

HWDSB

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Dear Parents, Guardians and Caregivers,

Please let me take this opportunity to thank you for choosing HWDSB to help your child get off to the best possible start at school. The primary years are enriching for young learners as they explore the world around them, learn to solve problems and make new friends.

At HWDSB, we also know that each student is unique in his or her learning, and we work to ensure that our programs help all students reach their full potential. French Immersion is one such program.

French Immersion is a proven way of acquiring excellent language skills in French. The French Immersion program at HWDSB is specifically designed for parents who do not speak French but want their children to speak both official languages. The program is open to all students in Hamilton-Wentworth, starting in Grade 1. The following Virtual Information Session is planned for parents considering French Immersion as an option for their child, born in 2015:

Virtual Information Session:

7 to 8 p.m., Tuesday, November 17, 2020, through Microsoft Teams –
http://bit.ly/fi_hwdsb

If you cannot attend the Virtual Information Session above but would like information about our French Immersion program, you can view the presentation after the meeting on our website at www.hwdsb.on.ca/fi.

To learn more about French Immersion at HWDSB, please visit our website at hwdsb.on.ca/fi, talk to your principal or email fi@hwdsb.on.ca.

We look forward to continuing our journey to excellence together.

Sincerely,



Bill Torrens
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