



St. Catharines Collegiate

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Monday, December 20, 2021.

Dear St. Catharines Collegiate Student and Families:

We've had a great school year so far: students have had a chance to participate in extracurricular activities, they've been able to connect with classmates for in-person learning, and in late November, we started following our regular timetable with four courses each day. We've done so much this year, and we've done it together while supporting all the COVID-19 protocols to keep our school safe.

Recognizing the increasing COVID-19 cases in Niagara, and understanding that some families may choose to keep their student home, the DSBN is offering some flexibility to this week's schedule:

On Wednesday, December 22nd and Thursday, December 23rd, students have the option to attend school in-person or spend those two days learning online.

Teachers will post asynchronous learning materials for students who choose to learn from home on December 22 and 23. They will also be present for students who choose to continue learning in-person.

During this week, from December 20-23, all extracurricular activities including sports teams, practices, intramurals and school clubs will be paused. The cafeteria will not be serving food on December 22 and 23 but will remain open for students to eat their lunches from home.

Students who choose the online learning option will not be marked absent. To record, enter in Safe Arrival and choose "Parent Aware".

If students or families have any questions about these options, please call the school.

Thank you to our students and families for making this school year a special one so far. I wish you and your family time to relax, recharge, and enjoy some time together. All the best to you for a safe and happy new year.

Sincerely,

Johanna Provost
Principal
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