

Happy New Year Crestview Families!



*We hope that you enjoyed the very different Holiday Break with your family bubble!
Wishing you all a wonderful New Year filled with health, happiness and success!*

This week at Crestview, most of our students will be learning from home as we await for more information from Mr. Francois Legault at the scheduled press conference on *January 6, 2021 at 5PM*. The press conference may be viewed via his Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/FrancoisLegaultPremierMinistre/>

In the meantime, below you will find the directives that were given to the school board on *December 18, 2020*.

"In preschool and elementary school, for the class days scheduled between December 17, 2020, and January 10, 2021, inclusive, students will learn at home using different methods chosen by the teacher (readings, assignments, activities, workshops, suggested short videos, video conferences, etc.). Teachers will maintain a daily educational connection as well as direct contact with their students. This contact can consist of a phone call or a meeting in a group, in a subgroup or with individual students on an online platform (Microsoft Teams, Google Classroom, etc.). These students are set to return to class on January 11, 2021, unless the school calendar already provides for a return at a later date."

At Crestview, teachers will continue with daily educational connections for the remainder of this week. Please call or email the school, if you require any additional information about the educational services provided during the week of January 5-10, 2021.

As we continue during these uncharted times, we must remember that children, when growing, learning and developing are experts at navigating the unknown. In additions, we all turn to what is familiar, routines and strength from familiar faces. If you require any assistance during these unprecedented times, please reach out to Crestview for support or go to <https://www.swlauriersb.qc.ca/docs/Helplines-for-Students-and-Parents.pdf> for helpful resources.

Take care and be well,

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