



## Ryerson Elementary School

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### **RE: Helping our children get the most from school**

Dear Ryerson Parent or Caregiver:

For the last fifteen years, as part of Ryerson's School Council fundraising, families have been invited to make a straight donation to the school – no arm-twisting of family and friends and door-to-door sales!

In other fund-raising events, such as the sale of cookie dough, as little as 20 cents of your dollar goes to the school. With direct donation, every dollar you donate goes directly to Ryerson Middle School. A charitable receipt can be issued for donations of \$20 or more, although any donation you can make will be most welcome.

Given the success and popularity of previous direct donation campaigns, we are again asking you, as a parent or caregiver, to support the school by making a charitable donation. The funds raised will be used to enrich our school in areas such as technology, equipment, and other learning resources. Our goal for this year's campaign is \$5000. If each family gave only \$20, we would achieve our goal – a larger donation would be tremendous! If we are unable to meet or exceed our goal, it will be necessary to have a fund-raising campaign in addition to our Direct Donations Campaign.

**PLEASE RETURN THE ATTACHED FORM with your donation by Friday, October 12<sup>th</sup>.** *(We will accept donations at any point though.)* It is our hope that everyone who can will make a contribution, since all Ryerson students will benefit from the funds raised. We will keep you posted on the outcome of the campaign and how your donations have been used. If you are writing a cheque, the cheque must be made payable to **"HWDSB FOUNDATION"**.

Sincerely,

*Jenn Walsom*

Jenn Walsom,  
Ryerson School Council Chair

*Dan Ivankovic*

Dan Ivankovic, Principal

**Your contribution is important to our children's education**

**Together, we will make a difference.**