



Cambridge International Academy

Cambridge Health and Safety Protocols

- ✓ The Ministry has indicated that students in Grades 4 to 8 will be required to wear non-medical or cloth masks to school.
- ✓ Medical masks and/or eye protection (i.e. face shield) will be provided for all teachers and administrative staff.
- ✓ Cambridge International Academy will equip each desk with a plastic shield protection to minimize the spread the germs.
- ✓ Students will notice visual cues such as directional arrows through corridors to guide appropriate distances.

Self-Assessment:

Every morning parents/guardians must screen their children before they depart to school.

It is critical that everyone conducts a self-assessment daily to check if they have any of these symptoms and they must stay home if they do.

- ✓ Fever (temperature of 37.8°C or greater)
- ✓ New or worsening cough
- ✓ Shortness of breath
- ✓ Sore throat
- ✓ Difficulty swallowing
- ✓ Changes to sense of taste or smell
- ✓ Nausea/vomiting, diarrhea, abdominal pain
- ✓ Runny nose, or nasal congestion (not caused by seasonal allergies)

For more information visit the Durham Region Health Department website

Hand Washing:

- ✓ Every class will have a hand sanitizer available to students and teachers.
- ✓ A schedule to regularly clean hands will be incorporated into daily routines (e.g. upon entering the school, before lunch and recess breaks, after using bathroom, returning from outside and after sneezing/coughing).
- ✓ Students will be educated on proper cough and sneeze etiquette and to avoid touching their eyes, nose and mouth.

Lunch Breaks

- ✓ Dining area will not be open for use.
- ✓ All staff and students will bring their own lunch from home.
- ✓ Water bottle refill stations will be available.
- ✓ To the greatest extent possible, students will eat their lunch in their classroom.
- ✓ 2 meters away

If a Student Feels Sick at School

A detailed protocol has been established if students become ill during the school day.

- ✓ Students or staff who develop COVID-19 symptoms will immediately be separated from others



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- ✓ Staff and parents will be directed to consult their health provider and should be provided with information about COVID-19 testing locations
- ✓ Staff and/or students who test positive may not return to school until they are cleared by the Durham Region Public Health Department
- ✓ Staff and/or students who test negative can return to school once they are symptom-free for 24 hours