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Based on feedback from parents/guardians, effective immediately, DPCDSB Elementary schools will resume the practice of notifying parents/guardians of a presumed positive case of COVID-19 in a class/cohort. Additionally, the school community will be notified of a presumed positive case of COVID-19 in the school. In Secondary schools, the school community will be notified of a presumed positive case of COVID-19 in the school.

There continues to be no dismissal of an entire class or cohort as per the direction of the Provincial government. Notification is being provided as a courtesy to parents/guardians and will only be initiated based on principals being informed by a parent/guardian or staff member that a student or staff member is symptomatic, and/or has received a positive test result and is isolating.

We ask that you continue to undertake daily self-screening using the [Ontario School Screening Tool](#) and if your child has symptoms, or is ill, please do not send them to school.

Thank you for your attention to this important information.