

## Lawfield Elementary School

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

**RE: Class Reorganization** 

This school year has presented unique challenges to Ontario schools, as well as new options for students to learn in-person or remotely.

Each fall, HWDSB reviews elementary student enrolment in schools, and reorganizes staffing if actual enrolment differs from spring projections. It is normal for student enrolment to fluctuate a little.

This year, the fall reorganization is more widespread due to the in-person/remote option for students, as well as the ongoing need to meet provincial class size requirements.

Specifically, at our school, the reorganization will mean a decrease in teaching staff and the closing of several classrooms in primary, junior and intermediate divisions. Due to the reduction in staff and classes, impacted students will be moved into new classrooms, in some cases a different teacher has been assigned. Here is how our school is impacted:

Reducation of 2 Kindergarten Classes

Reduction of 1 Primary Class

September	November
English – KA, KB, KC, KD, 1, 1/2, 2/3	English – KA, KB, 1, 2/3
French – 1, 1, 1/2, 2, 3, 3	French – 1, 1, 1/2, 2, 3, 3

Reduction of 1 Junior Class

September	November
English – 3/4, 4/5, 5, 6, 6	English – 3/4, 4/5, 5/6, 6
French – 3/4, 4, 4/5, 5/6, 6	French – 3/4, 4, 4/5, 5/6, 6

Reduction of 2 Intermediate Classes

September	November
English – 6/7, 7, 7/8, 8, 8, 8	English – 6/7, 7, 7/8, 8, 8
French – 6/7, 7/8, 8	French – 7, 8

We apologize for any disruption this may cause and appreciate your understanding. Families of students impacted by this reorganization will be notified in writing.

As always, our team of dedicated educators will work with you to ensure your child is well cared for and experiences educational success.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school.

Sincerely,

S. Goodman J. Miscas Principal Vice Principal