March 21, 2021

Moncton High School Staff:

Re: **POSITIVE COVID-19 CASE AT Moncton High School**

This is to inform you of positive COVID-19 case in your school. We are working with Public Health officials to identify any students and school personnel who may have been in contact with the case. **Public Health officials will contact you if you have been in close contact with the confirmed case and will inform you if you must self-isolate. If you have not been contacted by Public Health you are clear return to the school when the school re-opens. The school will be closed on Monday March 22 for an Operational Response Day to allow PH to do the contact tracing.**

If you are not showing any symptoms of COVID-19 but still wish to get tested, please call 1-833-475-0724 to schedule an appointment.

If you are showing any symptoms of COVID-19, you should either:
1. Register them online for a test by clicking "Get tested" on the GNB corona virus website (www.gnb.ca/coronavirus),
2. Call 1-833-475-0724, **or**
3. Contact your primary care provider.

I understand that you may feel anxious that there is a positive case confirmed in our school. However, it is important that we continue to show professionalism by remaining vigilant about protecting the privacy of students and school personnel at this time. Public Health officials will inform those who are at risk of the next steps, but to protect the privacy of students and school personnel, other details including names, will not be released.

We encourage you to take this opportunity to remind your students to be respectful and kind to one another inside and outside of the classroom. Everyone is entitled to a positive learning and working environment. By reinforcing Public Health advice and role modelling respect and healthy behaviours, together we can demonstrate to our students and parents that the measures we have in place to address COVID-19 are vital.

Sincerely,

Gregg Ingersoll

Superintendent