



NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL

ND Weekly and Updates



February 7, 2022

Dear Parent(s) and Guardian(s),

We have had a successful start to Semester 2. Once again, we are so proud of the students' accomplishments in Semester 1 and look forward to their continued success. There are many new protocols and updates to the new semester and the following chart will help you navigate some of the events and information.

<p>Monday, February 7 Achievement Semester 1 Distribution of Report Cards in Homeroom.</p>	<p>Report Cards were distributed in homeroom class. Your child should deliver the report card and a letter to you today. Any student that is not present today (Monday) or are virtual – students will be mailed their report card.</p>
<p>Attendance (Protocol Change)</p>	<p>For all periods, teachers will be using the Attendance App. If you have any difficulties, please contact main office so that we can support you. Attendance will be completed 15-20 minutes at the start of class – for the most accurate recording. Covid Screening tracking sheets will only be completed Period 1 (homeroom class). If students are registered as IN-PERSON and choose for one day (or more) to be absent and virtual – they will be marked absent. Students who are virtual have the option of Returning to In Person by signing and handing in the “Fill in Form”. Another form is being sent home on the back of the letter with report cards. Please continue to use School Messenger Safe Arrivals.</p>
<p>Reporting of COVID cases Students with positive COVID results</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As you know, given the widespread transmission of Omicron and changes to the provincial testing approach, schools and childcare operators will no longer be routinely notifying families of positive cases or if an individual is absent due to symptoms associated with COVID-19 Schools are required to monitor their own absenteeism rates and report on student and staff absences, and school closures, daily through the Ministry absence reporting tool (ART). <p>Because we need to inform the community regarding COVID 19 cases, please <u>privately make sure that if your child is absent due to COVID 19, (i.e., if they are positive for COVID) – and inform the office by email.</u></p>
<p>Lockers and Lock Distribution</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lockers were distributed starting today (Monday February 7). For Grade 9 and 10 students locks are provided. Students need to use the lock and lockers assigned. We will keep the lock combination and locker list – in the office.
<p>Digital Platform for Semester II</p>	<p>Google codes, google meets and D2L information has been provided for all students for every class.</p>



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Screening *NEW*	<p>Student MUST stay home if symptomatic If You Have Symptoms & If You Have Been Exposed - Flow Chart 2022 January 14 New TPH Screening Forms.pptx</p>
Guidance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Course Selection process is beginning soon. • Please create a document/flyer or information for our website for courses that you would like to promote for 2022-2023
Guidance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Course Selection process for 2022-2023 is beginning soon. • Grade 10 Family night – undergraduate programs – University of Waterloo • https://uwaterloo.ca/future-students/grade-10-family-night-registration
Extra-curricular	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pause on High contact, High-intensity Sports, assemblies, Field Trips, combined cohorts for choir or wind instruments, group photos • Notre Dame has started some sports and activities as of February 7, 2022
Lunches @ND	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please note that regular schedule will include two lunches The board is advising the continued use of classrooms as eating spaces - and we will balance this with the space restraints in school.
Uniform	<p>It is expected that students be in full uniform for Semester 2 (January 31). If the weather is very cold, we will allow flexibility with respect to wearing warmer cloths on top of the uniform.</p> <p>All Physical Education students should come to school wearing their athletic gear and can wear this all day during this time of transition. Students taking physical education and health should also bring a water bottle. If you have any questions, please see the main office.</p>
Parent Council CSPC	<p>The next Parent Council meeting will be on Wednesday, February 16 @6pm. Please fill out Google Form and you will be sent a Zoom Link for Wednesday February 16. https://forms.gle/6ho3vmNTNxyioFJF7</p> <p>Also, our CSPC is working on a Pro-Grant for the parent community. If you are interested in participating please complete this short survey (and join in our next meeting). https://forms.office.com/r/yBa301NiNx</p> <p>Thank you R. Morphy for organizing this. Thank you to parent council for all that you do.</p>
Communication with students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Media • School Messenger • MySchool App (agenda-TBA) • Post on google classroom/D2L



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AOB – Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion	<p>The BSA has been working hard to prepare a wonderful month of celebrating Black history, culture, and excellence for the month of February. On February 10, 2022, there will be feature presentation from Gibson as part of our Black History Month celebrations. Gibson is a Guinness World Record-setting rapper, celebrating his twentieth year of visiting schools! He has also freestyled with Snoop Dogg; the Raptors play his music at their games and Drake has even appeared in one of them! He is a fifth-generation Black Canadian and will be sharing stories of Black Canadian history.</p>