



February 5, 2021

Dear Mes Amis Preschool Families,

**Please note the following policy will come into effect Monday, February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021.**

As a volunteer parent run preschool board, we strive to abide by the most current policies described by the Saskatchewan Health Authority and the Greater Catholic School Board. Currently, we are updating our mask requirement and incorporating the same into the Mes Amis Preschool Handbook. This updated policy sets out mask requirement of students, staff, and parent helpers to wear a cloth or disposable, non-medical mask. Handmade or store-bought cloth masks shall be made of a minimum of 2 layers of cotton or 2 layers of linen **or** 3 layers of cotton or 3 layers of linen as per the Saskatchewan Health Authority recommendations.

We trust our preschool families to update their masks accordingly. Our teacher, Mademoiselle Brophy has the authority in our classroom to replace a mask that she feels does not meet these guidelines. We have a small stock of disposable non-medical masks for this purpose. It is her primary responsibility to keep all the children under her care safe.

For more information on non-medical and mask recommendations from the Government of Canada, please visit [COVID-19: Non-medical masks and face coverings - Canada.ca](https://www24.international.gc.ca/COVID-19/COVID-19-non-medical-masks-and-face-coverings-Canada.ca)

Our policy will be reviewed and updated by the board as new information becomes available from the Saskatchewan Health Authority and/or the Greater Catholic School Board.

Thank you for you helping us ensure that Mes Amis Preschool continues to be a safe and positive learning environment for our children!

Yours truly,

Mes Amis Preschool Board