



COVID-19 Update - April 5, 2021 Remote Learning Announcement

Good evening, Montcrest families.

I am writing to inform you that Montcrest is going to **move to remote learning effective immediately** and will plan to return to in person learning after the April break on April 20, 2021 barring further closures from the Government.

Under normal circumstances, we take our lead from Toronto Public Health, but given the current climate it feels inappropriate to put our community, including our faculty and staff in this position. With consultation from Montcrest Board Governors, **MGM will be in place for tomorrow morning** and will run as usual until the last period on Friday when everyone heads off for a well deserved, much needed break.

I recognize that this is last minute and may cause disruption for some of our families. For this, please accept my apologies. It feels more important to do everything we can to send our community into the holidays healthy and exposing you all to the least amount of risk.

As always, please reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns. I am also happy to hear from those of you who disagree. I struggled with this all weekend, long before Peel made their decision. Today I choose my faculty, staff and our community over the guidance of Toronto Public Health.

Warmest wishes and bug hugs,

Erin Corbett

Head of School