# **ORAL HEALTH SCHOOL SCREENING NOTIFICATION**

#### Date of Screening: May 13,14,15,16, 2019.

#### Dental Screenings are being conducted at your child's school for:

- Students in Grades JK, SK & 2.
- Students in Grade 4 may also be screened.
- Any student as requested by the child/parent.

## IMPORTANT:

- Parents who do not wish to have their child screened are required to advise the school, in writing, <u>each</u> <u>school year</u> before the scheduled screening date.
- Selected students with urgent treatment needs may be rescreened at this time or at a later date.

## FYI:

- Oral health screening is a quick, visual oral assessment using a sterilized mouth mirror.
- The screening is a non-invasive oral assessment which can identify potential concerns.
- Oral health report cards are sent home with the children to inform parents of any dental concerns.
- The oral screening is conducted under the statutory authority of the Health Protection and Promotion Act.
- This screening should NOT replace your child's regular visit to the dentist.

## For more information contact Hastings Prince Edward Public Health

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