



December 30, 2021

Dear TCDSB families,

We hope you've been enjoying the holidays and some down time. We apologize for interrupting your break but wanted to share some important information that was just announced by the Government of Ontario. This afternoon, the [Chief Medical Officer of Health \(CMOH\) announced](#) that all students (in-person, St. Anne's and special education) can return to school on **Wednesday, January 5th, 2022**. Please note child care centres remain open for infant, toddler, and pre school programs; however, no school age or Before and After school programs will operate on Monday, January 3rd or Tuesday, January 4th. School age programs will resume Wednesday, January 5th when schools reopen.

The CMOH emphasized that if anyone has any symptoms, to stay home. Please note that the government is also updating the COVID-19 School and Childcare Screening Tool which will be made available before the return to school on January 5th. We will continue to provide staff and families with information and updates once available.

We look forward to welcoming students back to school on Wednesday, January 5th. Wishing everyone a safe and Happy New Year!

Toronto Catholic District School Board