



Hess Street Elementary School

PROUD SCHOOL OF HAMILTON-WENTWORTH DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

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Dear Parents/Guardians/Caregivers

One of the most effective and rewarding ways that caregivers can get involved in their children's learning is by being active in their school council. You can have the opportunity to voice your opinions on school issues, on behalf of parents and community members in your school community.

Research shows that caregiver involvement is the most significant factor contributing to a child's success in school. Caregivers' active participation in school activities improves your student's achievement, increases school attendance and decreases student dropout. Students succeed when parents have a positive attitude about the importance of a good education.

- Yes! I would like to join School Council as an elected member.** I understand that an elected position requires more involvement and responsibilities than a general member does. I understand that this role involves attending evening parent council meetings.
Please fill out the form on the back of this paper and return it to Hess Street School.

- Yes! I would like to join School Council as a general member.** I am interested in having my voice and opinions heard about my child's school and education.
All meetings are open to parents who wish to attend. Please join us for these meetings at any time during the year. Meeting dates will be posted on the school's web site. <https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/hessstreet/>

Please send the above form complete to Hess Street School or contact the School office to share your interest.

Please consider serving your Hess Street School Community

Respectfully yours

S. Johnston
Principal



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I wish to declare my candidacy for an elected position as a representative on the School Council.

Name (Last): _____ Name (First): _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Alt. Phone # : _____

Email: _____

I am the caregiver of:

Last: _____ First: _____ Grade: _____

Last: _____ First: _____ Grade: _____

Last: _____ First: _____ Grade: _____

Last: _____ First: _____ Grade: _____

who is currently registered at Hess Street School.

I am an employee of the school board yes no

Signature: _____ Date: _____

*******Please send to Hess Street School's office by September 23, 2022.*******

You can send this information to the school's email address, if you require a hard copy please contact the school's office or your child(ren)'s teacher(s):

Elementary-HessStreet@hwdsbonca.onmicrosoft.com