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## SHAWANAGA FIRST NATION

### 7 Grandfather Teachings:

October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020

**Humility –**  
*Dbaudendiziwin: To be  
humble about your  
accomplishments is to  
be strong*

Memo to Community

Aanii Shawanaga,

**Bravery -**  
*Aakwa'ode'ewin: Let  
nothing stand in the  
way of doing the right  
thing*

We hope everyone is staying safe and is continuing to practice social distancing. After some discussion, we wanted to provide a formal update on the current Shawanaga Kinomaugewgamik Elementary School and school bus operations. Beginning Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020 the School will be open to students and the bus will be running for transportation of students.

**Honesty –**  
*Gwekwaadziwin:  
Better to fail with  
honesty than succeed  
by fraud*

PSHS students that do not have classes during the week of October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020 will not be allowed on the bus. Students will only be allowed on the bus if they have class the day, they ride the bus.

**Wisdom –**  
*Nbwaakaanwin: With  
hard work and  
dedication, will come  
knowledge*

The Shawanaga First Nation School Bus Policy will be in full effect and the School's COVID-19 policy and safe distancing practices will be followed.

**Truth – Debwewin: It  
is always easiest to  
speak the truth**

As this may come as a relief to some, we are leaving the decision up to the parents/guardians to choose how they proceed. The safety of our youth and community members are of the utmost importance to us so this decision is subject to change as new COVID-19 information is received.

**Respect –**  
*Mnaadendimowin:  
Give it, earn it, and  
receive it*

Miigwetch,

Chief, Council and Management

**Love – Zuagidwin: It is  
important to care for  
one another**