

## **Outbreak of COVID-19 Declared Over**

**To:** Carleton Place High School  
**From:** The Leeds, Grenville and Lanark District Health Unit  
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**Subject:** COVID-19 Outbreak Declared Over

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We are writing to inform you that the Leeds, Grenville & Lanark District Health Unit has declared the outbreak over at Carleton Place High School.

As per Ministry of Health and Long Term Care guidance, an outbreak can be declared over when:

- At least 14 days have passed with no ongoing transmission that could reasonably be related to exposures in the school; AND
- No further ill individuals associated with the initial exposed cohorts have COVID 19 tests pending.

We'd like to remind everyone to continue with the following measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19:

- Stay home as much as possible, avoid social gatherings and limit close contacts to your household.
- Wear masks indoors and outdoors when physical distancing is a challenge.
- Clean hands often, and distance from others.
- Continue to complete the [COVID 19 School Screening Tool](#) daily before attending school and follow the next steps as advised in the tool.
- Stay home if anyone in the household has symptoms until the symptomatic individual receives a negative COVID-19 test result, or an alternate diagnosis from a health care provider.

If you have questions or concerns, please call the Health Unit at 1-866-236-0123.

To the families, thank you for your patience and adherence to public health measures. We'd also like to thank the school board and school for cooperating fully with our investigation. We value their dedication and commitment to the health & safety of their school community.

We wish you good health!