COVID-19 SAFETY Happy New Year

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Dear Staff,

Welcome back! We hope you had a safe and healthy winter break. Now is the time to stay united in our goal to create COVID-safe schools. Here are a few reminders for starting this New Year, to keep our schools healthy and safe:

- Monitor yourself and people in your household for symptoms of COVID-19.
- Screen for COVID-19 everyday using the <u>COVID-19 self-assessment screening tool</u>. This tool will help you decide whether you can go to work each day.
- Remind others in your family to stay 2 meters away from others, wash their hands and wear a mask.
- Only have close contacts with people in your home.
- Contact a Local Assessment Centre if you have symptoms of COVID-19.

Thank you for keeping our schools and communities safe and healthy. Remember to be COVID-Kind and COVID-Smart: support each other and do what you can to prevent spread of COVID-19. We are all in this together.

Sincerely,

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