottawa
Consortium de transport scolaire de l'Est
OC Transpo

Health and Wellness Resources

Once again, we remind you to check out the <u>mental health wellness resources</u> available on our website. You can also check out the various <u>resources offered by the City of Ottawa for residents in need</u>. Let's stay together and take good care of ourselves and our loved ones.

I thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

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