



Medicine Hat Catholic Board of Education

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As you may be aware, four cases of COVID-19 have been identified at St. Mary's School over the past two weeks. As there are cases in different grades over 15 staff members have been identified as close contacts and have been quarantined. It has become clear that we will not be able to provide enough qualified substitute teachers to replace all the teachers. Therefore, due to operational concerns, we will be transitioning to online learning beginning Monday, May 3, 2021 until Friday, May 14, 2021.

During this period, students will be provided with online and/or paper based instruction. Should you require support in accessing technology, please contact the principal to make appropriate arrangements. More specific information regarding online learning will be sent out by the school shortly.

We will make every effort to keep you informed should any circumstances change.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

God Bless,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dwayne Zarichny". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Dwayne Zarichny
Superintendent of Schools
Medicine Hat Catholic Board of Education

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