



May 14, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA) advised Good Spirit School Division of a positive case of COVID-19 in an individual connected to the Grade 1/2B class at Dr. Brass School. We are working closely with Public Health staff to ensure necessary measures are in place to protect all students and staff. Public Health will be contacting parents/guardians of students and any staff/visitors/volunteers who may have been in close contact with the case and will provide direction.

To minimize further risk of transmission, the **Grade 1/2B class** was cancelled today; this provided staff with the time required for transitioning to remote instruction. **Mandatory remote instruction will begin on Monday, May 17, 2021, until tentatively Friday, May 21, 2021.** Remote instruction details will be shared with you, by staff. **Grade 1/2B classes will tentatively return to face-to-face instruction on Wednesday, May 26, 2021.**

**The Grade 5/6 and Building Active Leaders classes are continuing with remote instruction until Thursday, May 20, 2021, with a tentative return to face-to-face instruction on Friday, May 21, 2021.**

**The SHA would like our help with continuing to do our part in stopping the spread of COVID-19 by following Provincial regulations and encouraging all students and staff to remain at home when showing the slightest symptom of COVID-19.** There is a COVID-19 testing site available at 276 Myrtle Avenue in Yorkton. You may be tested without an appointment between the hours of 8:30 am – 3:30 pm, seven days a week, or you may call 8-1-1 for a referral and an appointment will be scheduled for you. Ensure that you have your Health Card with you. Children under the age of 18 will need verbal consent from a parent or guardian.

We would like to assure you that the GSSD facility disinfecting, and cleaning protocols have been and will continue to be followed but as an extra precaution, the GSSD Facility team will fully disinfect the entire school building.

Everyone entering schools is reminded to monitor for any signs or symptoms of COVID-19. Refer to the [Daily Self-Assessment Checklist](#). Also, the Saskatchewan Health Authority has shared a [COVID and Seasonal Allergy Fact Sheet](#). For further information regarding COVID-19, please call Health Line at 811 or visit the Saskatchewan Ministry of Health website at [www.saskatchewan.ca/covid19](http://www.saskatchewan.ca/covid19).

Sincerely,

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