



# Elizabeth Bagshaw Elementary School

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## November 2020 Newsletter #2

### Readiness for Distance Learning Survey. Do You Have Access to Technology?

The Board has extended the deadline for The Readiness for Distance Learning Survey to Fri. Dec. 20 to give parents additional time to outline their child(ren)'s device/Internet needs. A short 2-question survey has been posted to the Parent Portal and to our Board Website asking families to assess their preparedness to have students learn from home. Parents will need to complete a separate survey for each of their children. This survey is being conducted at request of the Ministry of Education, and in the event that we have another school closure because of COVID, families begin to assess their preparedness to have students learn from home. For parents that have difficulty accessing the Parent Portal, a fillable PDF of the survey has been uploaded to the HWDSB website: <https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/about/covid19/student-screening-translated-documents/>. If you need a hard copy please contact the school and we can print and send home the Equity of Access Form for you.



### Public Health/HWDSB Protocols

As COVID-19 cases in Hamilton continue to climb and the city is moved into the Red Zone, we have decided as a school to become stricter on enforcing the COVID-19 protocols. Please ensure that your children are coming to school with masks. We are still seeing a few of them show up with no masks. Ideally, it would be great for them to have two masks so they can change one during the day. Also, parents are reminded that during drop off and pick up that they need to be wearing a mask when on board property.



### PA Day—November 17th

Next Friday, November 27th is Parent Teacher Communication Day. Elementary school educators will use a half day on November 27 to connect with parents/guardians/caregivers to discuss student progress and next steps. At this point teachers will be communicating about students they have concerns about. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, all meetings and communications must be done virtually using board standardized tools or by phone.

**In-person meetings are not permitted.**



### Naming of New School

Just a reminder that Bagshaw Elementary School will be closing at the end of this school year and our students will either attend the new school on the Glen Campus or Sir Wilfred Laurier. The new school on the Glen Campus site will serve those students currently attending:

- Glen Brae Elementary School;
- Glen Echo Elementary School;
- Sir Isaac Brock Elementary School; and some students attending
- Elizabeth Bagshaw Elementary School
- Sir Wilfrid Laurier Elementary School

To submit a suggested name for the new school, please complete the survey at [hwdsb.info/schoolnaming](http://hwdsb.info/schoolnaming) by 4 p.m. on Thursday, January 14, 2021.

