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Dear Parents and Students:

We are coming up to the end of week two! Congratulations to all for settling well into a new school routine. We appreciate everyone's patience and attention to safety protocol over the past two weeks.

There have been several questions about attendance. Here are a few more details:

- Cohorts A and B: in person attendance is taken by 10:20 am each day.
- Cohort O (online students) and Cohorts A and B (when working from home): attendance is taken by 10:20am. All online students and students working from home must sign in through D2L to be marked present.
 - Students have a link they can follow on their teachers' D2L pages to check-in for attendance each day.
 - O Cohort O (online students) have an additional check-in time with one of our In-School Team members each day to receive announcements, trouble shoot and receive additional supports if needed. The virtual meeting is scheduled for 12:30pm each day.

Regular attendance both online and in-person is extremely important this year. Course expectations will need to be met to ensure students have a strong foundation to move on to the next grade level in their courses.

Please let us know if your child needs support with academics or a life event. We have many DSBN teachers who can help support students in school or on-line learning. One such on-line support is **Direct Connect** available to all DSBN students. **DirectConnect:** Online, Subject-specific support for students is available each day from 10:00am to 2:00pm.

- Access this service on the D2L homepage.
- Click on the appropriate subject group.
- Click on 'We are Here to Help' picture.
- Access the MS Team site where teachers are available to support.

In addition, there are several important forms that need to be completed by parents and are accessible through the School Cash Online (SCO) system. SCO can be found on the St. Catharine's Collegiate website on the right-hand side. The following forms must be completed for each student:

- COVID screening declaration form
- Consent to participate in Phys Ed
- Consent participation in Tech and Science
- Tech Digital Citizenship Agreement
- We have also included links to a September calendar for both Cohort A and Cohort B on the St. Catharines' Collegiate website. Periods 3 and 4 are scheduled to begin on Monday, September 21. All students in cohort A, period 3 will be in attendance on Monday. A copy of the September Cohort A, B and SSTC schedules are attached to this letter. (A September calendar for all cohorts is posted on the St. Catharines Collegiate website.)

On Monday, September 21, 2020, we will be sending home a package to all families with several documents that will need to be completed.

- Verification forms. Please return verification forms to the school with necessary changes to student information.
- Plan of Care forms for all grade nine students. These forms must be completed and returned to the school as soon as possible if your child has a prevalent medical concern.
- If your child is in grade 10, 11 or 12 and has an update to h/her plan of care, please notify the school as soon as possible.

If you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the school at 905-687-7301.

Take care.

Johanna Provost

Principal, St. Catharines Collegiate Secondary School

September Schedule- Cohort A Student

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
6 Sep	7 Labour Day	8 Period 1 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	9 Period 2 In-person + 75 minutes online	10 Period 1 300 minutes online learning	11 Period 2 300 minutes online learning	12
13 Sep	14 Period 1 In-person +75 minutes online learning Pd. 35 4.	15 Period 2 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	16 Attend Period 1 class Supervised Study Hall with teacher support Period 1 and 2 focus	17 Period 1 300 minutes online learning	18 Period 2 300 minutes online learning	19
20 Sep	Period 3 Im-persom + 75 minutes online learning	22 Period 4 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	23 300 minutes online learning Period 3 and 4 focus	24 Period 3 300 minutes online learning	25 Period 4 300 minutes online learning	26
27 Sep/ Oct	28 Period 3 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	29 Period 4 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	30 Attend Period 4 class Supervised Study Hall with teacher support Period 3 and 4 focus	1 October Period 3 300 minutes online learning	Period 4 300 minutes online learning	3

Attend school in-person

Work at home online

September Schedule- Cohort B Student

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
6 Sep	7 Labour Day	8 Period 1 300 minutes online learning	9 Period 2 300 minutes online learning	10 Period 1 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	11 Period 2 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	12
13 Sep	14 Period 1 300 minutes online learning	15 Period 2 300 minutes online learning	16 300 minutes online learning Period 1 and 2 focus	17 Period 1 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	18 Period 2 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	19
20 Sep	Period 3 300 minutes online learning	22 Period 4 300 minutes online learning	23 Attend Period 3 class Supervised Study Hall with teacher support Period 3 and 4 focus	24 Period 3 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	25 Period 4 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	26
27 Sep/ Oct	28 Period 3 300 minutes online learning	29 Period 4 300 minutes online learning	30 300 minutes online learning Period 3 and 4 focus	1 October Period 3 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	2 Period 4 In-person + 75 minutes online learning	3

Attend school in-person
Work at home online

SSTC cohort Student September Schedule

S	M	T	W	Transfer	F	S
6 Sep	7 Labour Day	8 Period 1 In-person	9 Period 2 In-person	10 Period 1 In-person	11 Period 2 In-person	12
		+ 75 minutes online learning	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online learning	+ 75 minutes online learning	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Sep	Period 1	Period 2	Period 1	Period 1	Period 2	
	In-person	in-person	In-person	In-person	In-person	
	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes	
	learning	learning	learning	learning	online learning	
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Sep	Period 3	Period 4	Period 3	Period 3	Period 4	
	Im-person	In-person	In-person	In-person	In-person	
	+ 75 minutes online	+75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes	
	learning	learning	learning	learning	online learning	
27	28	29	30	1 October	2	3
Sep/	Period 3	Period 4	Period 4	Period 3	Period 4	٦
Oct	In-person	In-person	In-person	In-person	In-person	
	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes online	+ 75 minutes	
	learning	learning	learning	learning	online learning	