

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

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Dear DPCDSB Families:

The Province of Ontario announced today that **all publicly funded and private schools will move to remote learning starting January 5 until at least January 17.**

As DPCDSB schools prepare to shift to remote learning during this period, **we need to know how many learning devices are required by students for the duration of this remote learning period.**

In this regard, **parents/guardians are asked to contact their child's teacher ASAP, so that we may assess and deploy devices over the next two or more days.**

It is possible, based on supply and demand, that we may not be able to provide a device for every student and may have to provide devices to those who need them on a per family basis. So, if your child or home does not have a learning device, i.e., laptop, desktop, Chromebook, iPad, etc., that your child can use during the provincially directed remote learning period, please contact your child(ren)'s teacher ASAP.

Additional communication will be coming to you either centrally from the DPCDSB, or from your child's school or teacher, so please monitor your email.

Thank you for your attention to this important message.

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