



## Extension of the distance education program Until May 31st

Madam, sir, Dear parents,

In a recent statement, Ontario Minister Stephen Lecce announced that public school students will not return to school until **May 31 at the earliest.** 

Given the health and safety concerns for our students and staff, we will also be following this timetable.

We obviously understand the purpose of these measures and are therefore extending the distance education program until the end of the month.

We are currently working on a plan for a gradual return to school which will be implemented as soon as appropriate and recommended by the health authorities, whose recommendations we will incorporate as soon as they are known. This plan will be the subject of broad consultation in the coming weeks:

- Presentation to the teachers' council (primary) and to the pedagogical council (secondary) of the pedagogical modalities of the resumption;
- Presentation to the school council and the board of directors:
- Presentation to the AEFE:
- Validation by the diplomatic post.

The calendar for the end of the year will therefore be quite constrained and all the meetings will be communicated to you in the next newsletter which will be published at the end of the week. I already invite you to take note of the date of the information meeting on language policy (initially scheduled for 19 March) which will be held on 12 May 2020 at 4PM by videoconference at the following link: https://zoom.us/j/94381196068.

All the teams remain fully engaged with you during this period and I thank you for your support and trust.

Yours sincerely

Philippe Courjault, Headmaster

