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## Covid Update

Led by our Campus Health Centre Director and with vigorous input and discussion from all student, faculty, staff, houseparent, food service and leadership participants on our Operations Committee, we moved ahead today with a partial lifting of the current “circuit breaker” restrictions on campus. The original measures were put in place a week earlier to help slow the spread of the COVID virus among students.

As of today, students from all Houses will be allowed to freely move around outdoors and participate in outdoor fitness and CAS activities with mask use strongly recommended. A temporary House rotation will allow use of the library as a study space on weeknights. In-person classroom learning continues, with masking in place, consistent with public health and Ministry of Advanced Education guidelines.

Breakfast and lunch will continue to be delivered to House dayrooms to help reduce socializing during those periods. The current dinner House rotation in the dining hall remains in place, as do current campus boundaries, meaning students are not permitted to go off campus.

Measures in place will be reviewed no later than at next week’s scheduled 22 March Operations Committee meeting.

While the number of students who tested positive dropped recently, all students are encouraged to continue to get tested at the Campus Health Centre, even if they are feeling just slightly ill, to help provide a more complete picture of COVID on campus. Adults on campus can access daily testing slots as well.

Yours sincerely,

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