

CORVETTE PUBLIC SCHOOL



## Corvette News Online # 2

Sunday, September 13, 2021



Click on the image to access our Website and  
Twitter page.

# Our Theme This Year

As we **return** may we all **rediscover** the wonders of our school and the magic of curiosity and learning. As we **reconnect**, may we find that which brings us comfort - friendships, laughter, belonging and community.

return • rediscover  
**reconnect**  
Corvette 21-22



retourner • redécouvrir  
**se retrouver**  
Corvette 21-22



# Appreciation

A great big thank you to all of you, our Corvette community, for your support this past week! We thank you for supporting our health and safety procedures daily!

A great big thank you to our students for observing school



# Office Hours

**Monday, September 13 - Friday, September 17, 2021**

**8:30 AM - 4:00 PM**

**Ms. Lenius | Ms. Chan**

Office Administrator | Office Secretary



# Upcoming Events

Sep 13 - Welcome Back to School virtual assembly

Sep 13 - Snack Program Forms are sent home

Sept 13 - Terry Fox shirts - online orders only

Sep 14 - Guided Fire Drill

Sep 17 - Learn Outside Day

Sep 21 - Guided Lock Down / Shelter in Place Drill

Sep 30 - Orange Shirt Day @ Corvette







# Health and Safety @ Corvette

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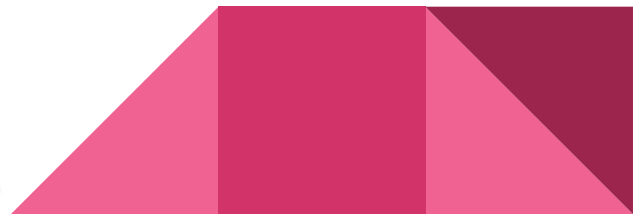
**MASK**



**wash  
your  
hands!**



**KEEP YOUR  
DISTANCE**





# TDSB Student Health Pass



## COVID-19 Screening for children/students

Please complete before entering the child care/JK-12 school setting.

Updated Sept. 1, 2021

1. Does the child/student have any of the following new or worsening symptoms?\*\*\*



Fever > 37.8°C and/or chills



Cough



Difficulty breathing



Decrease or loss of taste/smell



Nausea, vomiting or diarrhea

• If the child/student has a health condition diagnosed by a health care provider that gives them the symptom, select "No". If the symptom is new, different or getting worse, select "Yes".

If "YES" to any symptom:



Stay home & self-isolate



Get tested

Or



Contact a health care provider

One of the most important things we can do to slow the spread of COVID-19 in our schools, is for [students](#) to screen themselves daily for any symptoms of COVID-19 and also follow the circumstances in which they should stay home.

**Students and families will need to screen themselves each morning.**

Parents should sign their child's [TDSB Student Health Pass](#) **daily** before arriving at school. **Their child will need to present this to their teacher each morning.**

For more information, please contact your health care provider or Telehealth Ontario at [1 866-797-0000](tel:18667970000).

2. Does anyone in your household have one or more symptoms of COVID-19 and/or are waiting for test results after having symptoms?

- If the child/student is fully vaccinated\* or has tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 90 days and been cleared, select "No".

Yes

No

3. In the last 10 days, has the child/student tested positive on a rapid antigen test or a home-based self-testing kit?

- If they have since tested negative on a lab-based PCR test, select "No".

Yes

No

4. Has the child/student been notified as a close contact of someone with COVID-19 or been told to stay home and self-isolate?

- If the child/student is fully vaccinated\* or has tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 90 days and been cleared or public health has said the child/student does not have to self-isolate, select "No".

Yes

No

5. In the last 14 days, has the child/student travelled outside of Canada AND been advised to quarantine per the [federal quarantine requirements](#)?

Yes

No

If "YES" to questions 2,3,4 or 5:



Stay home & self-isolate



Follow public health advice



\* Fully vaccinated means 14 days or more after getting a second dose of a two dose COVID-19 vaccine series or one dose of a single dose series.

\*\*Anyone who is sick or has any symptoms of illness should stay home and seek assessment from their health care provider if needed.

This revised Toronto Public Health screening does take into account COVID vaccine status of students (aged 12+).

This revised Toronto Public Health screening does indicate that if family members experience one or more of COVID-19 symptoms then the student should also stay home, and self isolate.

Together we can help our community, school, students and staff be safe and healthy!

We can do this together!

# TDSB Student Health Pass

Corvette students will receive a copy of the TDSB Student Health Pass and Screening Questionnaire on the first day of school.

Please go through the student health pass with your child daily, sign it and send it with your child to school.

Your child will present this signed portion to their teacher each morning before entry to school.

## TDSB Student Health Pass

The most important thing families can do to help slow the spread of COVID-19, is to screen their children daily for any COVID-19 symptoms and keep them home from school if they are sick or have had close contact with anyone diagnosed with COVID-19.

Review this COVID-19 checklist daily with your child. Sign\* below each day to confirm that your child or anyone else in the household does not have any symptoms or have other exposure to COVID-19. We all have a role in keeping our schools safe and healthy.

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*\* Parent/Guardian of Kindergarten to Grade 8 students to sign. High school and adult students can sign themselves.*



# Signage Inside the School

To ensure physical distancing, we are going to be following the “right hand” expectation. Whether we are walking down the hallway or up / down the staircase, we will also do so from the right side giving those heading the opposite direction their space.



# School News

# Outdoor Recess



**Please send your children dressed for the weather.**

Other than a downpour, all Corvette students will be going outside for two recesses each day. Each recess will be 40 minutes in length!

The Weather Network is forecasting rain on Monday to Wednesday. Please remind your children to dress appropriately for the weather (e.g., change of shoes, change of socks, rain coat, umbrella, etc.)



# Guided Fire Drill

On Tuesday, September 14 we will be holding our first of three Fall fire drill. The first one will be “guided” in so far as Ms. Pegg and I will be on the PA system giving direct instructions about how we will vacate the school building in a safe manner.

Please take time to talk to your children, especially the youngest learners, about what to expect on Tuesday afternoon. We will do the same at school.

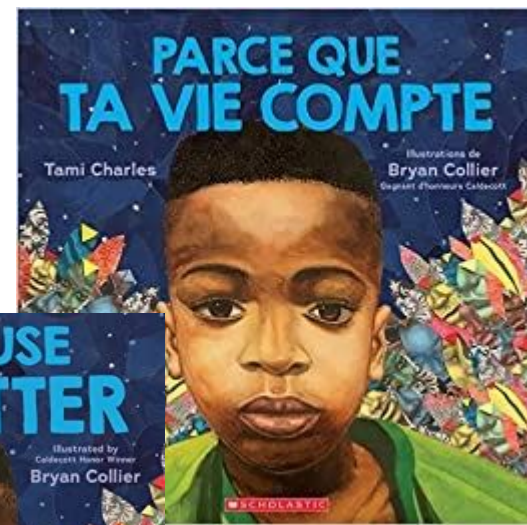
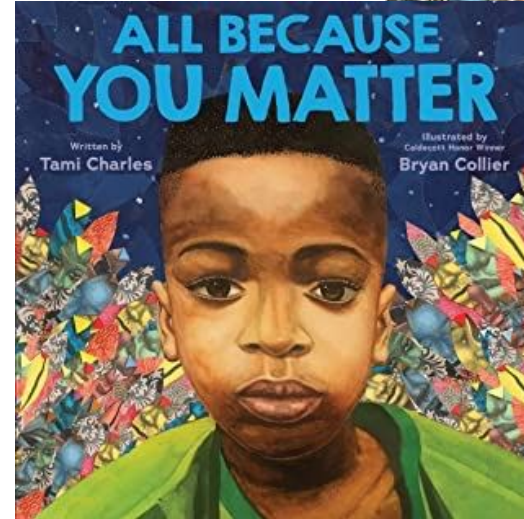
Please take this time to also consider creating a home fire evacuation plan.



# You Matter

This week all of our homeroom classes received a copy of Tami Charles' book *All Because You Matter* (for the English stream) and *Parce Que Ta Vie Compte* (for the French immersion classes).

Our key message to all of our students, staff and family ... You matter! Our community is better because you are in it!





# School Bus for Students in French Immersion



**From September 9 to September 14, 2021 – only students with special education needs (excluding those in the gifted program) who travel to school on mini buses, mini vans, taxis and Wheelchair accessible vehicles will be provided with student transportation.**

**Starting September 15, 2021 –all other eligible students will be provided with student transportation, unless there is a significant driver shortage or other unforeseen issues related to COVID-19.**

# School Bus for Students in French Immersion



## Empty Seat Policy

Once again, the TDSB's [Empty Seat Policy](#) (PR504) **has been put on hold** for the 2021-22 school year to help promote physical distancing on school busses, as well as to help the TSTG and bus operators effectively plan bus routes and seating arrangements in line with the COVID-19 health and safety precautions.

# Water Bottles

Water fountains cannot be used this year.

Corvette has installed numerous water bottle fill stations throughout the school and students are encouraged to bring and use reusable water bottles. Water bottle fill stations are accessible throughout the school year.



# Safe Arrival

Student well-being and safety are top priorities at our school. One important measure we take is our Safe Arrival Program, which helps to ensure students have arrived at school safely and when expected.

If your child is going to be late or absent for any reason, it is important that you contact the office immediately and report the reason for the absence.

At the Toronto District School Board (TDSB) we have an automated call-out system. If your child is late or absent, without informing the school ahead of time, the call-out system will attempt to contact you.



# EXPRESS YOURSELF

## AND RESPECT OUR SHARED SPACES



- **Tops:** shirt, T-shirt, sweater, vest, midriff-baring shirt, tank top, spaghetti straps, halter tops, tube top, backless top
- **Bottoms:** pants, jeans, sweatpants, shorts, skirts, dresses, leggings, fitted pants, yoga pants, ripped jeans
- **Headwear (cannot cover your face):** hats, du-rags, bandanas, hoodies, creed-based headwear



Anything that promotes or symbolizes:

- Hate
- Discrimination
- Illegal Activity
- Profanity
- Violence
- Drugs and Alcohol
- or threatens health & safety

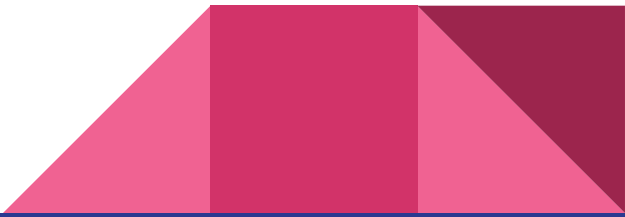


Please [click here](#) to read the full Student Dress Policy.

Please [click here](#) to download the Express Yourself poster.



READ THE FULL STUDENT DRESS POLICY (P042) ONLINE AT [WWW.TDSB.ON.CA](http://WWW.TDSB.ON.CA)



# School Board News

# Community Support Workers in the TDSB

Mr. Salfarlie will be Corvette's Community Support Worker or CSW.

The CSW supports school and system initiatives relating to:  
***community outreach/networking, parent engagement, equity, inclusive schools, literacy, numeracy, tutoring/mentoring, interventions for students, and school community safety.***



**tdsbHUB.ca**

Click on the image to access the CSW Online Hub.

## Pedestrian Safety Tip



Children under ten should be accompanied by adults or older children when crossing the street. At this age, their judgment and perceptual skills are still immature, yet they often eagerly try to cross streets on their own in order to demonstrate some independence. Learn more <https://bit.ly/2ETzMO5>.

Teach children how to cross the street safely. Teach them to stop (before stepping onto the road), look left, right and left again, and listen for traffic before stepping out into the street. Teach children to wait until the street is clear and to keep looking until they have crossed the street. They should also look the driver in the eye before crossing.





At School This Past Week









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Learning is a journey.  
All of us are up for a road trip!











# Community News



# PREPARING YOUR CHILD FOR BACK TO SCHOOL

Don't forget your COVID-19 vaccine for members of your household that are 12+



Practice properly putting on, wearing & taking off a mask



Teach your child proper handwashing, coughing & sneezing etiquette



Remind them not to share their mask or other personal items



Discuss keeping a physical distance as much as possible



Complete a health screening every day before going to school



Keep your child home if they are sick & get them tested



 **SCARBOROUGH COVID-19  
VACCINE CLINIC**

For more information on COVID 19 Vaccines, please visit

<http://scarbvaccine.ca>



**We Offer Care for Infant to School-Age**  
**416-266-4990**

**We currently have spaces in our program for:**  
**Infant (birth) to Toddlers (18 months)**

\*Open 12 months a year from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

\*Nutritious morning and afternoon snacks offered

\*Trained and experienced RECE educators who will provide an environment that meets the individual needs of your child

\*Located within Corvette P.S.

\*Subsidies available through City of Toronto

# Early ON

Child and Family Centre

In - Person Outdoor Stroller walk around the Corvette Park, (following COVID- 19 policies and the City's guidelines) starting in September, for parents with children birth to 3 years old.

Please [click here](#) to register.



# Connecting with the School

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## EMail

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## Website

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/corvette>

## Twitter

[https://twitter.com/TDSB\\_Corvette](https://twitter.com/TDSB_Corvette)

