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COVID-19 SCREENER UPDATE

To Whom it May Concern,

The Ministry of Education/Ministry of Health has updated the Ontario Covid-19 School Screener with changes that are effective today. The changes include updated symptom screening criteria and sibling/household isolation information.

The screener can be found on our King George website, Facebook page, the LKDSB website and is linked below:

<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/>

Specifically, *“Everyone in your household should stay home if anyone has COVID-19 symptoms or is waiting for test results after experiencing symptoms. Stay home until the person with symptoms gets a negative COVID-19 test result, is cleared by public health, or is diagnosed with another illness.”*

Consequently, we require a little more information than we usually do if your child is staying home ill. If your child is staying home, please let us know if they are ill for a reason that is unrelated to Covid-19, as well as the results of their daily Covid-19 screener. It is imperative for families to follow the recommendations of the Covid-10 Screener and to have their child tested or self-isolate for the required time if recommended by the screener.

We appreciate your continued diligence here so that we can maintain a learning environment that is safe for all.

Sincerely,

T. Pereira

Principal