

Dalewood Elementary School

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to 2018-2019 at Dalewood! We would just like to introduce ourselves as the Learning Resource Team (LRT) at Dalewood this year. Linda Coburn will be the full-time LRT and Karen Wong will be the halftime LRT and we are more than thrilled to be working with both you and your child/children. We hope that you will feel comfortable contacting us at any time if you ever have any concerns, questions or celebrations.

Regarding the upcoming IEP for your child, we are currently updating your child's IEP for the year. Please keep in mind that it is a working document so changes can be made after October 16 as well and throughout the year to record your child's learning. We will be working alongside your child's teachers to try to match the best teaching strategies and appropriate expectations and goals for your child for this coming year. That being said, we would love your input on this process! Starting off, if you could please fill out the attached Parent/Guardian Input form with any information you would like to communicate with us or your child's teachers about your child's learning, we will be using that information as we work with your child's IEP to be able to communicate this with all of your child's teachers. We will also have a chance after October 16 to sit down and have a discussion with you (or by phone or email) if that interests you. We look forward to meeting with you to further to discuss your child's IEP.

Please send the Parent/Guardian Input form completed back with your child by **<u>Tuesday</u>**. **<u>October 9</u>** to be returned to either Linda Coburn or Karen Wong in Room 128.

Thanks so much for all your continued support and communication with us!

Sincerely,

Linda Coburn and Karen Wong Your LRT team at Dalewood