



# The BRICK Learning Centre

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This morning all school administrators attended a Google Meet (video conference) with senior leaders from WCPS. At that meeting a draft Learning Support Plan was shared. I can share some of those details with you.

This plan has been designed to support school staff in implementing supports for students during the COVID-19 pandemic. Alberta Education directed school boards to develop a learning support plan and implement it in order to support teachers, students, and parents during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Learning Support Plan will help our students as they continue to learn. I have full confidence in our staff's ability to continue to provide the best educational experience. I also have full confidence in our students and their ability to engage in their learning. I believe our staff and students are going to shine during this time. For any student who may be nervous, I ask you to trust your experiences from our school. We will help in the absolute best way possible.

Near the end of Spring Break, the finalized Learning Support Plan will be established and we will connect with all of you sometime during the following week (March 30-April 3). I know you are excited to get going... and so are we!

Alberta Education has assured all students, parents, and school boards that their intent is that all students will progress, with the ongoing support of teachers. All students who access this support are expected to proceed to the next grade level and receive credentialing for their specific subjects they are presently enrolled within.

Our district leaders are expecting additional directions and communication from Alberta Education in the coming week around learning and assessment measures. These will be communicated as we embark on this new learning journey. With this change in learning model there is an opportunity for teachers to expand their pedagogy, collaborate with other colleagues, learn new delivery models, and support relationship building with students.

I am wishing you a wonderful Spring Break! I look forward to seeing how we will work together.

Sincerely,

Mr. Ian Tisdale

