

## Summer 2024 Update

We welcome the summer and time provided to be in the sunshine surrounded by nature and personal reflection.

Students and staff have enjoyed a successful year together and say farewell, for now, with a sense of gratitude for the experiences gained this year.

We ask that you review your child's report card with celebration, and a focus on gains and achievements made this year, while looking to next steps with an open heart.

**Staffing Update**: We wish our Learning Resource Teacher **Mrs. Rainford** a wonderful retirement after 26 years of service at the HWDSB. Mrs. Rainford has many exciting plans for retirement. We are grateful for the committed and devoted work of Mrs. Rainford at Rosedale School, on behalf of all the students, staff, and families she has worked with. Our Learning Resource Teacher role will be filled by Mrs. Contant who is an experienced LRT within our Board. Welcome from Bellmore **Mrs. Contant.** 

We also send our best wishes to **Mrs. Campbell** who will be working at Ridgemount School, closer to home and her new puppy, and to **Mrs. Murdock** who is looking toward to a new beginning at Queen Victoria School this fall. We welcome **Mrs. Brown**, from Guy Brown School who will be teaching Grade 112 at Rosedale this September.

We thank our current LTO's (long term occasional teachers and educational assistants) who have been with us this school year. This includes **Mrs. Theodoropoulos, Ms. Powell, Ms. Ing, and Ms. Forsyth**. We hope you have enjoyed your time at Rosedale and wish you all the best as you move forward in your careers. Ms. Forsyth, Mrs. Theodoropoulos and Ms. Ing are the successful candidates of our job postings and will continue their roles at Rosedale this Fall. Congratulations Ms. Powell who has acquired a full- time permanent position at Viscount Montgomery and welcome Mr. Hassan who will work in our Grade 1l2 class on Day 4's.

In addition, we thank **Mrs. Steele** our Office Administrator who has been working in the office at Rosedale while Mrs. Crispo is on leave. We have all come to know and admire Mrs. Steele for her efficient work, and her warm and genuine manner with students.

**Report Cards** – Term 2 Report cards were carried home on Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup>. Please check your child's backpack for this document. Any report cards that are not distributed due to student absence will be available for pick up in the office during the week of August 26<sup>th</sup>.

September class placements: Will be available in the Parent Portal the week before school begins (August 26<sup>th</sup>). Families may also call the school during the week of August 26 for this information, however we encourage you to check the parent portal before calling. Class placement is a very thoughtful process undertaken by staff each year as individual student profiles are created and reviewed for every student. It takes many hours to place students accordingly. We thank you for respecting our staffs' professional judgment when placing students into their new class for September. In addition, each September enrollment is revisited by HWDSB, and there is always the potential for school reorganization. This typically occurs by Thanksgiving. Please note as a result classes may change. If your child's placement changes this fall, you will be notified via letter.

**Lost and Found**: If you are missing any items, please check our lost and found bin located in the front foyer of our school. All remaining items will be donated or discarded over the summer.

Home and School – Thank you to Home and School for purchasing Rosedale a new chest freezer. Our current model had exhausted itself this year and we appreciate this purchase for our school. As well, our Home and School Association is to be commended for a successful annual Fun Fair enjoyed by the whole school community last week. Finally, thank you Home and School for purchasing our celebration cakes for our Kinder and Grade 5 students.

**Construction**- Construction toward our new gymnasium, classroom and Learning Commons is scheduled to commence in July. We will provide update in August regarding the status of these enhancements to Rosedale School.

School Agendas for 2024 2025 – Donations toward Grades 1-5 school agendas for 2024 2025 will be available for through School Cash Online in the coming weeks. Please watch your email for the notice. The School Agenda serves as an important tool to ensure important home and school communication is made between caregivers and school staff each day. Agendas are a suggested donation of \$5.00 each.

The Last Day of School for students in 2023 2024 – is Thursday, June the 27<sup>th</sup>.

## 2024 2025 School Year:

- Our school office re opens on Monday, August 26<sup>th</sup> between 9 am and 1 pm.
- The first day of school **for Grades 1-5** will be on Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024.
- JK students begin scheduled visits on Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> and there will be no school for SK students on this day.
- All JK and SK students begin full day attendance on Wednesday, September 4<sup>th</sup>.
- Bell time for student entry is 8:20 am and for dismissal is 2:40 pm.
- The school year calendar can be found here <a href="https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/HWDSB-Elementary-School-Calendar-2024-25-5-Day-ONE-PAGE-FINAL.pdf">https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/HWDSB-Elementary-School-Calendar-2024-25-5-Day-ONE-PAGE-FINAL.pdf</a>

DRAFT Rosedale Staff List September 2024

CLASS	Room #	STAFF MEMBER
FDKA	127	G Murdock (Teacher)
		M Bodor (DECE)
FDKB	126	L Winter (Teacher)
		A Williamson (DECE)
FDKC	122	M Theodoropoulos LTO (Teacher)
		S Dubeau (DECE)
1A	109	J Lipnicky (Teacher)
1B	106	J Davies (Teacher)
1l2A	107	N Brown (Teacher)0.8
		U Hassan (Teacher) 0.2
2A	105	C Shewell (Teacher)
2l3A	123	K Kobayashi (Teacher) FTE 0.8
		A Butwick (Teacher) FTE 0.2
3 A	P1	P Nugyen (Teacher)
3/4A	P2	A Jackson (Teacher) FTE 0.6
		E Ing LTO (Teacher) FTE 0.4
4A	124	A Bellenie (Teacher)
4I5A	P4	K Adamczyk (Teacher)
5A	P3	S Harvey (Teacher)
FrenchlLiblPRep		M Duval (Teacher)
GymlMusiclPrep		J Vince (Teacher)
GymlPrep		A Cognigni (Teacher) FTE 0.6
Prep		A Butwick (Teacher) FTE 0.1
LRT		S Contant (Teacher)
EA		A Cowell (Educational Assistant)
EA		S Payne (Educational Assistant)
EA		T MacDonald (Educational Assistant)
EA		K Stoez (Educational Assistant)
EA		L Napper (Educational Assistant pm)
EA		S Battersby (Educational Assistant am)
EA		A Forsyth (Educational Assistant)
Caretakers	112	TBD & G McNeil
Spec Ed Consultant		TBD
Reading Specialist		L Feere
ESL Teacher		C Shaw
Office		T Crispo
Administrator		
Principal		L Bartkiw