Brockville Collegiate Institute



January 22, 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are happy to be welcoming back our students to in-person learning over the coming weeks. <mark>Grade 7</mark> and 8 students will return to in-person learning on Jan. 25 and Grade 9-12 students will return Feb. 2 for the start of Quadmester 3.

As this is the first time that we will be seeing our students since before the winter break, we want to remind everyone of some of our daily routines and changes that we are required to follow.

- All students are required to complete the daily COVID-19 screening prior to coming to school or upon the arrival at school. The provincial online screening tool is <u>here.</u>
- All students at our school will be required to wear a mask or face covering inside the school and outside the school when physical distancing isn't possible.
- School transportation will be operating for all eligible Grade 7-8 students beginning Jan. 25. Transportation for 9-12 students will start on Tuesday, Feb. 2 - the first day of Quadmester 3. Masks/face coverings are required for students in Grade 1 – 12, and encouraged for students in Kindergarten
- Students who were loaned a device for remote learning in January are expected to return the devices to the school office on their first day back to in-person learning. Don't forget the power cords please!
- Hand sanitizing needs to be done each time students enter the school. Please remind your youth to make use of the hand sanitizing stations and to wash their hands frequently.
- Students need to have a refillable water bottle that they can use during the day. Our water fountains are not open, but students will have access to water filling stations.
- Lockers will still not be in use.

If your youth was learning remotely before the winter break and would like to return to in-person learning, please contact Lori Taylor, Principal, Brockville Collegiate Institute 613-345-5641 or lori.taylor@ucdsb.on.ca.

For our remote learners: classroom teachers will continue to provide synchronous learning each day in the classroom setting for those doing synchronous learning; digital resources will continue to be available on Teams for our students who have chosen digital asynchronous learning; and printed packages will continue to be provided for our non-digital remote learners. Non-Digital Materials for students in grade 7-8 will be returned/picked up on Tuesday January 26th and for students in grades 9-12 materials are to be returned on Thursday, January 28th. Procedure for pickup/drop off are as follows:

Please do not enter the building. Please come to the front door and call to pick up/drop off materials.



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I. Student/Parent/Guardian must complete

- a. Ontario's <u>COVID-19 self-assessment</u> tool prior to accessing any school property.
 - i. If the individual answers NO to all questions, they have passed the screening and can advance to receive/drop off packages.
 - ii. If the individual answers YES to any of the screening questions, then they have failed the screening and cannot advance to receive/drop off packages. It is recommended that they go to an Assessment Centre or contact their health care provider. If the individual refuses to answer the questions, they are to make other arrangements to receive/drop off packages.

The following Health and Safety protocols must also be adhered to:

- 1) Ensure proper physical distancing
- 2) Wearing of Mask or face covering
- 3) Proper hand hygiene (hand washing or hand sanitizing before and after handling items)

Thank you, Lori Taylor Principal, Brockville Collegiate Institute 613-345-5641