



# EVER CREEK SECONDARY SCHOOL

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## COVID Safety Protocols for Students: September 2020

### GENERAL

**Hand hygiene:** During the day, students must wash their hands regularly and use the hand sanitizer provided. They must wash hands for a minimum of 20 seconds after using the washroom.

**Leaving early:** All students must report to the office if they are leaving school early (refer to newsletter)

**Masks:** Students will be provided with TWO reusable masks. They must have a mask with them every day.

**Respiratory hygiene:** Students must cough into their elbows, avoid touching their faces, and avoid sharing of food or personal items outside of the cohort.

**Physical distancing:** Students must avoid close greetings (ex: hugs, handshakes). When in the hallways, students must always be mindful of **maintaining a 2-meter distance from others** and/or wear a mask.

**Personal Supplies:** Students are not to share personal school supplies.

**Shared School Resources:** Student will be asked to clean shared resources (art brushes, PE equipment, shop tools, science lab equipment etc.) after each use.

**Visitors:** No parents/guardians/guests will be allowed in the building without a pre-arranged appointment. Please call the school ahead of time 604-543-8149. We will not be able to accommodate requests for dropping of supplies, lunches etc.

**Washrooms:** Only one student from a class will be allowed to visit the washroom at a time. Students are to use the washroom closet to their classroom – NO EXCEPTIONS. If there are more than 2 people in the washroom, students are to wait outside in the hallway, physically distanced.

### PRIOR TO ARRIVING

Prior to coming to school, students must ensure they are healthy and feeling well.

- Every family MUST check their child for COVID symptoms EVERY day before they leave the house.
- Use the checklist on the back of this sheet to check for symptoms.
- Do not come to school if COVID symptoms are present. For example: new or worsening cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, temperature equal to or over 38°C, feeling feverish, chills, fatigue or weakness, muscle or body aches, new loss of smell or taste, headache.

### ARRIVAL

Students must ENTER through one of THREE entrance areas: The main entry doors, the courtyard entrance by cafeteria, or the front entrance near the elevator. All other doors will be locked.

- Students must use the hand sanitizer provided and proceed directly to their classrooms.
- As a precaution, students should wear masks as they could be entering the building with students outside of their cohort.

### SCHOOL DAY

- No hanging around inside/outside of the school before, during or after school.
- Non-medical masks are required in high traffic areas such as buses and in common areas such as hallways, or anytime outside of their learning group whenever physical distancing cannot be maintained. \*Exceptions will be made for students who cannot wear a mask for medical reasons.
- Students must stay to the RIGHT in the hallways by passing left hand to left hand. Red directional arrows are in place as reminders.

### IN CLASS

- Students must enter the classroom one at a time, in a socially distanced and patient manner.
- Desks will be arranged so that students are not directly facing each other. When in the classroom, students are to remain in the desk assigned to them.

### END of the DAY

Students are to safely exit the school as soon as possible. Use the doors closest to your classroom.



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## Daily Health Check

Families are to use this checklist every day before sending their student(s) to school. Students do not need to bring the form with them. The expectation is they will not come to school if they are experiencing any of these symptoms.

If you are keeping your child at home due to illness, please call the school by 9:00 a.m. at 604-543-8149 to advise.

Daily Health Check			
1. Symptoms of Illness*	Does your child have any of the following symptoms?	CIRCLE ONE	
	Fever	YES	NO
	Chills	YES	NO
	Cough or worsening of chronic cough	YES	NO
	Shortness of breath	YES	NO
	Sore throat	YES	NO
	Runny nose / stuffy nose	YES	NO
	Loss of sense of smell or taste	YES	NO
	Headache	YES	NO
	Fatigue	YES	NO
	Diarrhea	YES	NO
	Loss of appetite	YES	NO
	Nausea and vomiting	YES	NO
	Muscle aches	YES	NO
	Conjunctivitis (pink eye)	YES	NO
	Dizziness, confusion	YES	NO
Abdominal pain	YES	NO	
Skin rashes or discoloration of fingers or toes	YES	NO	
2. International Travel	Have you or anyone in your household returned from travel outside Canada in the last 14 days?	YES	NO
3. Confirmed Contact	Are you or is anyone in your household a confirmed contact of a person confirmed to have COVID-19?	YES	NO

\*Check BCCDC's [Symptoms of COVID-19](#) regularly to ensure the list is up to date.

If you answered "YES" to any of the questions and the symptoms are not related to a pre-existing condition (e.g. allergies) your child should **NOT** come to school.

If they are experiencing any symptoms of illness, contact a health-care provider for further assessment. This includes 8-1-1, or a primary care provider like a physician or nurse practitioner.

If you answered "YES" to questions 2 or 3, use the [COVID-19 Self-Assessment Tool](#) to determine if you should be tested for COVID-19.

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If you have fever, a new cough, or are having difficulty breathing, call 8-1-1.

