



Learning for a Lifetime

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I am pleased to let you know that the Coquitlam School District is installing carbon monoxide detectors in district schools and facilities. The district is installing monitoring equipment as a preventative measure to help ensure the safety of students and staff.

Carbon monoxide is an odourless and colourless gas that can be toxic and dangerous to humans. Though there are no regulatory requirements for carbon monoxide monitoring in schools, Coquitlam School District is taking this step to increase safety and reduce the risk of carbon monoxide exposure. Monitoring will begin as soon as ordered detection equipment is received and installed in all district buildings. There will be no disruption to school or classroom operations during the installation process.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your school principal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Patricia Gartland'.

Patricia Gartland
Superintendent, CEO
School District No. 43 (Coquitlam)