



Returning to School Health and Safety Plan

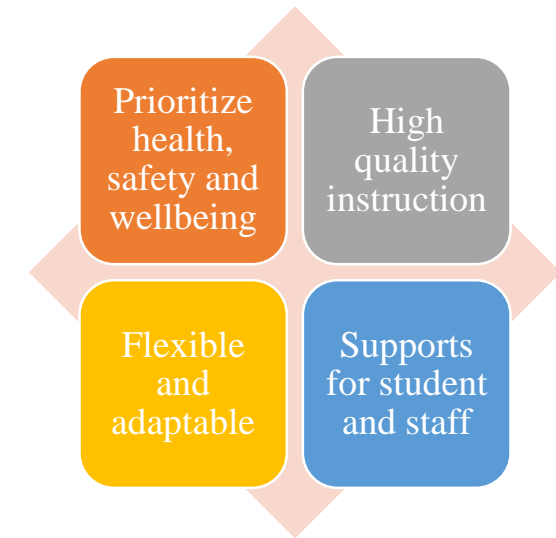
Academic Year 2020-2021

WHS Safety Plan

Ensuring the health and safety of students, teachers, staff, parents and the school community

Willowdale High School will have the following priorities for the 2020-2021 school year:

- maintaining the health and safety of students, staff and the school community
- providing in-person learning whenever possible and safe to do so
- building flexibility within course offerings to ensure that teaching and learning are not interrupted and that we are prepared to move between in-person, blended learning and online distance at a moments when needed
- providing high quality teaching and learning opportunities
- following WHS Academic Calendar



TIMETABLE SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
PERIOD 1 10:00—11:40	Virtual Online	On-site In-Person	On-site In-Person	Virtual Online	On-site In-Person
PERIOD 2 11:40—1:20	Virtual Online	On-site In-Person	On-site In-Person	Virtual Online	On-site In-Person
1:20—2:00	Lunch Break				
PERIOD 3 2:00—3:40	Virtual Online	On-site In-Person	On-site In-Person	Virtual Online	On-site In-Person
PERIOD 4 3:40—5:20	Virtual Online	On-site In-Person	On-site In-Person	Virtual Online	On-site In-Person

September 2020							October 2020							November 2020							December 2020						
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Sept 4-Orientation Sept 8-Fall Semester Starts Sept 18-PD Day (No Classes)	Oct 12-Thanksgiving Day Oct 9-PD Day (No Classes) Oct 30-PD Day (No Classes)	Nov 13-PD Day (No Classes)	Dec 4-PD Day (No Classes) Dec 18- Last day of Fall 2020
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For more details please refer to the School Academic Calendar 2020/2021.

REDUCING RISK OF EXPOSURE

- parents, guardians and visitors will have limited access to the school to reduce potential exposure



COVID-19 assessment centre locations

Find your closest Ontario assessment centre to get a COVID-19 (coronavirus) test.

Before you go

All assessment centres will test you if you would like to be tested. Testing is a free service.

Mobile or pop-up centres may not be listed here.

If you can, bring your Ontario health card and a pen (you may need to fill out a paper form).

Call the assessment centre or your [local public health unit](#) if you have questions or cannot find a centre near you.

Verify info before going. Learn more	
Branson COVID-19 Assessment Centre Hospital - North York, ON - (416) 756-6000 COVID-19 testing center ✓ Appointment not required ✓ Referral not required ✓ Testing for all patients	WEBSITE
Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre University hospital - 2075 Bayview Ave - (416) 48 COVID-19 testing center ✓ Appointment not required ✓ Referral not required ✓ Testing for all patients	WEBSITE
Birchmount COVID-19 Assessment Centre Hospital - Scarborough, ON - (416) 495-2601 COVID-19 testing center ! Appointment required ✓ Testing for all patients	WEBSITE
Humber River COVID-19 Assessment Centre Hospital - North York, ON - (416) 747-6740 COVID-19 testing center ✓ Appointment not required ✓ Referral not required ✓ Testing for all patients	WEBSITE
Michael Garron Hospital	

<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/assessment-centre-locations>

REDUCING RISK OF EXPOSURE

- parents and guardians will be asked to monitor their children daily for symptoms and not send them to school if they are sick
- if students become sick at school, they will be quickly isolated, parents/guardians will be contacted, and the student will be sent home.
- students will be required to wash their hands frequently, including before coming to school. They will have access to hand sanitizer when hand washing is not available

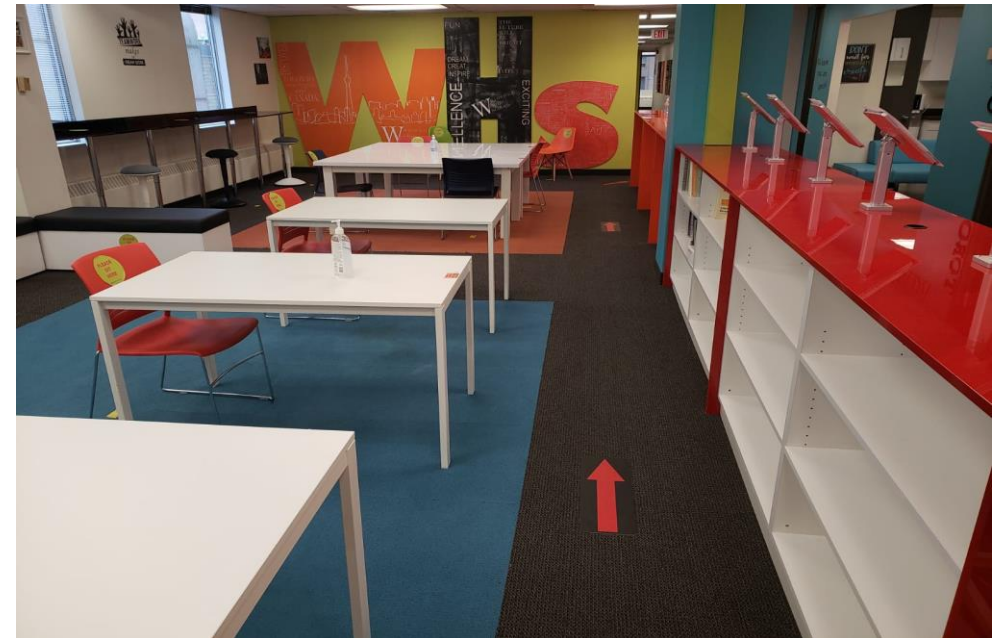
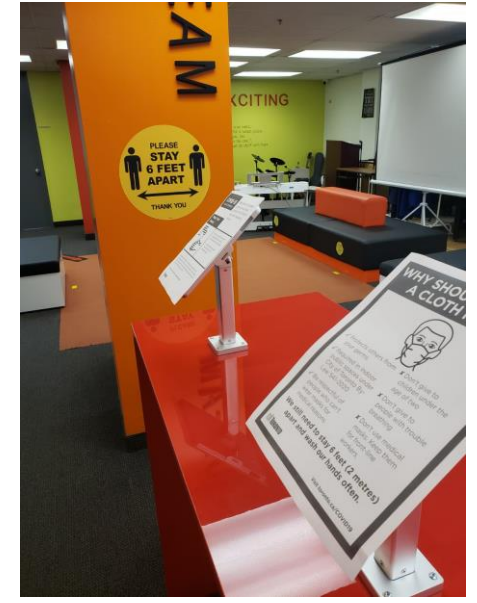
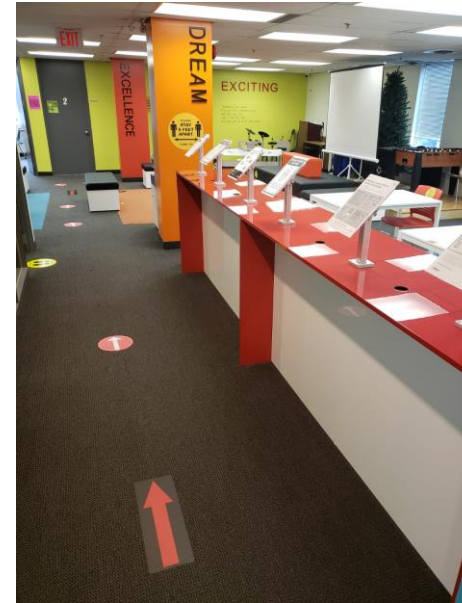


Feeling Sick?

Stay home when you are sick!

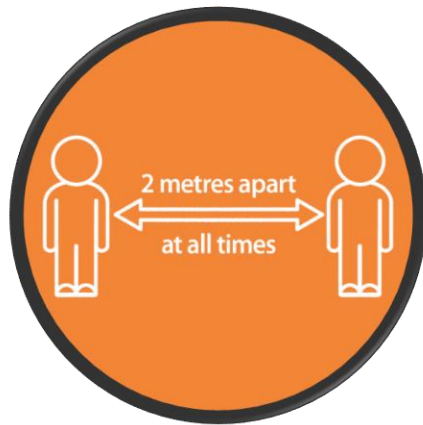
ASSEMBLIES, BREAK AND LUNCH TIME

- students will get frequent reminders to minimize physical contact with their friends while remaining socially connected
- modify lunch and break times to limit gatherings and promote physical distancing
- there will be no assemblies, and there will be limitations on gatherings
- students will not be allowed to share lunch or any personal items



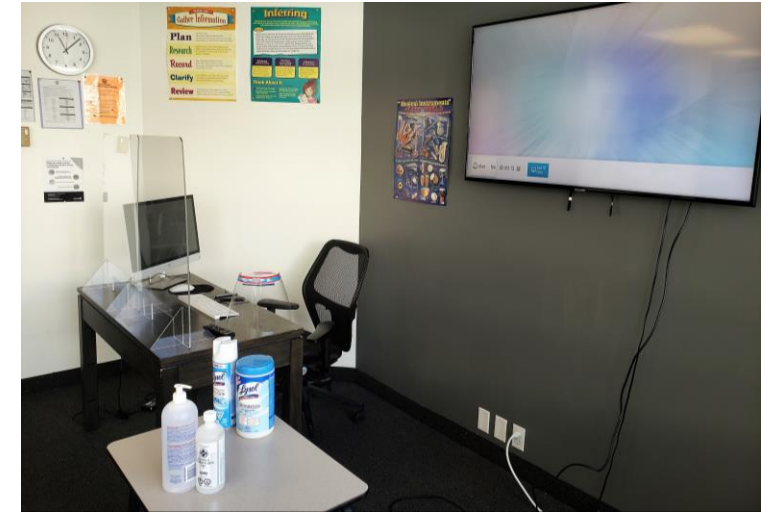
ASSEMBLIES, BREAK AND LUNCH TIME

- students must always keep physical distancing and follow hygiene measures in place including lunch time



INCREASED HEALTH & SAFETY MEASURES

- all persons inside the school will always need to use masks and other personal protective equipment
- classroom and the school's physical settings will be arranged differently
- we will have multiple hand sanitizing stations
- posters and signs to guide students
- new procedures to enforce hygiene and physical distancing



MASKS AND FACE SHIELDS

- All persons will be asked to wear mask when on school premises, building entrance, elevator, school entrance, classrooms, hallways, kitchen, and the washrooms
- All staff are encouraged to wear face shields



WILLOWDALE HIGH SCHOOL



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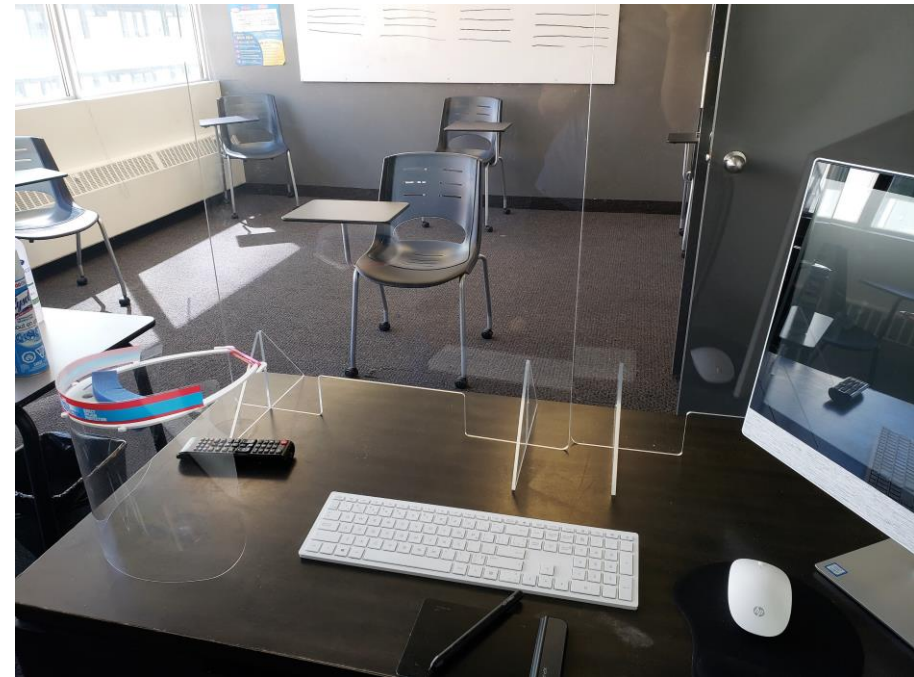
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CLEANLINESS AND PHYSICAL SETUP OF THE SCHOOL

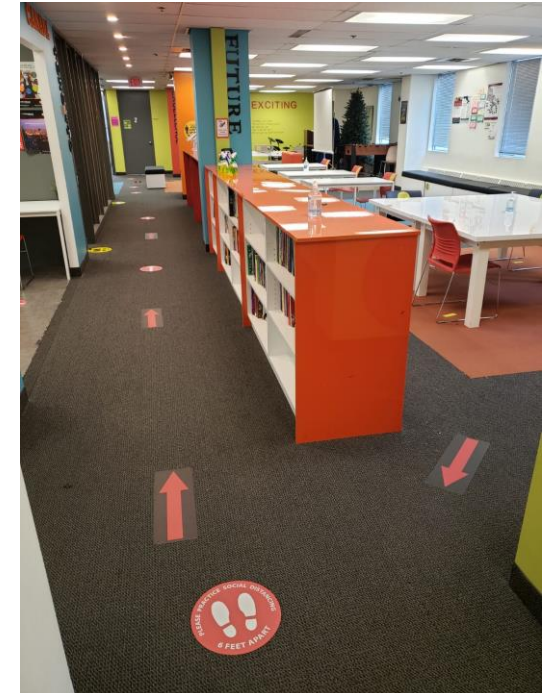
- the entire school will be disinfected more frequently
- provide hand sanitizers in several locations including classrooms
- will have designated entrances and exits, and restrict/manage flow in hallways and common areas with floor markings and/or physical barriers.
- assigned doors for exit and entrance
- students will be encouraged to keep personal belongings with them and limit locker access
- have sanitation stations for hand cleaning
- install plexiglass barriers in certain areas if necessary



CLASSROOMS AND INSTRUCTIONAL TIME

While we will prioritize in-person learning whenever it is safe and possible to do so. Some classrooms and instructional time will also look different, with:

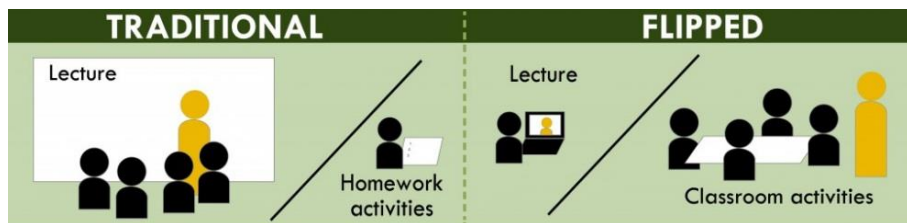
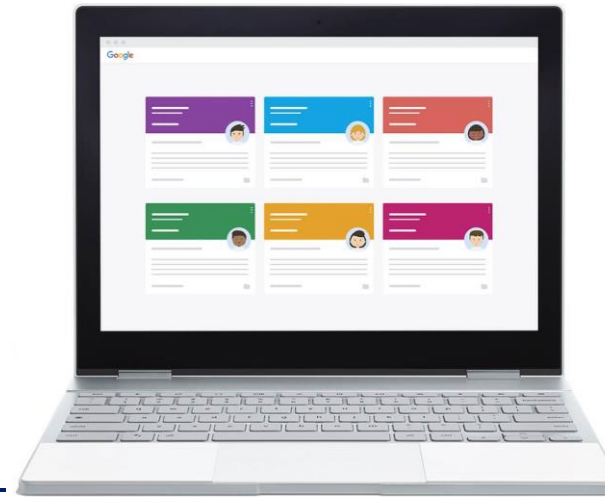
- limiting class size to maintain social distancing
- assigned doors for exit and entrance
- increasing spacing between desks and other furniture
- becoming a digital and paperless school



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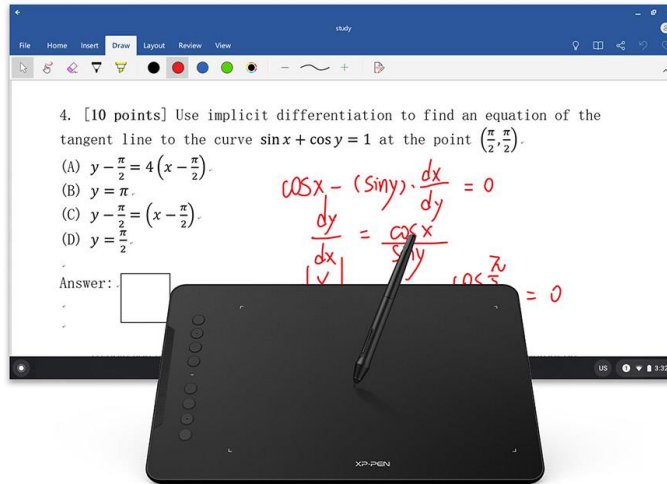
Teachers will plan lessons following flexible models of learning that will allow students to access education in a variety of ways:

- allow blended learning model that combines in-person with coordinated synchronous and asynchronous online learning
- continue using Google Classroom as a learning management system. Teachers will record instruction and upload on Google Classroom. Teachers will also assign homework and conduct assessments and evaluations through Google Classroom tools and Classmarker testing platform.



WHS WILL FOLLOW A BLENDED LEARNING MODEL

WHS will follow a Blended Learning Model. Blended learning model occurs where in-person learning is combined with structured online learning to allow for physical distancing to help reduce the risks of spreading COVID-19, while at the same time allowing quality interaction between students and teachers. 58% of classes are On-Site In-person and 42% Virtual online (Synchronous and asynchronous).



The digital whiteboard for cloud collaboration

