



Yukon Communicable Disease Control
4 Hospital Rd, Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 3H8



January 10th, 2022

Dear parents, guardians, students and staff of Jack Hulland Elementary School,

Yukon Communicable Disease Control (YCDC) has been made aware of a positive case of COVID-19 at Jack Holland Elementary School affecting the:

- Grade 2/3 S, on Wednesday to Friday January 5th , 6th , and 7th , 2022

All staff and students who attended or worked in the above class have been identified as close 'contacts' of COVID-19. YCDC has completed a careful risk assessment and the clinical care direction for students and staff attending or working in the above classes is:

- self-isolate until January 14th inclusive, and self-monitor for symptoms through January 21st , if:
 - not fully immunized against COVID-19 as described below or if you are immunized but have moderate to severe immunosuppression.
- self-monitor for symptoms through January 21st , if:
 - you are not moderately to severely immunosuppressed due to illness or medication and have received:
 - 2 doses of COVID-19 vaccine, with the second dose received within the last 6 months and at least 14 days before the contact; OR
 - 3 doses of COVID-19 vaccine at least 14 days before the contact;
OR
 - diagnosed with lab confirmed COVID-19 in the last 90 days.

It is very important that if any symptoms develop, no matter how mild, you do not go to work or school and follow current guidance on Yukon.ca.

Symptoms to self-monitor for include:

• Fever	• Sore throat	• Loss of appetite
• Chills	• Loss of sense of taste or smell	• Nausea and vomiting
• Cough	• Headache	• Diarrhea
• Shortness of breath	• Fatigue	• Muscle aches
• Runny nose		

Symptoms of COVID-19 may be mild or severe and often have a different presentation in persons who are very young or older persons. While most people will experience mild illness, older adults and people with pre-existing medical conditions are at higher risk for severe illness.

If you were to develop any symptoms, no matter how mild, do not go to work or school and visit Yukon.ca for current guidance.

If you are eligible for COVID-19 immunization and not yet fully immunized, please book your immunization after your isolation period has ended. For general information on COVID-19 see yukon.ca/en/covid-19-information