



LOCH LOMOND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Good Afternoon:

This is Greg Norton calling from Loch Lomond School, with a few updates regarding upcoming events at Loch Lomond School for Monday, March 22nd – Friday, March 26th.

Please be reminded that student drop-off is not permitted prior to 7:50 a.m. Upon arrival in the designated student “drop & go” zone, drivers are not permitted to idle to keep the flow of drop-off traffic moving and to be courteous of those waiting patiently in line and help prevent congestion on Evergreen Ave. and Loch Lomond Rd. Students being dropped-off are asked to exit the vehicle on the passenger side, closest to the school sidewalk. Thank you in advance for your cooperation in keeping our student drop-off zone moving safely and efficiently!

The return to Yellow phase has now resulted in a lessening of the face mask requirements. In addition, the following requirements are in place:

- Students should have 2 clean masks with them every day
- Students in K-5 should wear masks in common areas when they are outside of their class bubbles inside the building (e.g. going to the washroom, visiting the resource teacher, going to the gym, etc.)
- Students should also have masks on as they approach and board the school buses.
- While masks are encouraged, younger students (K-5) sitting with a member of the same household, or alone, will not be required to wear masks. Older students (Grades 6-12) will wear masks when getting on and off the bus and if they are sitting with another students who is not from the same household.

Loch Lomond School is committed to the health and safety of our staff and students and will keep our families up to date with any new information we receive. Families can also check the [GNB website](#) for the latest COVID-19 information.

Sunday, March 21st is International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination. “Youth standing up against racism” is the 2021 theme. It engages the public through **#FightRacism**, which aims to foster a global culture of tolerance, equality and anti-discrimination and calls on each and every one of us to stand up against racial prejudice and intolerant attitudes. For more information on the United Nations International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination please visit the UN website at: <https://www.un.org/en/observances/end-racism-day>

The EECD Student Perception Survey will be happening beginning next week and running until March 26th for our students in Grades 4 & 5. The OurSCHOOL Student Survey allows students to share their feedback anonymously on their experiences at school, school environment, and school improvement programs. Based on their feedback, students can be involved in action plans fostering increased student engagement. Participation in the survey is voluntary, however, all students are encouraged to participate. The time required to complete the survey may vary, but it is designed to be completed in approximately 35-40 minutes. Survey measures include such topics as behaviours and attitudes linked to student success, emotional and social well-being and physical health. For more information about the OurSCHOOL Student Survey, please visit The Learning Bar’s website: www.thelearningbar.com

Starting Monday, March 22nd – Friday, March 26th Loch Lomond School will celebrate French Culture with a week of special activities, events and experiences that are features on our Loch Lomond School website “Events Calendar.” This French themed week provides an opportunity to learn and better appreciate New Brunswick’s vibrant French culture. Thank you to our French Immersion teaching team for organizing this week-long, fun-filled learning opportunity for all students.

Yours in Education,

Greg Norton
Principal

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