



Jeff Gillies
Superintendent of Student Achievement
Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board
20 Education Court, P.O. Box 2558
Hamilton, ON L8N 3L1
905-527-5092 ext. 2361

December 15, 2020

To parents & guardians of students at Elizabeth Bagshaw, Glen Brae, Glen Echo, Sir Isaac Brock, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier

Re: Transition of Students to New Glen School and Sir Wilfrid Laurier - September 2021

As part of the East Hamilton Accommodation Review the new Kindergarten to Grade 8 elementary school being built beside Glen Brae is nearing completion. **This new school is scheduled to open in September 2021** and will accommodate students at Glen Brae, Glen Echo, Sir Isaac Brock, Elizabeth Bagshaw (Zone 4) and Sir Wilfrid Laurier (Zone 3). Students residing within Elizabeth Bagshaw (Zone 5) will transfer to Sir Wilfrid Laurier in September 2021.

Once students transfer to the new school and Sir Wilfrid Laurier School, Glen Brae, Glen Echo, Sir Isaac Brock, and Elizabeth Bagshaw will close.

In the new year, two committees will be formed with representation from all impacted schools to engage in two important processes:

1. **Transition Planning Committee** – will help guide plans for a smooth transition of students to their new schools;
2. **School Naming Committee** – will provide the Board of Trustees with recommendations for naming the new school at the Glen Brae site.

Thank you for your support of this project. If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact your school Principal or Vice-Principal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Gillies".

Jeff Gillies
Superintendent of Student Achievement, Family of Schools 1

HWDSB

Jeff Gillies
Superintendent of Student Achievement
Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board
20 Education Court, P.O. Box 2558
Hamilton, ON L8N 3L1
905-527-5092 ext. 2361

HWDSB

East Hamilton School Consolidation Plan

ZONE 1

All Glen Echo and Glen Brae (Regular Track) students move to the new school on the Glen Brae site. Glen Echo School to be closed. Glen Brae School to be closed and demolished.

ZONE 2

All Sir Isaac Brock students move to the new school on the Glen Brae site. Sir Isaac Brock School to be closed.

ZONE 3

Sr Wilfrid Laurier students move to the new school on the Glen Brae site.

ZONE 4

Elizabeth Bagshaw students move to the new school on the Glen Brae site. Elizabeth Bagshaw School to be closed.

ZONE 5

Elizabeth Bagshaw students move to Sr Wilfrid Laurier School. Elizabeth Bagshaw School to be closed.

ZONE 6

Sr Wilfrid Laurier students remain at Sr Wilfrid Laurier School.

