

Good afternoon everyone,

The subject heading might be deceiving the absence information is not related to COVID. Just a reminder that when you are absent for a sick or social day, you should be deducted for the following minutes: teaching time, supervision, remediation, homeroom and scheduled OPD. You should not be deducted for you any part of your "work determined by a teacher," this might be listed as FH, WPN, or another term. It is basically the equivalent of an hour per day. For Escuminac, Riverview, New Carlisle, Grosse Isle and SPDS don't worry about it; the time isn't on your timetables.

The rules concerning COVID have changed again. If you test positive you are allowed to go to work, however you MUST wear a mask at all times for 10 days from the time you tested positive or the start of your symptoms. If you are not well enough to report to work, then you need to use a sick day. More information on the newest guidelines can be found here: <https://cdn-contenu.quebec.ca/cdn-contenu/adm/min/education/publications-adm/covid-19/consignes-scolaire.pdf?1629979241> Teachers who were previously forced to use sick days, you have not been forgotten about. That is being worked on with the government.

Thank you,
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