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**Re: Classroom-ready lesson plans about privacy**

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Dear Mr. LeRoux,

My colleagues at the Information and Privacy Commissioner's Office (IPC) in Ontario have developed four free classroom-ready lesson plans to help educators teach students in Grades 2 through 8 about why privacy is important and how to protect their privacy online. Each lesson plan also includes student handouts that can be printed or completed as a fillable PDF.

The lesson plans cover the following topics and are designed to be used with the IPC's [Privacy Pursuit!](#) activity booklet:

- [What is Privacy? \(Grades 2 – 3\)](#)
- [Protecting Your Privacy \(Grades 4 – 5\)](#)
- [The Value of Privacy \(Grades 6 – 7\)](#)
- [My Privacy, Your Privacy \(Grades 7 – 8\)](#)

The materials are all also available in French. The activity booklet can be found here: [Ta vie privée : c'est à toi!](#). The French lesson plans can be found here:

- [Qu'est-ce que la protection de la vie privée? \(2<sup>e</sup> et 3<sup>e</sup> année\)](#)
- [Protéger sa vie privée \(4<sup>e</sup> et 5<sup>e</sup> année\)](#)
- [La valeur de la vie privée \(6<sup>e</sup> et 7<sup>e</sup> année\)](#)
- [Ma vie privée et la tienne \(7<sup>e</sup> et 8<sup>e</sup> année\)](#)

I wanted to share in case they may be of use to classrooms in Nova Scotia.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tricia Ralph".

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