# Weekly Reminders from Earl Kitchener School...

Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>: Holiday Concert – schedule listed below

Thursday, December 19th: Lunch Lady (for students that have ordered)

: Mad Science (last session)

Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup>: Last Day of School before Holidays – Pajama Day

### Other .....

Student Snacks

We have had a lot of students coming down to ask for extra snacks over the past few weeks. Please ensure that you pack EXTRA food for your children (especially on bad weather days when they are inside for recess), as we don't always have extra at the school. Also discuss with you children that the snacks are meant to supplement students that have no lunch, or have finished their food.

## Lunch Utensils

As more warm lunches are being packed for school, please ensure that your child has a spoon and fork as needed so that they can easily enjoy their food. The school does <u>not</u> have forks, and spoons are very limited.

<u>Holiday Concert –</u> Doors will open <u>15 minutes prior</u> to the performance. Entrance is through the <u>Stanley Street doors only</u>, not the front doors.

Tuesday December 17<sup>th</sup> will be our annual Holiday Concert. Below are the times:

Kindergarten: 9:30am

Primary: 11:30am – Primary Choir (grades 1 &2) – Primary Classes – Mme Cantagalli, Mme Kohler, Mme MacCuish, Mme Langlois-Quintal, Mme Belforte, Mme Hall, Mme Chapman, Mme A. Blais, Mrs. Walkinshaw, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Sargant.

Junior: 1:30pm Junior Choir (grades 3,4,5) -Junior Classes– Mme Hanna, Mme DiTomasso, Mlle BrindAmour-McClure, Mlle C. Blais, Mlle Baker, Mme Baxter, Mrs. Matthews.

1:30pm – Ukelele – 3 groups from after school

#### **French Immersion Registration Information**

Please visit the Hamilton Wentworth District School Board website at <u>www.hwdsb.on.ca</u> for important details regarding registration. Below are some key dates to keep in mind:

January 20, 2020 – Deadline for applications to be submitted February 28, 2020 – Program locations offered to parents/guardians March 13, 2020 – Deadline for program acceptance and registration



## **Burlington Bowl – Free Bowling Coupons**

Burlington Bowl has provided the school with coupons for some free bowling, which are valid until March 12, 2020. If you are interested, please have your child come by the office to pick up some of the coupons.

## **Inclement Weather**

As the winter weather is now upon us, please remember that school inclement weather policies are outlined on the school board website at <u>www.hwdsb.on.ca</u>. Please understand that with the winter weather, busses will likely run behind schedule on some days. You can check the school board website under "transportation" for updates as they come in.

Also, please remember that it is your choice whether to send your child to school during inclement weather. Should you decide it is not safe to send your child, please be sure to call the school at (905) 528-0223, and leave a message so we know that your child is safe. This line is available for messages 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.



With winter here, please ensure that your child is dressed accordingly. <u>Snow pants, boots, hats,</u> <u>mitts and jackets are essential</u>. Parents may also want to put extra socks and mitts in your child's backpack for those sloppy days. Also, please ensure that all items are <u>labelled</u> with your child's first and last names, as there are many pairs of black snow pants!

## UPCOMING....

Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>: Holiday Concert (performance times listed above)

Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup>: Last day of school before Winter Break – Pajama Day

Monday, December 23, 2019 – Friday, January 6, 2020 (inclusive): Winter Break - school closed

Monday, January 6, 2020: First Day Back to School

