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School Messenger Communication to St. John's College School Families

This is Principal Kathy Evans. I am reaching out with an important message. Today, **November 25, 2020,** the Brant County Health Unit informed us that an individual in our school community has a confirmed case of COVID-19. Understandably, for privacy reasons, the identity of this individual will not be disclosed. This individual has been directed by the health unit to self-isolate.

At this time, the Brant County Public Health Unit has not identified any close contacts at our school to this COVID-19 case. The Ministry of Health mandates public health units to be in contact with known close contacts within 24-48 hours of being made aware of them. The local public health unit may not be aware of all contacts at the time you receive this communication, as they require time to conduct the investigation with the initial case.

If we receive additional information from the health unit that St. John's College students or staff are impacted, we will let you know as soon as possible.

St. John's College remains open and our custodians continue to complete their disinfecting of our school each night.

A friendly reminder that all St. John's College students and staff are required to monitor their health daily and pass the COVID-19 School Screening before entering our building. If students or staff develop symptoms consistent with COVID-19, they are required to contact their primary health care provider. Anyone concerned that they may have developed or been exposed to COVID-19 is encouraged to get tested.

Thank you.