

March 13, 2020

Dear Parents,

Yesterday afternoon, Premier Ford, and Ministers Elliott and Lecce issued a ministerial order to close all publicly funded schools in Ontario until Sunday, April 5. This order was based on the advice of Dr. David Williams, Ontario's Chief Medical Officer of Health who stated, "the health and well-being of Ontarians is our government's number one priority". Therefore, Bayview Glen has decided to follow the same directive, and as a result, in-school classes will not resume until Monday, April 6. This decision encompasses all school programmes, activities, and travel plans scheduled to take place during this period.

We know this will have a significant impact on our families, and we urge you, whenever possible, to be supportive of one another. Please also guard against over sharing information with young children, and keep media coverage and discussion at a minimum so as to not frighten them.

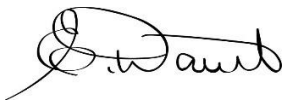
Despite all these changes, plans are afoot to ensure minimal disruption to each student's learning, and we will be using our online learning platform to accomplish this.

At each division, Lower, Prep and Upper Schools, the Assistant Heads will be sharing age-specific details as they are finalized.

We will continue to monitor directives from Toronto Public Health, CIS Ontario, and the Ministry of Education, and will update you regularly as we move forward.

Keep safe and well, and thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,



Eileen Daunt
Head of School