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January 19, 2021

Dear students and staff,

**SUBJECT: COVID-19 CASE AT ST. ALBERT LEARNING CENTRE**

This letter is to inform you that Public Health Sudbury & Districts has advised us that a confirmed case of COVID-19 has been reported in the Personal Support Worker (PSW) program. The individual who tested positive for COVID-19 is currently self-isolating and being monitored by Public Health Sudbury & Districts while the investigation continues. This is considered a LOW RISK situation by Public Health Sudbury & Districts.

As this situation is under active investigation, please continue to check our school or board website at [www.sudburycatholicschools.ca](http://www.sudburycatholicschools.ca) for updated information and should you have any questions regarding this information please contact the principal Megan Murphy.

Public Health Sudbury & Districts is working closely with our school to manage the case. They will directly contact students and school personnel who have been identified as **close contacts**. If you are not called by Public Health Sudbury & Districts, please continue to follow the general advice in this letter. All staff and students are reminded to conduct their daily [School Screening](#) prior to entering the school.

#### **Who is a low risk contact of COVID-19?**

A low risk contact is someone who:

- may have been with a person who tested positive for COVID-19 while the person was wearing a mask and was physical distancing.
- had minimal contact with the person who tested positive for COVID-19 (e.g., walked by or was in the same room for a short time).
- had no physical contact with the person who tested positive for COVID-19 (e.g. did not touch each other).

Remember to follow the critical ongoing COVID-19 prevention measures:

- 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.
- Stay home and isolate if symptoms appear.
- Practice two-meter physical distancing.
- Wear a mask in indoor public spaces and outdoors, especially when physical distancing of two meters cannot be maintained.



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As noted, Public Health Sudbury & Districts will directly contact all students and staff who have been identified as **close contacts**.

If you have any questions regarding COVID-19 or the measures taken to address COVID-19, please visit [www.phsd.ca/COVID-19](http://www.phsd.ca/COVID-19) or contact Public Health Sudbury & Districts at 705.522.9200 ext. 524 (toll-free 1.866.522.9200). For information specific to the case and the schools' response to the situation please call St. Albert Learning Centre or Peter Prochilo, Superintendent of School Effectiveness at (705) 673-5620 ext. 301.

Thank you,

Joanne Bénard  
Director of Education