

February 28, 2018

To families with students in, or interested in, French Immersion in East Hamilton and Lower Stoney Creek,

Re: East Hamilton - Lower Stoney Creek French Immersion Relocation Plan

On Monday, February 26, 2018, the Board of Trustees reviewed plans for the relocation of French Immersion from Glen Echo and Glen Brae to the schools named in the East Hamilton - Lower Stoney Creek French Immersion Boundary Review. After careful consideration of feedback provided through the public consultation process, Trustees have approved the following:

- **French Immersion students currently attending Glen Echo and Glen Brae will remain at Glen Echo and Glen Brae until June 2020**
- **French Immersion students attending AM Cunningham (Gr. 1-5) will continue at AM Cunningham and attend Glen Brae (Gr. 6-8) until June 2020**
- **After June 2020, all French Immersion students attending Glen Echo and Glen Brae will relocate to the new sites identified through the East Hamilton - Lower Stoney Creek French Immersion Boundary Review for September 2020**
 - **New East Hamilton FI Schools – Parkdale (Gr. 1-5), WH Ballard (Gr. 6-8)**
 - **New Lower Stoney Creek FI School – New School at Eastdale Site (Gr. 1-8)**
- **Newly accepted Gr. 1 French Immersion students living within the new East Hamilton (Parkdale) and Lower Stoney Creek (Green Acres/Eastdale) French Immersion catchments will attend Glen Echo for the 2018-19 school year**
- **Gr. 1 French Immersion will continue at Glen Echo until June 2020 and be relocated to Parkdale and the new school at the Eastdale site by September 2020.**

Prior to the relocation of students and the opening of the new French Immersion sites in September 2020, staff will collaborate with families to plan for a smooth transition for students. Should you have any questions regarding this information, please contact your Superintendent or your area Trustee.

Sincerely,



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