



Fall 2025 Update

Hello Rosedale Families;

We hope everyone has felt a smooth transition back to school. In all of our learning spaces, we have settled into our routines, and our days are filled with learning and play.

A few updates to share:

School Entry and Exit Routines – An enormous thanks to our school community for getting your child to school on time to enter with their classroom team. Thank you as well for your prompt pick up at 2:40 pm each day. In addition, with your support, all students are safe and supervised on the yard when caregivers remain behind the gates. This encourages independence and confidence in your child, a lifelong skill that will benefit them in the years to come. Our transitions are running smoothly as we all work together.

School Council Elections– All schools in Ontario are invited to form a School Council. We are pleased to attach information here regarding the role of the school council and the election process. Please read the attached information carefully. We will have paper copies of nomination forms available in the office should you wish to put forward your name to become a School Council Executive Member, or Voting Member. Please let your child's teacher know if you need a paper copy of the forms, and we will send them home in the school agenda. The **election will be held on Wednesday, October 1st at 5:00 pm in Room 124 at Rosedale School**. The School Council election will precede the Home and School Meeting also held on this evening beginning at 6:00 pm.

Meet The Educator Night & Scholastic Book Fair– We welcome our families to meet their educators on **Thursday, October 9th from 3:30-5:00 pm**. We invite our families to meet their child's educators and to see their classroom environment. This is not a time for interviews or to speak about your child's progress, as there are many people present and a teacher needs to maintain confidentiality. An opportunity for discussion about your child's progress will be given after the Progress Report is carried home on November 18th. Please visit the Scholastic Book Fair while you are here. More information to come.

Volunteer Orientation Session

We appreciate our dedicated volunteers who share their time and skills in support of Rosedale School. If you are interested in Volunteering with us, we will offer a **Volunteer Orientation Session** on the evening of Meet the Educator Night. Please meet in Room 103 at 4:00 pm to learn about volunteering and to

receive necessary forms to complete. Current volunteers are invited to attend to sign your yearly offence declaration.

School Agendas for 2025 2026 – Donations toward school agendas for 2025 2065 will be available through School Cash Online. The School Agenda serves as an important tool to ensure home and school communication is made between caregivers and school staff each day. Agendas are offered for a suggested donation of \$5.00 each. Please note that agendas are not paid for by the Board, and come out of our overall school budget. We sell them at cost and our invoice is approximately \$1,500.00. We appreciate those who are able to cover the cost of their child's agenda, and/ or who can donate to cover the cost of another child in the school. All students will receive an agenda.

Terry Fox Run – Our Terry Fox Run is on **Thursday September 25th**. All donations are received through the Terry Fox Foundation. You can access the Terry Fox Rosedale Fundraiser page here.

<https://schools.terryfox.ca/69410>

Events

September 19 – PA Day – No school for students today

September 19 – Home and School Movie Night at 7:00 pm.

September 22 – First Day of Autumn

September 23 – **School Photo Day**

September 24 – October Pizza online orders are due today

September 25 – Terry Fox Run – (donate online – details to come)

September 30 – Orange Shirt Day / Wear Orange today– Indigenous observance *Truth & Reconciliation*

October 1 – School Council Elections and First Meeting at 5:00-6:00 pm

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October 2 – Caretakers Day

October 5 – World Teacher Day

October 9 – Meet the Teacher Event and Scholastic Book Fair from 3:00-5:00 pm

October 13 – Thanksgiving Holiday

October 21 – DECE Day

October 24 – PD Day – No school for students today

October 31 – Boo-gie-a-thon & Halloween Events * more information to come

