



March 16, 2020

Dear Churchill Families,

Given the recent announcement from our government regarding the cancellation of classes for all students in the province, I wanted to reach out specifically from Winston Churchill High School.

Firstly, I want to acknowledge that we are in unprecedented times and we are navigating this very serious time together as a community. Please know I recognize this is a very challenging time for students, staff, and families. The flow of information seems continuous and as a staff we are doing all we can to keep up to date with the advice given by the government and our school division. We will do our best to keep you up to date.

Currently, we are meeting as a school division to determine next steps with regard to delivering curriculum to your child. We will communicate this plan to you once it is in place.

Please know all school activities are cancelled. This includes classes, clubs, athletics, fine arts, parent/teacher conferences and School Council meetings. The school building is closed to students.

If your child needs to pick up personal or academic materials, please follow the schedule below. It is important that your child be in good health and show no symptoms of COVID-19 if they are coming to the school. Please enter the school through the front doors, all other entrances will be locked. We will have hand sanitizer stations in the front entry. Students can sanitize their hands as they enter, and as they exit. Please note, this is not a time to meet with teachers or to discuss school programming. We ask that students come for their scheduled time (as we need to limit the number of people in the building to less than 250). We also ask that your child pick up their belongings and then exit the building right after (students should be in the building for less than 10 minutes). Please have your child leave their lock open on their locker. Please know the doors to the building will be locked at 3:15pm.

Tuesday, March 17	
Grade 9	8:30am – 10am
Grade 10	10:15am – 11:45am
Grade 11	12pm – 1:30pm
Grade 12	1:45pm – 3:15pm

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We will have a second round of pick-up on Wednesday, March 25. The schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, March 25	
Grade 9	8:30am – 9:30am
Grade 10	9:45am – 10:45am
Grade 11	11am – 12:00pm
Grade 12	12:15pm – 1:15pm

During this second round of pick-up we ask that students limit their time in the school. Please enter through the front doors (where there will be hand sanitizing stations).

Churchill Family, we know this is a stressful time. Please take care of yourselves and one another. I know we will make it through this challenge together.

Tracy Wong
Principal