



BRANDON SCHOOL DIVISION

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Manitoba Public Health officials advised Vincent Massey High School today of an additional two confirmed cases of COVID-19 who attended school on November 26 and December 2, 2020 while they may have been infectious. The affected cohort is the Grade 9 L-Z cohort. The infections were not believed to be acquired at school

Vincent Massey High School is working closely with Public Health officials and following their recommendations.

Based on the Public Health investigation, this exposure was assessed to be low risk and no close contacts have been identified. Anyone who is in the Grade 9 L-Z Cohort is recommended to self-monitor for symptoms until the end of the day on December 16, 2020 and seek testing if symptoms develop. A thorough deep cleaning and disinfecting has taken place and the school will be ready for staff and students on Monday.

Please note: Vincent Massey High School and Brandon School Division are not permitted to release the name or any identifying information about the confirmed case of COVID-19 to any member of the school, parent, community or media.

The Brandon School Division along with all the schools in the Division will continue to follow the recommendations of Public Health during this pandemic.

Sincerely,
Dr. Marc D. Casavant
Superintendent/CEO
Brandon School Division

Accepting the Challenge