

Back-to-school protocol and vaccination policy

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This document may be further updated as the health situation evolves

Vaccination policy

LFT requires that all LFT students and staff eligible for immunization be vaccinated (12 years and older).

Under provincial legislation, this requirement is balanced against our obligations to protect the health and safety of our students and staff. If an eligible student or staff member cannot be vaccinated due to a protected reason under the Human Rights Code, they may request an exemption. Due to the serious health threat posed by COVID-19, affected students and staff will be required to comply with additional health and safety requirements. This will include COVID-19 testing twice a week.

- Staff**

Staff eligible for vaccination must be double vaccinated by 1 September. Proof of vaccination must be submitted to securite@lft.ca before the PA Day.

- Students**

Students over 12 years of age and/or born in 2010 who are eligible for vaccination must be double vaccinated by 6 September. Proof of vaccination must be submitted by September 6, 2022 to securite@lft.ca

Stay up to date with your COVID-19 vaccinations

AGE	VACCINE	DOSES
5-11	Pfizer* <small>Moderna for 6 to 11 in some settings</small>	DOSE #1 → 0 weeks → DOSE #2
12-17	Pfizer* OR Moderna	DOSE #1 → 0 weeks → DOSE #2 → 6+ months → DOSE #3 1 st Booster
18-59**	Pfizer* OR Moderna	DOSE #1 → 0 weeks → DOSE #2 → 3+ months → DOSE #3 1 st Booster
60+	Pfizer OR Moderna	DOSE #1 → 0 weeks → DOSE #2 → 3+ months → DOSE #3 1 st Booster → 5+ months → DOSE #4* 2 nd Booster
18+	Novavax	DOSE #1 → 0 weeks → DOSE #2 → 3+ months → DOSE #3 1 st Booster

If you have a weak immune system, speak to your doctor about recommended doses. If you recently had COVID-19, you can get a vaccine after you complete isolation or wait 3 months to get a better immune response.
 * Pfizer is recommended for most 5-29 year olds.
 ** 18-59 year olds are eligible for 2nd booster if: First Nations, Inuit, Metis Peoples & their non-indigenous household members and residents of long-term care, retirement homes & some congregate settings.

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Pedagogical and educational practices in times of a health and safety crisis

You will find below 3 guides that respond to the different situations that may arise and that we already know to address with agility.

The sustainability of this educational and pedagogical framework allows our students and staff to continue teaching and learning in a coherent and structured approach. These protocols also allow you to project yourself in a family and school organisation whatever your personal situation or health situation.

- [The principles of teaching, learning and co-education in our school during a health crisis.](#)
- **Teaching and learning protocols**
 - [Primary school](#)
 - [Secondary school](#)

Key elements of health and safety protocols

- **Masks**

As of 6 July, masks are not mandatory for students and staff. The choice to wear a mask is up to each individual.
- **Ventilation**

LFT has a mechanical exhaust ventilation system that provides ventilation and air exchange. Each classroom, office and common area will be equipped with a HEPA unit. All windows are opened at the beginning and at the end of the day and during all breaks.

Extra-curricular

- **Restauration**
 - Kindergarten students take their lunch in their classrooms
 - Elementary students take their lunch in the multi-purpose room
 - Secondary students take their lunch in the basement or the foyer for *Seconde, 1ère and Terminale* students (Grade 10, 11 & 12)
- **Transport**

In collaboration with our provider First Student :

 - Designated seats at the beginning of the year with no capacity restrictions (44 seats per bus)
 - Increased ventilation and cleaning
 - No mask required