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ਇਸ ਈਮੇਲ ਵਿੱਚ ਮਹੱਤਵਪੂਰਨ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਹੈ।
ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਇਸਦਾ ਅਨਵਾਦ ਕਰੋ।

يحتوي هذا المستند على معلومات مهمة حول مدرسة طفلك. يرجى ترجمته.

매우 중요한 공지문이니, 반드시 번역하여 내용을 숙지하십시오.

Hãy dịch nó sang tiếng Việt. Đây là một thông báo quan trọng.

Este documento contiene información importante sobre la escuela de su hijo/hija. Háganlo traducir por favor.

February 25, 2022

Dear ASIA Sumas families,

Last week, our Superintendent shared an updated that highlighted [Dr. Bonnie Henry's announced planned changes to public health orders](#) over the coming days and weeks, focusing on resuming more types of activities and events.

We understand that there are varying levels of comfort as we begin to move towards the next stage in our provincial Restart Plan, but ultimately this is exciting news for our community and serves as a signal of better days ahead.

It is with this email that we wanted to provide you with updates related to our school operations.

Guidelines for K-12 Setting

While our school begins to return to the operational parameters from this past fall, several health and safety measures will remain in place until further notice. These include:

- Conducting [Daily Health Checks](#);
- [Mask wearing in accordance with the Provincial Health Officer Order](#) for all K-12 students and staff;
- Regular hand hygiene;
- Maintaining physical distancing where possible; and
- Staying home when you are sick.

At our school we will also implement a relaxation of some restrictions set after winter break. These will take place starting on Monday, February 28th, 2022.

These include:

- Middle and Secondary lunch break will be 11:05 to 11:45 am
- Middle school NUT break to be changed back to 1:02 to 1:15 pm
- Cafeteria outdoor lineup will be removed.
- Classrooms will be more flexible with tables where needed
- Events/performances/shows to be open to a 50% capacity
- We will continue with staggered entry/exit doors to maintain physical distancing

This information has also been sumasmountain@abbyschools.ca for families.

Rapid Antigen Tests

The Ministry of Education has also shipped rapid antigen tests to our school for distribution to students. Each student will receive one box, which includes five individual tests. [Guidance for parents on how to use the tests is available.](#)

ASIA Sumas has received test kits and all students have been given one box of tests to take home. If your child did not receive their test, ask them to visit the office. We currently do not have extra tests available.

Next Steps

The safety and well-being of our students, families, and staff remains our highest priority. We look forward to working with the district and the provincial health office to navigate this situation.

Sincerely,
Karen Bennett, principal
ASIA Sumas Mountain