



Oral Health Announcement

WHO?

- 🦷 Students in JK, SK, Grade 2 and Grade 7 (with additional grades possible).
- 🦷 Any additional student by parent request.

WHAT?

- 🦷 Oral health screenings by Registered Dental Hygienists.
- 🦷 Oral health screenings are visual assessments only and do not replace your child's regular dental examination with a dentist.
- 🦷 Oral health staff wear appropriate personal protective equipment while performing oral health screenings with students.

WHERE?

- 🦷 Most screenings are done in school but can also be booked at your local health unit.

WHY?

- 🦷 We link eligible children to **FREE** oral health treatment programs. Our oral health staff perform screenings in accordance with the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care's Mandatory Health Programs, under the Health Protection and Promotion Act.

IMPORTANT: If your child is **NOT** in JK, SK, Grade 2 or Grade 7 but you would like them to be screened when Public Health is at your school, please send a letter or note to your child's teacher. If you do not want your child to be included in the Public Health dental screening, please send a letter or note to your child's teacher.

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