



NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL



January 21, 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Thank you for your continued support. We recognize that a lot of our families are continuing to experience several challenges, and we want you to know that we are here and available to assist you with any questions you have. As we prepare for Semester II, we are forwarding some important information.

Along with this, please continue referring to the following TCDSB website for updates and information on the TCDSB website: [Student Link](#)

Second Semester begins in-person on **Monday, January 31, 2022**, with a regular instructional day schedule. At this time, the day will be from 8:30 am – 2:38 pm, where students will attend four 75-minute classes each day. This day will include two lunches: (i) Lunch A – (Grade 10, 11) and (ii) Lunch B (Grade 9, 12). **There will be no Cafeteria Service at this time.**

Regular Schedule Day	
Period	Time
1	8:30 – 9:54 am (Includes Opening Exercises, Homeroom, Period 1 class)
2	9:58-11:14 am
3A Lunch Grade 10 and 11	11:18 am – 11:58 am
Period 3B(class) Grade 10 and 11	12:02 pm – 1:18 pm
Period 3A (class) Grade 9 and 12	11:18 am – 12:34 pm
3B Lunch Grade 9 and 12	12:38 pm – 1:18 pm
4	1:22 pm – 2:38 pm

Please NOTE: Although we know that Semester 2 will be a four-period day, we are waiting more details based on COVID 19 pandemic. **More information will follow.**

Your child’s timetable for Semester 2 is included in the mailer (with this letter). Please reach out to the guidance department or the main office if you have questions.

For in-person students, there will be four locations for student entry. **Students are asked to enter the building at the doors closest to their Period 1 class the first week of semester 2.**

Door 1 - Main entrance East	Door 2 – South East Side of the Main Building
Door 3 – O’Connor Building front entrance on Malvern	Door 4 – St. John’s front entrance of building on Kingston

Exits will be at the back of the buildings, except for St. John – which will have entrance and exits through the same door.

Students will not be permitted into the building until **8:15 AM** – if they arrive early, they will be asked to wait 2 meters apart at their designated doors noted above. Please note there will be spray paint on



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the concrete, 2 meters apart, to ensure students are maintaining their distance. We ask students to dress appropriately for the weather conditions.

1. Lockers

Lockers will be distributed shortly after the beginning of Semester 2. More information to follow.

2. In-Person or On-Line Option for Semester 2

The temporary on-line option is available until the end of Semester 1 – January 28, 2022.

This temporary measure may be extended, and any new information will be sent via School Messenger.

Early in Semester 2, parents will be asked to decide the learning mode for the rest of the year. **This survey will come as a separate communication.** Changes will be made after that unless directed by Toronto Public Health.

Google Links for google classes for Semester 2 can be found on the following link:

<https://www.tinyurl.com/ndclasscodes>

3. Textbook Returns & Distributions (at Front Entrance) - call number on the door upon arrival 416-393-5501

Returning Material:

ALL students (in-person and virtual) are asked to return their Semester 1 textbooks on:

- **Thursday, January 27 between 9:00 am – 12:00 pm**
- **Friday, January 28, between 9:00 am – 12:00 pm**

Picking Up Class Materials for Semester 2 (Virtual Students)

- **Please have your child contact their teacher to organize what materials/resources they require (by email, Google Class or D2L).**
- NOT all courses will require a textbook as many materials are now electronic.

4. Screening Requirements Screening Requirements

Please use the NEW screening tool form TPH. (see attached)

NOTE: if your child has even ONE symptom from Part B – Do not send them to school

(These include one of: Sore Throat, Headache, Feeling Very Tired, Runny Nose /Nasal Congestion, Muscle or Joint Pain, Nausea, Vomiting or Diarrhea)

5. The Guidance Department is available during this time, by online appointment and in-person essential visits will be permitted by appointment only @ www.tinyurl.com/damestudents

Please continue to monitor your emails for more information from School Messenger.

Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns. We wish all our students a successful and enjoyable second semester.

Sincerely,

Cheryl Ann Madeira
Principal

Stella Yusef
Vice-Principal