

Dear John Oliver Secondary School community,

In order to promote a safe and healthy school year, Public Health will be promoting and offering [COVID-19 vaccine](#) to select school communities in the month of September.

Public health will be at **John Oliver Secondary School on Tuesday, September 21st from 9:30am- 4:30pm in the small gym #174.**

All eligible students, staff and families are encouraged to attend for either your 1<sup>st</sup> dose or 2<sup>nd</sup> dose (at least 28 days after first dose). Public Health Nurses will be providing students, staff and families with information on COVID-19 vaccine to make an informed choice on vaccination. Children under the age of 19 may consent or refuse vaccination on their own under BC law by mature minor consent (read more about Mature Minor Consent [here](#)) .If your child will be attending the clinic independently we encourage families to have conversations with their children about informed consent prior to this clinic.

We look forward to seeing you at the clinic and keeping your school community safe.

Thanks



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