



Elementary School

Site Specific Plan and Routines for Parents*

School Name: Bellmoore Public School

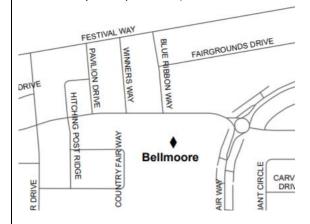
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HWDSB Protocol	School Routines and Expectations
and Requirements	
Student Registration	Parents/Guardians may contact the main office at 905-692-5435 or
	email Bellmoore@HWDSB.on.ca to support the registration
	process.
Screening	Parents will continue to support students in screening for COVID
	symptoms prior to coming to school each day. The screening
	process does not need to be initialed on the 'calendar'.
Parent Access to School	Essential visitors and volunteers may continue to enter schools with
	all enhanced safety measures in place. We are reviewing
	procedures to allow gradual easing of visitor and volunteer
	restrictions and will communicate more in the coming weeks.
	We will be making all efforts to communicate in a virtual format
	throughout the school year (phone calls, email, the HUB, virtual
	meetings). We will be keeping families informed of developments
	through School Messenger and make regular posts on our school
	website.
	Please contact the main office 905-692-5435 before coming to the
	school.
Parent Communication with	Continue to communicate with teachers and the principal(s)
School	through phone 905-692-5435 or email Bellmoore@HWDSB.on.ca.
	Contact the school to speak with a teacher, principal or vice
	principal.
Masking	We are reminding staff and students to wear a mask until April 1
	and to exercise their choice by completing the mask exemption
	process, if needed.
Bus loading and unloading	School buses will unload at: the bus loop
	School buses will load at: the bus loop

School Parking Lot

Active transportation (walk/bike) is encouraged to reduce the amount of traffic at the start/end of the day.

• Bike racks are located at the front of the school
To avoid overcrowding and ensure safety of staff and students, **the parking lot will be closed** for drop off in the morning and
afternoon. If parents/caregivers are driving children to school,
parking on adjacent side streets (Pavilion Drive, Winners Way, Blue
Ribbon Way, Pumpkin Pass)



Walking drop off locations:

- Sidewalk at front of school
- Edge of field if coming from the park
- Edge of field if travelling from front of school to the blacktop

Entry and Exit for Students

When students enter the school property, they are to proceed to their outdoor designated area.

Meeting Locations

- Students in kindergarten will enter the school between
 9:00–9:15 am through the main doors (facing the parking lot)
- Students in **Grades 1 8** will meet on the blacktop using their classroom line up area

Students will be dismissed from their designated classroom area Designated locations for pick up:

- Sidewalk by main entrance at front of school for kindergarten students
- Edge of field for students dismissed from blacktop

Movement Around the School	Subject specific teachers will travel to classes to provide instruction.
	Parents will not be permitted into the building unless approval has been obtained by the office beforehand.
	Parents, accessing Umbrella Daycare, will be permitted into the building for drop off and pick up.
Student Belongings	Use of lockers will be permitted
	Our change rooms will continue to be closed so students will need to make sure they are wearing comfortable clothing for gym.
Class Set Up	A sink or hand sanitizer is available in all classrooms.
FDK	We have seven kindergarten classes at Bellmoore
	Students will be dismissed from the kindergarten pen area. Please ensure that wait at the designated area for your child (sidewalk by main entrance)
PE, Music, Learning Commons	Physical Education (PE)
	Masking is not required when playing high or low contact activities outdoors.
	Windows should be opened when feasible to increase ventilation Change rooms will be closed
	Music
	Music programs are permitted in areas with adequate ventilation. For wind instruments:
	• As much distance as possible should be encouraged in large, well-ventilated spaces.
	For elementary: within a cohort if a minimum distance of two metres or more can be maintained.
	• For secondary: if a minimum distance of two metres or more can be maintained between individuals.
	Learning Commons:
	Students may check out books from the learning commons
Nutrition Breaks	Students eat in their classrooms at their work space area.
	No sharing of food or beverages.
Washroom Use	Students will use washrooms closest to their classrooms.
	Students may use hand dryers or paper towels.
Hydration Stations	It is recommended that students bring a reusable water bottle to school filled with water at the start of the day.
	Hydration stations can be found across from the gym, grade 1 hallway and grade 6 hallway

Clubs and Extra curriculars	Clubs and extra-curricular may take place for mixed cohorts
III or Injured Students	Ill or injured students will be support by the Office Team
	The school office will contact parents immediately to come to the school for pick up.
Ventilation	Parents may access information regarding ventilation at
	https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/about/school-renewal/ventilation/
Field Trips	Day trips and overnight stays are permitted and should follow the
	relevant provincial requirements under the <i>Reopening Ontario Act</i> .
Commencement	June 22, 2022