



**Stittsville PS  
School Council Principal Report  
October 12, 2021**

**To submit a general school question to me prior to the next School Council meeting, please use [this form](#).**

**Staffing Update**

Our Vice-Principal, Bruno Kondric is on leave for the next while. Retired administrator Paula Slesar will be filling in for him in the meantime. She can be reached at [paula.slesar@ocdsb.ca](mailto:paula.slesar@ocdsb.ca), or by calling the school.

**Portables**

In anticipation of any growth due to the temporary boundary diversion from Fernbank, our school is receiving two more portables. An installation date has not been set but it should be within the next few weeks. They will remain closed until they are needed.

**Take Home PCR Tests**

Last week we received take-home PCR tests. These are not the rapid antigen tests.

The tests are reserved for students and staff of SPS and are not available for non-SPS household members. Parents/caregivers may choose to administer the test in the car or at home and return it to the school where it will be picked up by courier to be brought to a testing centre, or families may choose to administer the test and bring the sample to the testing centre themselves.

The only time the school won't accept a sample is if it is close to 2pm on a day before the weekend as the sample will expire after 24-36 hours. On those occasions families will need to bring it to a testing centre on their own.

## **75th Anniversary**

September 2022 will be the 75th anniversary of Stittsville PS. This year may be a good time to begin planning how we wish to commemorate this occasion next fall (and hopefully in person).

## **Dates to Remember**

October 4 - 14, 2021 - Virtual Meet the Staff

October 21, 2021 - Term 1 Individual Education Plans go home to families