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IMPORTANT UPDATE | Recommendation to wear a mask

Dear parents and guardians,

I hope you are doing well. Today, the Chief Medical Officer of Ontario strongly recommended that masks be worn in busy indoor areas. While wearing a mask is a personal choice and cannot be enforced, staff and students are strongly encouraged to wear a mask indoors.

Disposable masks are available in the schools. Your child can request one from his/her teacher.

Other preventive measures

Public health authorities also recommend:

- wear a mask indoors in crowded areas;
- stay home if you are sick;
- wash your hands frequently;
- coughing into the elbow;
- get vaccinated against COVID-19 and influenza if you are eligible.

We are aware that the current situation is difficult and we count on your usual cooperation to limit the risks of spreading viruses in schools.

Thank you and have a great week.

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