

Letter to Teacher from Parents and Concerned Citizens

To: _____

As you continue settling into the school year of 2021/22, we hope you will take a moment to hear from a group of concerned citizens who are opposed to mandatory masking of children.

We are a united group of parents, grandparents, teachers, doctors, nurses and concerned citizens across Canada. We are opposed to the Public Health Order requiring children to wear face masks in school.

On June 10, 2021, a petition against mandatory masking of school children was officially tabled in the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia. Along with the petition, over 1400 personal impact statements were submitted to the Office of the Clerk, detailing the detrimental effects that masks were having on children. You can find these statements here: unmaskourkids.com/all-impact-statements

Physical symptoms of mask wearing included headaches, nosebleeds, skin reactions, fatigue, dizziness and reductions in cognitive function. Children with mask exemptions were experiencing coercion, bullying, disrespect, segregation, intimidation, physical and emotional harm at school on a regular basis.

It has been demonstrated in international, peer reviewed studies in the disciplines of psychology, physiology, and mental health that masking children is ineffective, unsafe, and unnecessary. These studies, along with facts and videos on the harms of mask wearing can be found here: unmaskourkids.com/mask-info

Currently in Canada, there are approximately 4.92 million students enrolled in public elementary and secondary schools. These children and their families were not once consulted about the mandatory wearing of masks in schools.

We know these mandates were put in place due to pressure from government, public health officials and school unions. These governing bodies have yet to provide the public with scientific evidence to support the continued use of face masks on children.

As parents and concerned citizens of Canada, we do not consent to mandatory masking of our children. We implore all schools to reject the public health order on mandatory masking and institute a "Personal Choice Mask Policy" for all students. It must be the decision of the parents and families, as they are the best advocates for their children's health and well-being.

We implore you to challenge the mandatory nature of the order, to speak up for our children, and advocate for their right to breathe without restriction.

We realize that many teachers are scared to speak out against the health measures in fear of losing their job. However, the risks involved with not speaking up is far more dangerous. What is at stake is our children's health and mental well-being.

It is more important than ever for educators to work collaboratively with parents to ensure a better future for our children. If you need support, or are looking to connect with like-minded people, consider joining a parent and/or teacher group in your community.

We hope that you find the information provided here to be informative and valuable.

Respectfully,

Name: _____ Date: _____