December 23rd, 2016

Dear Parents, Guardians and Caregivers

I just wanted to take this time to wish all of the Earl Kitchener Families a wonderful holiday season! It is a special time of year and it is nice to spend time with family and friends. I hope everyone has a healthy and joyous break and I look forward to seeing everyone in 2017!

We have some staffing changes as we start back on January 9<sup>th</sup> 2017. They are listed below.

- I would like to welcome Mrs. J. VanDuzen to Earl Kitchener as a temporary Vice Principal. Mrs. VanDuzen is a retired Principal with HWDSB and we are excited to have her as part of our staff.
- Ms. M. Tansley will be our new Learning Resource Teacher. She is taking over for Mrs. Ngan and will be a great partner for Mme Prevec.
- Ms. Sloan will be a new face at the office on Wednesdays and Fridays. She is filling in for Ms. Foster.
- Mr. Bozic will be the LTO teacher for Mlle Thomassian's grade 5 French Immersion class starting January 12<sup>th</sup>.
- Mme Collins will be returning to grade two at the end of January for three days a week and Mme Ogilvie will continue to be the teacher for the other two days.
- Mme Ogilvie will also be the teacher on Day 3 filling in for Mme Wells at the end of January.
- Mr. Merkus continues to be with Mrs. Rodney in Kindergarten and Mme Gagnon-Phipps will continue to be with us in grade 4 FI.

We look forward to a great 2017!

Sincerely,

Richelle Bratuz Principal Earl Kitchener School

