



TRAFALGAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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중요한 정보 - 번역 부탁드립니다

Información importante - Por favor traducir

معلومات مهمة - الرجاء الترجمة

重要な情報-翻訳してください

اطلاعات مهم - لطفا ترجمه کنید

January 3rd, 2022

Dear Families of students at Trafalgar School.

Happy New Year to you all. We hope you have enjoyed a healthy and restful winter break.

As stated in the letter sent to you by the Vancouver School District on December 30, as per the Minister of Education's announcement, the return to school for most of our students will be delayed until January 10th in response to the rising spread of the Omicron variant of COVID-19.

Vancouver schools will, however, be open this week (Tuesday, January 4th to January 7th) to provide support for students coming from vulnerable circumstances, students with special needs, and children of essential workers who require support. Essential service workers include those employed in Health and Health Services, Social Services, Law Enforcement, First Responders, Emergency Response, and those employed in K-12 education.

What to expect if you are planning on sending your child to school on January 4:

- School will begin and end at the regularly scheduled times
- Supervision will be provided by school staff. This may not necessarily include students' usual teachers.
- No new instruction will be taking place. Regular curricular instruction will recommence when schools reopen to all students.
- Students may be grouped differently from their usual classroom divisions.
- Please ensure your child has a lunch, healthy snack, and appropriate outdoor clothing for the weather each day.
- Students arriving at school in the morning will need to go to their designated outside door as they did in first term and wait for a teacher to pick them up from there.

- There is no need to inform the school if your child will not be attending school from January 4 to 7. Students who do not attend school on these days will not be marked absent.

We will continue to emphasize our already existing and highly effective layers of protection as advised by health officials. Mask wearing and frequent hand hygiene will be in place and reinforced by educators. Staff will also continue to:

- clean high touch surfaces frequently (once per day)
- manage traffic flow in common areas and prevent crowding
- reinforce daily self-health checks, and ensure students and staff stay home if they are feeling sick
- increase outdoor learning opportunities wherever possible

This is not the January startup we had expected. We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding as we continue to adjust our daily work to accommodate health and safety information as we receive them. Please don't hesitate to contact either one of us if you have any questions, concerns, or special considerations.

Sincerely,

Your Admin Team,

Daniel and Hieu