



Dalewood Elementary School

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Good Afternoon, Graduates!

I wanted to confirm the plans that we have for you for your Grade 8 graduation!

Your official Grade 8 Graduation video will be forwarded to you on June 22 at 5:00 so that you can enjoy the ceremony with your family.

On June 23 (or June 24 if it rains), you will be given a time to come to Dalewood. Each graduate will be given a **10-minute** time slot between 11:00 and 5:30. You will be emailed your times - please do not call the school! Further directions will be provided in your individual family emails.

When you arrive, you will walk up Haddon Ave. S. towards the front of the school. You will stop at a table to declare that you are free of Covid symptoms, have not been out of the country in the last 2 weeks, have not been tested for Covid and waiting for results or that you have not been with someone who has tested positive for Covid in the last 14 days. At this station, you will also need to return your iPad, cord and charger, if you borrowed one from the school.

Next, you will pick up your certificates, awards, graduation signs and a special gift from the school. After that, you can stop at the Dalewood School Sign for a photo, if you wish.

Before you leave, you make sure to have a photo taken by your family at the front door of the school in our designated photo area.

This should take up your 10 minutes of time and then you will exit the school property via the Main St. sidewalk or using the opposite side of Haddon Ave. S.

We cannot allow you to gather with your friends or wait around for them to come. We are only able to do this outdoor time if we follow the strict guidelines set out by Hamilton Public Health for your safety. Social distancing of 2 metres with non-household members is required at all times and we are not permitted to allow you to access the inside of the school.

We are looking forward to seeing all of you before you head off to high school!