

November 23/20

Dear Albion Heights Parents:

Welcome to winter!!

Hope everyone continues to wear their PPE and social distance to keep safe.

Here are more updates:

In School Parent Interviews:

I hope everyone had a chance to have their parent/teacher interview last week. If you missed your interview please email your child's teacher to reschedule.

Virtual School Report Cards/Interviews:

The progress reporting period for Elementary Virtual School has been extended by two weeks and the Kindergarten Communication of Learning and Gr. 1-8 Progress Reports will be sent home between November 30 and December 3rd, 2020.

PA Day for Virtual School is on Friday, December 4th, 2020. Parent/guardian-teacher conferences will take place on Friday, December 4th. All parents/guardians of Junior and Senior Kindergarten students and students in Grades 1-8 will be given the opportunity to meet with their child's teacher either virtually or by phone.

French Immersion Information: French Programs Application Deadline

For families interested in the Toronto District School Board's system-wide French Programs, we offer an online process to apply for Early French Immersion (begins in Senior Kindergarten) and Middle French Immersion (begins in Grade 4). An offer of placement in the program (not a specific school) is guaranteed to all on-time applicants. The timelines for applying for these programs for September 2021 are:

Early French Immersion: Applications must be completed online between November 2 and November 27, 2020.

Middle French Immersion: Applications must be completed online between January 4 and January 29, 2021.

Offers of placement within your chosen program (not a specific school) will be made to all on-time applicants in the weeks following the close of the application

window. Families with an older sibling currently in a French program are still required to complete an online application for the new student.

For more information about the Virtual Information Sessions, please visit www.tdsb.on.ca/Elementary-School/School-Choices/French-Programs/Information-Sessions.

For more information about French as a Second Language programs, the application process and important dates, please visit www.tdsb.on.ca/french.

COVID Clinics: Upcoming Community Pop-Up Testing Clinics in north Etobicoke

1. Tuesday, November 24th, 2020 – 10:00am to 3:00pm at Elmbank Community Recreation Centre, 10 Rampart Road

2. Saturday, November 28th, 2020 – 10:00am to 4:00pm at Thistleton (Thistledown) Community Centre, 925 Albion Road

Google Classrooms for in-school students

Please make sure that you have accepted your child's teacher's invitation to receive the summary email for your child's google classroom in school.

Schools Left Open

As of now, there will be no extension to the Christmas Holidays but this could change. Friday December 18 is the last day of school before the holidays. The return date is Monday, January 4.

No Nuts at School for in-school students

A reminder that due to many students who have life threatening allergies to nuts, no nut products are to be brought to the school.

Stay safe.

Sincerely,

Sandra Buie and Angana Naik