



May 25, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians of Students at Bath Community School, Bristol Elementary School, Florenceville Elementary School and Florenceville Middle School:

On September 19, 2019, the Anglophone West School District Education Council (ASD-W DEC) voted in favour of engaging a sustainability study of Bath Community School, Bristol Elementary School, Florenceville Elementary School and Florenceville Middle School, under the process of Provincial Policy 409 – Multi-year School Infrastructure Planning. This policy serves as a foundation for determining the sustainability of a school, taking into account many aspects, such as:

- Enrolment
- Health and Safety
- Quality Education
- Transportation
- Impact on Community
- Finances
- Economic Development
- Impact on Other Schools

On May 21, 2020, the DEC held the third public meeting in this process. At that meeting, the Council voted in favour of making a recommendation to the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development that a new, K-8 school be built in the Carleton North catchment area for K-8 students who currently attend Bath Community School, Bristol Elementary School, Florenceville Elementary School and Florenceville Middle School. Recognizing that this is a significant investment, the Minister and his government colleagues are responsible for making the final decision to build a new school.

The sustainability studies are now complete and, until further notice, students will remain assigned to their current school settings. We recognize that, at this time, students are learning from home due to the current global pandemic.

I wish to thank you for your interest in this study and your continued support of the school in which your child(ren) attend(s).

Sincerely,

David McTimoney,
Superintendent