

January 9, 2018

To parents, guardians, caregivers of Collegiate Ave., Eastdale & Mountain View Schools,

Re: Construction of New School at Eastdale Site and Consolidation of Schools

During the summer of 2018, construction will begin on a new \$11.5 million, 564 pupil place, K-8 elementary school on the current Eastdale School site. This new school will accommodate students from Collegiate Avenue (Zone 2), Mountain View (Zone 3) and Eastdale (Zone 1). Please refer to the Lower Stoney Creek Transitions document included with this letter to see new school boundaries and the coordination of school closure and consolidation planned for Lower Stoney Creek over the months/years ahead, including:

1. **Zone 1 Eastdale** students move to Mountain View school following the closure of Eastdale School on June 29, 2018.
2. **Zones 1, 2 & 3** students move from Collegiate Ave. and Mountain View schools to new school at the Eastdale site when construction is complete (projected for the 2019-2020 school year).

As per procedures for accommodation review transition planning, an advisory group will be established to support the transition of students, staff and families involved in school relocation/consolidation. Currently, a Transition Advisory Committee is working to support a smooth transition of students moving from Eastdale to Mountain View for the upcoming 2018-19 school year. The second meeting for this committee is scheduled for **January 31, 2018 @ 6:00 p.m. at Eastdale**. Families are welcome to attend these meetings to observe the discussions and learn more about transition plans. Following this transition, a new Transition Advisory Committee will be formed including students, staff and parents from Collegiate, Eastdale and Mountain View to prepare for the move into the new school at the Eastdale site for the 2019-20 school year.

For additional information regarding school consolidation plans, please refer to the Construction Updates section on the HWDSB website as well as your school's website. If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact your school's principal/vice-principal.

Sincerely,



Jeff Gillies
Superintendent of Student Achievement

Lower Stoney Creek Transitions

ZONE 1

Students move to Mountain View following the closure of Eastdale School
 Students move to new school on Eastdale site when construction is completed

ZONE 2

Students move to new school on Eastdale site when construction is completed

ZONE 3

Students move to new school on Eastdale site when construction is completed

ZONE 4

Students remain at Mountain View and move to new school on Memorial SC site when construction is completed

ZONE 5

Students move to new school on Memorial SC site when construction is completed

ZONE 6

Students move to holding site (i.e. Green Acres/R.L. Hyslop) and return to school on Collegiate site when construction is completed

ZONE 7

Students move to school on Collegiate site when construction is completed

ZONE 8

Students move to school on Collegiate site when construction is completed

