

January 17, 2022

Dear parents,

Please see below for additional information pertaining to return to in-person classes on January 18.

Isolation period

Please see attached for a useful infographic that can be used to as guideline about when to isolate and for how long (<u>FR</u> | <u>ENG</u>).

As was the practice prior to the holidays, schools will be in regular contact with students who are required to be in isolation for extended periods and work will be provided through online learning management system (SeeSaw/Google Classroom, etc).

Rapid tests

All students in elementary schools will be receiving additional rapid tests during the week of January 17 or January 24. Please see attached for details about when it is appropriate to use a rapid test (FR | ENG).

Vaccination for 5-11 year olds

We would like to remind you of the importance of vaccination to reduce the risk of transmission and to keep our students in school. Vaccinations at elementary schools are expected to resume at the end of the month, through the various CIUSSS. Additional information to follow.

You can also make an appointment for your child at a vaccination site located outside the school. You can book your appointment here. The child must be accompanied by a parent or guardian when receiving the vaccine at the vaccination center.

Updates on protocols

As the situation develops/changes we will be updating our COVID-19 information page. Please check it regularly for up-to-date information. https://www.lbpsb.gc.ca/back-to-school-2021

Thank you for your continued collaboration and support.

DURATION OF ISOLATION

	12 years old and older	Less than 12	Immunocompromised individuals
Adequately vaccinated	5 days*	5 days.	21 days.
	(for the 5 days following the isolation period, must wear mask at all times.)	and redo a rapid test on day 5 If test is positive, continue to isolate for 5 additional days If the test is negative: the child can resume his or her	
Not adequately vaccinated	10 days.	activities*.	

^{*}If symptoms improve, and 24 hours have passed without a fever.

For more information: Quebec.ca/isolement

Courtesy translation of the info-graphic below:



^{**} If you are an employee in the health sector, please contact your employer for additional instructions about isolation and return to work.