



# Memorial Elementary School

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**School Starts at 8:45AM.**  
Please be on time.

### Important Dates in September

Sept 6<sup>th</sup> – **FIRST** day of school Grade 1-8  
Sept 6<sup>th</sup> – **JK ONLY** orientation (teachers will email appointment time)  
Sept 7<sup>th</sup> – **ALL** FDK students first full day

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### Drop Off and Pick Up

Supervision on the playground begins at 8:30 am. There is NO supervision prior to that time so we ask that students not arrive prior to 8:30 am.

Supervision at the end of the day will end at 3:20.

A reminder that courtesy transportation will not be approved until at least September 30<sup>th</sup>. Forms are available in the office.

**Please do not bring dogs on the property**

### **Greetings Memorial Families,**

We made it! Even though it has been a challenging year we are so proud of how hard staff and students have worked and the flexibility they have shown in all working/learning environments for the 2021/2022 school year.

**Commencement:** Thank you to our organizers for the special event put together for our Grade 8 students. The 102<sup>nd</sup> Commencement at Memorial was a success. Thank you to our School Council for their support of the evening.

**Belongings:** Please remind your child to collect and bring all belongings home before the last day of school. There will be no access to schools after June 29<sup>th</sup> 2022.

**Report Cards:** Report cards will be sent home on Monday, June 27<sup>th</sup>. Please connect with your child's teacher before the 29<sup>th</sup> if you have any questions.

**First day of School Procedures:** On Tuesday September 6<sup>th</sup> all students (Grade 1-8) will arrive and head to the back playground. Teachers will be outside to greet students to and support any students in finding their line. A reminder that parents/guardians/caregivers can access their Parent Portal account to find out who their child's teacher is. Accounts will be updated in August. Please call the school (last week of August) if you have any difficulty. All senior Kindergarten students start on Wednesday September 7<sup>th</sup> and will meet in the FDK kinder pen.

**Good-byes:** Unfortunately, some of our Mustang staff will be moving on to new schools. We want to thank them all for their dedication to Memorial over the years. Good-bye, Thank you and Good luck at your new schools: Mr. Robertson, Mr. Early, Ms. Lapierre, Miss Bozicovic, Ms. Simm, Ms. Clairmont, Mr. Leanage Mrs. Porterfield and Ms. Macpherson.



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Thank you to all of our outgoing LTO staff. We hope to see you again at Memorial:  
Ms. Robinson, Ms. Cuddy, Ms. Brayshaw, Ms. Massicotte, Mr. Poaps, Ms. Horton, Ms.  
Surrendran, Ms. Okpere and Miss Perks!

**Welcomes** – New Staff will be announced and welcomed in our September Newsletter as we  
still have some hiring to do over the summer months.

Thank you again to our families for your perseverance and ongoing support of the Memorial  
team of educators throughout the school year. We truly appreciate your tireless efforts to support  
your children during the ups and downs of the 2021/2022 school year.

Sincerely,

Fatima Ziric  
Principal  
Memorial Elementary School