



Heritage Elementary School

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The 2017-2018 school year will start on Tuesday, September 5th with a division wide inservice, so there will be no school. Once again, Heritage School will continue with the Opening Day Interviews for September 6th and 7th for Grades K-5. These two days will NOT be regular school days, **but students and their parents are expected to attend** and are recorded present on the school attendance form. The objective is to provide the opportunity for the student and parent to meet the new year's teacher in a relaxed, informal setting. We are aiming for 100% attendance. **The first day of classes will be Friday, September 8th.**

Homeroom teachers will be located in their homerooms. Following that visit, parents and students are invited to meet the specialist teachers – Phys. Ed., Music, French, Resource, and Guidance in their rooms. School hours will be varied to try to accommodate working parents.

September 6 th	1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
September 7 th	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and 12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Parents are responsible for the cost of providing supplies for their children. We request that each student bring **\$50.00** to cover the cost of school supplies (i.e. pencils, crayons, glue, notebooks, duo-tangs, special crafts, classroom projects, etc.) and an agenda. Purchasing supplies in bulk provides uniformity of supplies for all children while utilizing the most cost efficient means. Students will also require a recorder/cleaning swab for Music. These may be purchased from the school at a charge of \$10.00 if your child does not already have a set. We ask that you please do not buy a recorder from the Dollar Store as the sound is definitely of lower quality. **PLEASE BRING YOUR PAYMENT TO THE INTERVIEW.**

If paying by cheque, please make it payable to Heritage School. If you are unable to pay these costs at one time, please complete a payment schedule with your child's teacher at the interview. All payments should be completed by mid November.

Each student will also need to bring a pair of running shoes (for indoor use) and a back pack. Running shoes should not be the skateboard type as they need to be tied tightly for running and games in the gym. Please ensure that your child's name is on these items.

We encourage all students to have accident insurance. If you already have an extended health policy, please keep this information available for completion of field trip forms throughout the year. If you wish to purchase student accident insurance, the forms will be available from the teacher. Cost is approximately \$14.00 for one year's coverage. Please complete the form promptly and mail it along with your payment to the address listed on the package.

Remember to drop in during the outlined times at your convenience. You do not need to call the school to arrange an appointment. **Regular classes will begin on September 8th, 2017.**

See you there!

N. Moffatt, Principal

Ms. Burland

Grade 2/3

Room 24