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Dear parents and guardians:

Re: Upcoming EQAO Grade 9 Assessment of Mathematics

Between November 1st and November 8th, our Grade 9 students learning in person will be taking part in the Education Quality and Accountability Office's (EQAO's) online Grade 9 Assessment of Mathematics. The purpose of this assessment is to evaluate student learning of the knowledge and skills in the Grade 9 mathematics curriculum.

Students will complete the assessment in two sessions (Session A and Session B), and each session will be completed in one sitting. The assessment will automatically adapt to the individual student's level of proficiency as the student progresses through each session. Students will also be presented with a questionnaire.

After the assessment sessions are complete, teachers will receive individual student results. The results may count toward up to 10% of a student's final course mark.

For more information about EQAO and to view a sample test, visit EQAO's website (www.eqao.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "T Powell".

Mr. Timothy Powell
Principal, Nora Frances Henderson