



May 10, 2022

Dear TPS Parents/Guardians and Students:

RE: TPS Mandatory Mask Mandate Lifted Effective Monday, May 16th

After consulting the [Ontario Science Table](#), [Toronto Public Health](#), and our own personal epidemic advisors, we have decided to lift our mandatory mask mandate effective Monday, May 16th, 2022.

Currently in Toronto, all public health indicators, including case counts, hospitalizations, and admissions to the ICU, are holding steady or declining. Furthermore, yesterday [the city of Toronto lifted its state of emergency after 777 days](#). Based on this information, and the specific makeup of our campus, we feel it is responsible to drop the mandate at this time.

This means we will not be enforcing the wearing of masks moving forward. However, those who wish to wear their masks can of course do so.

I will be holding a webinar on Thursday, May 12th @ 8:00PM explaining the methodology and rationale behind this decision. If you are interested, please register in advance for the webinar by clicking this link: bit.ly/TPS-mask-mandate

Also, feel free to Eadsby or call me with any and all questions.

All the best and thank you for your continued support.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P. Tsimikalis'.

Pete Tsimikalis
Principal