

## Coronavirus (COVID-19) update

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There is no more important time than right now to take care of each other, and we are seeing evidence of that across our school division. We want to thank our parents from all of our communities for their gestures of support and goodwill for the staff in our schools. You have been so patient as we work to determine how best to proceed with retrieving your child's belongings, with moving learning forward, and with adjusting to our new reality.

Our staff are actively working to see that learning continues from K-12. Our expectation for schools is that they are ready to begin work with students early next week, if they haven't started already. Your child's school will be contacting you directly to ensure you know how learning will proceed.

We are proud of our staff, not only for their hard work and ingenuity, but also for their eagerness to connect with their students and families.

We know our elementary children have many questions and they are looking to trusted adults for answers and reassurance. Our skilled Student Services staff have collaborated with a neighbouring division to create some basic information for parents to consider. Please visit our [COVID-19](#) webpage for these resources and some additional information.

We are in the process of developing resources for our middle and high school students and we will be sharing those with our parents on our [website](#) as soon as they become available.

We update our [COVID-19](#) webpage frequently, so that everyone in our Chinook's Edge school community stays connected and informed.

Thank you for all that you are doing to help your child move forward with their learning in unprecedented times. We greatly appreciate your support and we will share further information with you as it becomes available.

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