

May 25, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA) advised Good Spirit School Division (GSSD) that a positive case of COVID-19 has been diagnosed in an individual connected to the **Grade 11 class** at Esterhazy High School. We are working closely with Public Health staff to ensure necessary measures are in place to protect all students and staff. Public Health has been and will continue to contact parents/guardians of students and any staff who may have been in close contact with the cases and will provide direction.

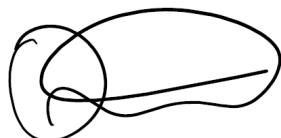
Students who have been deemed as a close contact to the case, by Public Health, will transition to remote instruction on Wednesday, May 26, 2021, until tentatively Thursday, June 3, 2021. If your child has been deemed a close contact and is a bus student, please notify the bus driver to let them know your child will not be on the bus. Tentative face-to-face instruction will resume on Friday, June 4, 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.

Sincerely,



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