



RIVERVIEW HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are happy to welcome back our Royals tomorrow. Although they have only been gone two days, we have already missed them. On behalf of the staff, we want to thank you for your understanding and support over these last few days. The acts of kindness and care are appreciated and the wearing of red throughout the community has been awesome!

Our supports for students related to the events this week will continue whether they are at school in-person or learning at-home. Students can request an in-person appointment or a telephone call with their school counsellor by emailing them or by visiting the school's main office.

Julie Doucette- Julie.doucette@nbed.nb.ca for students with last names beginning with N-Z

Kelly Hogan- kelly.hogan@nbed.nb.ca for students with last names beginning with A-M

Ewen Cameron- ewen.cameron@nbed.nb.ca- any student

As well, the phone line to access support from a mental health professional outside of school is open again on Friday from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. This service can be accessed by calling 871-2872 or 871-0091.

Unfortunately, with the news that we have returned to the orange phase in this region, we must ask our Royals to adjust to increased expectations again. Beginning tomorrow, as a school community, we will be implementing the following additions to our operational plan:

- Students must use the front door by the main office to enter the school in the morning;
- Students and staff both will be required to wear masks at all times while on school property and in school (the only exception is when students are eating or drinking while seated in a classroom or participating in physical education);
 - Students are not permitted to eat or drink in the hallways or common areas;
- Students and staff are required to abide by the public health requirement to wear masks in all public spaces, including on their way to school in the morning, during lunch, and after school;
- Reminder: students are required to wear masks when on the school bus;
- Students and staff will be required to ensure they are not gathering in groups (this includes both on and off school property and in the school);
- Even with masks on, students and staff must maintain physical distancing of 2m, except in the classroom, in which the distance is 1m;
- Students must leave school property immediately when dismissed at the end of the day and if leaving school property for lunch (reminder that students can remain at school during the lunch hour, but must be in their 4th period classroom); and
- Organizers of extracurricular and programs will provide additional information directly to their student participants.

As a reminder, students on track A will attend school tomorrow, Friday, January 8th. As well, we once again had to cancel our school photos that were scheduled for this week.

If there is anything we can do to support our Royals, please let us know.

Please take care.

Jason Reath, Principal