NOTRE DAME SCHOOL



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Welcome Back to School – September 2021

Communicable Disease Protocols for a Safe Return



Daily Health Checks

Everyone entering the school is asked to have completed <u>daily health checks</u> from the BCCDC to monitor for any symptoms.



Masks

Masks are required for all visitors, staff, and students in grades 4-12. Masks are encouraged for students in grades K-3. *Some exemptions apply.



School Entry/Exit

Students may enter from either the parking lot or bus gate and may choose which entrance is most convenient for them. Classes will continue to line up with their grade and enter/exit with their teachers.



Washrooms

Stalls will be divided by primary and intermediate. Students no longer have to line up outside the washroom.



Playground

We will continue to have a staggered first recess. Lunch recess will be an opportunity for the whole school to be outside together.



Illness

Students/staff should stay home when sick. Students who become ill while at school will be kept comfortable and supervised while waiting for their parent/guardian to come and pick them up.



Cleaning

Staff will continue to clean high-touch surfaces regularly (recess, lunch, and a daily clean after school).



Hand Hygiene

All entering will use proper hand hygiene by washing their hands where sinks are available. Hand sanitizer will also be available throughout the school.



Vaccinations

For your information, please go to the <u>Northern Health website</u> for times and locations for vaccinations.