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RE: ALGONQUIN STUDENTS ON ONE SHARED BUS RUN REQUIRED TO SELF-ISOLATE

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Public Health Sudbury & Districts advised the Sudbury Student Services Consortium that students from Algonquin Road Public School **on one shared bus run** are required to self-isolate. This is due to a possible exposure to COVID-19 not related to the school. **There is no confirmed case of COVID-19 at Algonquin Road Public School at this time.**

In an abundance of caution, by direction of Public Health, students on the afternoon elementary bus Route L812 have been asked to self-isolate. The affected students, their parents/guardians and relevant bus drivers have been notified and have received a letter from Public Health with specific guidance. Public Health will reach out to all affected parents/guardians and drivers with additional detailed instructions once their initial investigation is complete.

Algonquin Public School remains open for in-person learning. The school will follow up with affected students to ensure continuity of learning.

Remember to screen for COVID-19 daily. Continue to use the **COVID-19 Screening Tool for Children in School and Child Care** <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/> to monitor for symptoms and follow the direction provided. **Anyone who is sick must stay home.**

Please follow the critical ongoing COVID-19 prevention measures:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water or alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- Sneeze and cough into your sleeve.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth.
- Stay home and [isolate](#) if symptoms appear.
- Practise two-metre physical distancing.
- Wear a mask in indoor public spaces and outdoors if physical distancing of two metres cannot be maintained.

As always, we will monitor our school population closely for any signs of COVID-19, remain vigilant, and follow the guidance from Public Health. If you have any questions regarding COVID-19 or the measures taken to address COVID-19, please visit www.phsd.ca/COVID-19 or contact Public Health Sudbury & Districts at 705.522.9200 ext. 524.

Thank you for working together to keep everyone safe.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "B. Bourget".

Bruce Bourget
Director of Education