



Plympton-Wyoming Public School



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Dear Families:

You are asked to screen your child(ren) for symptoms every day before they come to school. You can use the Ministry of Health's Ontario COVID-19 updated school-screening self-assessment tool (<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/>) for this purpose. If your child(ren) has/have any symptoms of COVID-19 or if they are ill, they should not attend school. You should report your child's absence from school by contacting us at 519-845-3241. Students who become ill during the day will be isolated and must be picked up from school as soon as possible. Symptomatic students will not be able to use student transportation.

If you're worried your child(ren) or any member of your household has/have been exposed to COVID-19 or has/have symptoms, use the Ministry of Health's Ontario COVID-19 updated school-screening self-assessment tool (<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/>). You will get a recommendation on what to do next.

We are working with our local Public Health Unit to take steps to prevent the spread of COVID-19 in our school and will keep you updated with new information as it becomes available. To reduce the risk of COVID-19 in our school, multiple measures have been implemented, including physical distancing, hand hygiene, masking, cohorting, screening, isolation and enhanced cleaning.

The Ontario Ministry of Health advises everyone to take an active role in protecting themselves from COVID-19. Here are a few things that you and your family can do:

- 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
- Avoid contact with people who are sick
- Stay home and isolate (<https://www.ontario.ca/page/covid-19-stop-spread#section-3>) if you or anyone in your household is sick

For more information on COVID-19 please visit [Ontario.ca/coronavirus \(https://covid-19.ontario.ca/\)](https://covid-19.ontario.ca/).

If you have any questions about what our school is doing, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Mr. A. Parnham
Principal