



November 27th, 2020

RE: School Community Member Tested Positive for COVID-19

Dear Arrow Heights Families,

Interior Health notified us this afternoon that a member of the École des Glaciers community has tested positive for COVID-19. Interior Health officials agreed that although we do have a staggered schedule from École des Glaciers it is still appropriate that the Arrow Heights school community were made aware.

We are supporting Interior Health Authority as they undertake contact tracing to determine if any members of our school community were in contact with the person who tested positive for COVID-19, and if any additional steps are required. We are following the protocol established for these circumstances:

- Interior Health Authority is performing contact tracing;
- Interior Health Authority will determine if anyone in the school community was in contact with the person who tested positive for COVID-19 while they were potentially infectious;
- Interior Health Authority will determine if anyone in the school community is a close contact that is required to self-isolate.

Only the health authority can determine who is a close contact. In the event that you are contacted by Interior Health Authority, please follow their advice.

To ensure personal privacy rights are maintained, we do not have further details to provide.

The health and well-being of our students, families and staff remains is at the forefront of our thoughts and plans. Thank you for your continued attention to the safety guidelines that are in place in our Revelstoke Schools. For all of our updated information please check out the link on our website at www.sd19.bc.ca.

We will continue to work closely with Interior Health Authority and provide further communication as required. Interior Health confirmed that our students can come to school as usual on Monday.

If you have questions or concerns about COVID-19, please call 811. As always, please connect with us for any questions or concerns. mhooker@sd19.bc.ca Have a safe and healthy weekend.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mike Hooker', with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Mike Hooker
Superintendent of Schools