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**RE: PRINCESS ANNE STUDENTS ON ONE SHARED BUS RUN REQUIRED TO SELF-ISOLATE**

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Public Health Sudbury & Districts advised the Sudbury Student Services Consortium today that students from Princess Anne 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 Princess Anne Public School at this time.**

**By direction of Public Health, the requirement for students on the morning elementary bus Route L653 to self-isolate to and including October 23, 2021 is based on immunization status.** The affected students, their parents/guardians and relevant bus driver have been notified and have received a letter from Public Health with specific guidance. **Please note that this bus route is cancelled for the remainder of the week and will resume on Tuesday, October 26, 2021. (Monday, October 25, 2021 is a Professional Activity Day.)**

**Princess Anne 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 at all times in indoor public spaces.

When outdoors, students are encouraged to maintain physical distancing.

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](http://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