

**INFORMATION ON SAFE SCHOOLS FUND AND
THE SAFE RESTART CONTINGENCY FUND**

The Safe Schools Fund and the Safe Restart Contingency Fund follow set criteria for COVID-19 expenditures, which include:

- health and safety: costs associated with meeting public health measures including sanitization, transportation, leased spaces, HVAC operations, equipment and non-capital upgrades;
- learning and technology: costs for remote learning, learning recovery and mental health supports, which can include hardware, software, adaptive equipment for students with special needs, COVID-19 specific learning supports, and training on the use of technology; and
- staffing: all term, casual and substitute staffing including teachers, educational assistants, custodians, bus drivers and other staff.