

# Jack Chambers Charge Ahead

December 10, 2021

**Dear Jack Chambers Parents and Guardians,**

Congratulations Charger families...we are almost to our winter break! One more week. Please continue to follow all of our safety protocols: everyone wearing a mask covering nose and mouth, keeping distance, and sanitizing. If your child is showing signs of illness or they have a symptom in the COVID Screener, please keep them home. We are in this together!

Winter Weather

T'is the season! As the snow comes and goes, there is quite a bit of mud out there. Please have your students **keep a change of clothes in their backpack** to avoid having to call home - even the big kids can manage to find the mud! Thanks for your help with this!

## **Information about Student Rapid Antigen Screening kits**

In an effort to promote a safe return to the classroom after the Winter Break, the Government of Ontario is providing take-home Rapid Antigen Screening kits to every Thames Valley student. The Rapid Antigen Screening kits are intended for use by any student that attends **in-person learning in Kindergarten to Grade 12, regardless of their vaccination status.**

Jack Chambers will be sending home rapid antigen screening kits with each student on Tuesday. The green box (kit) contains 5 individual rapid antigen screening tests to be used throughout the Winter Break. We will provide instructions with the kit as well as email on Tuesday.

## **\*\*New Covid-19 Screening Process\*\***

**Each morning**, complete the daily COVID-19 School and Child Care Screening Tool using your child's unique individual username and password. A TVDSB Student COVID-19 Screening sticker with your child's username and password was sent home last week. You can also use the link [Student Covid-19 Screening.](#)



***Thank you for ensuring this daily COVID-19 School and Child Care Screening is completed so that we have a healthy school.***

The Middlesex-London Health Unit have updated information and recommendations to keep everyone safe on their [website](#)

[https://www.healthunit.com/news/letter-of-recommendation?fbclid=IwAR1gq7JSJzYm4ui4mk1cHAzb9-uPNmCF\\_L-wwZKqhR\\_j5PEQ\\_7daFticRBk](https://www.healthunit.com/news/letter-of-recommendation?fbclid=IwAR1gq7JSJzYm4ui4mk1cHAzb9-uPNmCF_L-wwZKqhR_j5PEQ_7daFticRBk)

***Coming up:***

- Theme days for the last week before the break (December 13-17):
  - **Monday**-Special Socks day
  - **Tuesday**-Hat day, **Student Rapid Antigen Screening kits sent home**
  - **Wednesday** - JC Purple and Teal Spirit day
  - **Thursday** – Festive Sweater or Shirt
  - **Friday** – Red and Green Day, Virtual Jingle Dance (snacks can be purchased through [Cash Online](#) only until Tuesday Dec 14th)
- December 18-Jan 2: Winter Break

***Stay safe and have a great holiday break!***

***Mrs. Young, Mr. Ratter  
and the Charger Staff***

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