

AMG Weekly Message
April 29, 2022

Reminder - Thank You Card for AMG Staff

Hey AMG Community,

Next week is teacher appreciation week, and AMG parent council is putting together a little something to thank the extremely hard-working, super dedicated, and wonderfully supportive school staff and administration.

On Wednesday May 4th, we will be providing a deliciously carb-loaded breakfast from our friends at Mabel's on Queen for the whole staff at AMG and the Grove. We're so excited to be giving a little something to the teachers to show them our appreciation.

We'll also be presenting them with this [virtual card](#). **Now here's where we need your help.** We want as many people in the AMG community to share their message of thanks to the teachers, support staff and administration. The link to google slides is open and the document can be edited by anyone who has the link. Please share this message with your neighbours, your kids' friends' parents, and anyone else associated with the school.

The [virtual card](#) has a slide or two per classroom, as well as slides for the principal and vice principle, the office staff team, the "bonus teachers", the lunchroom team and the caretaker team. In each slide, you'll find little rectangles marked "message here". Find one and add your message in its place. It's been a rough few years for teachers (well, all of us...), and so we want to shower the staff with gratitude, compliments and praise.

I'll be closing it up one week from today, on Tuesday May 3rd, so I can clean it up for presentation.

Thank you for helping!
AMG Parent Council

FlipGive - An Easy Way to Support AMG

Hi AMG Families,

The AMG parent council is always looking for ways to raise funds to support the school. We're excited to have found FlipGive, an app that allows you to shop at all your favourite online stores while raising money for the school at the same time! Just remember to use FlipGive (either the website or the app) to make your purchases, and a % of the value of your purchase is donated back to our account.

Funds collected via FlipGive are managed by AMG's parent council and go directly to the school to support our students and teachers. Parent council, in consultation with school administration, the teachers, and fellow AMG parents, will decide how the funds are spent.

These are some of the vendors that you can shop at but there are many more! Some give as much as 10% back to AMG.



Join our team now and you'll get a \$5 bonus the first time you shop: <https://flipgive.app.link/teams/join?joincode=PVTHGT>

Or enter this code: PVTHGT

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Join the Conversation: Nurturing Children's Gender and Identity, with Presenter Vivek Shraya

TDSB parents/caregivers are invited to join us for two new engaging and informative conversations on topics we heard you want to learn more about. Hear from leading experts and participate in question and answer sessions online. Our next sessions are:

Nurturing Children's Gender and Identity, with Presenter Vivek Shraya

Thursday, May 19, 2022

6:30 - 8 p.m.

Join at www.tdsb.on.ca/conversation

Join the Conversation: Parent Reboot Recorded Session with Dr. Shefali Tsabary

TDSB is pleased to be offering parents/caregivers FREE access to this great three hour recording Reboot session with Dr. Shefali Tsabary who will help answer parents/caregivers questions and concerns on 5 stressors for parents/caregivers (1) screen addition, (2) children disrespect (3) lying (4) tantrum and (5) anxiety. The session provides golden nuggets to address the 5 stressors. Visit www.tdsb.on.ca/conversation to sign-up for free access to the recording.

These conversations are jointly hosted by the TDSB's Parent and Community Engagement Office and the Parent Involvement Advisory Committee and generously supported by the Ministry of Education's Parents Reaching Out Grants. Learn more at www.tdsb.on.ca/conversation

