



Dear Parents/Guardians/Caregivers:

Chinook School Division, Holy Trinity Catholic School Division and Great Plains College have collaborated with community protocol partners across the southwest to develop the “Community Threat Assessment and Support Protocol.” This Protocol allows community protocol partners to share information and use their expertise to implement the appropriate support for students and their families. Furthermore, Chinook Schools have also established School Threat Assessment and Support Teams including the principal, school counsellor, and police to work with the Protocol.

These actions have been undertaken to help fulfill our Board expectation to provide a safe, respectful learning environment within our schools. Chinook is dedicated to ensuring that students, staff, school visitors, and community members feel safe. Collaboration with families and community protocol partners is viewed as critical to attain our goal.

For more information on the Community Threat Assessment and Support Protocol, please visit our website at [chinooksd.ca](http://chinooksd.ca). Information and a brochure that outlines the steps for the Protocol can be found under “Safe and Caring Schools.” If you have any questions about the process, please contact your school principal.

We look forward to working with you and our community protocol partners to provide safe and caring schools.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Benesh".

Mark Benesh  
Director of Education  
Chinook School Division