

## Dundas Central Elementary School

PROUD SCHOOL OF HAMILTON-WENTWORTH DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

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## <u>September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019. (8:40 am - 3:00 pm)</u> Welcome everyone to the 2019 2020 school year! We are excited to see you!

All students in Grade 1 to 8 will be welcomed by school staff at 8:40 a.m. on Tuesday, September 3rd for our first day of school. Students please report to your last year's teacher upon arrival. Once inside, our caring staff will move all students to their new classroom environment.

**Grade 1 students** please report to the Kinder play areas you were assigned to last year. Our Educators will guide you to your new Grade 1 classrooms from there.

**JK students/families** – clustered visits have been scheduled for you and your child. Please contact the school if you have not received your welcome post card.

**SK students** – The first day of school for all SK students is on Wednesday, **September 4th** to allow for JK family visits.

**New students** to Dundas Central will gather in the gymnasium where our School Staff will greet you and help you to your new classroom.

Parents and Caregivers, to ensure a safe and smooth start to our first day, **we ask that you say good bye to your student(s) and remain outside of the school at bell time.** Please know that we care deeply for every one of our students and will safely guide them to their new classroom and teacher. This will also support their independence and confidence in their school experience.

## Home & School Communication:

Students in Grades 1-8 will receive a Student Agenda (cost of \$5.00) from their teacher. Please also **subscribe to our school website** to receive the <u>Dundas Central "Parent Week</u> <u>Ahead"</u> delivered to your inbox at the end of each week.

https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/dundascentral/subscribe/

**Transportation delays** may be experienced during start-up; your cooperation and understanding is greatly appreciated. Please call Hamilton-Wentworth Student Transportation Services HWSTS at **905.523.2318 for route information and bus delays**.

I look forward to meeting you.

Sincerely,

Laura Bartkiw,

Principal



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## Looking Ahead:

- September 20 PA Day (no school for students on this day)
- September 25 Meet the Teacher Event at 6:30 p.m.
- October 2 School Picture Day
- October 2 Volunteer Orientation Session at 6:30 p.m. in the Library/Learning Commons
- October 2 School Council Elections and 1<sup>st</sup> meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Library/Learning Commons