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January 17, 2022 re.: Rapid Antigen Tests and 3-Ply Cloth Masks

Dear parents and guardians,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all students and parents back to face-to-face learning at Immaculate Conception Catholic School!

Today, each child will bring home a bag that contains 2 rapid antigen tests (RAT). The instructions for use are included in the bag.

It is important to note that these tests <u>must only be used when your child has</u> <u>symptoms</u> that are suggestive of Covid-19 and that you are instructed to conduct a test after completing the daily screening tool provided by the Ministry of Education at https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening If the tests are used for any other purpose, you may not have one at hand to conduct a test for your child when it is truly needed.

The school has also received a supply of 3-ply cloth masks. These are available to all students **upon request**. If you would like for your child to receive one of these masks, please contact the classroom teacher via Class DoJo. These masks are also available to students who need a spare one in case their mask from home gets soiled. Parents are encouraged to send their child to school each day with 2 clean masks from home.

A reminder that pizza days for Block 2 (January to March) are cancelled. Everyone who purchased pizza online will automatically receive a full refund on their debit or credit card (the same card that was used to make the original purchase). The pizza day owed to students from Block 1 (snow day in December 2021) will be rescheduled later this school year.

With warm regards,

G. Mathieu Principal