**EARLY FRENCH IMMERSION**

**2017-2018**

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# Parents/Guardians of Children in Junior Kindergarten

 *You have a choice to make about French programming for your child. Across the TDSB we offer two programs:*

*Early French Immersion (SK) and Junior Extended French (Gr.4)*

***Senior Kindergarten*** *is the ONLY time your child can begin the* ***Early Immersion*** *program.*

***What is Early Immersion?***

Early Immersion programs are designed for students who do not speak French at home. The Early French Immersion program provides the maximum French language experience available in our schools.

Early Immersion begins in Senior Kindergarten. All class activities are conducted in French until the end of grade 3 although some specialist subjects like Phys. Ed. may be taught in English.

English is introduced in Grade 4 for about one hour per day and increases to half of the daily class time by Grade 6.

After Grade 8, students continue the French Immersion program at designated secondary schools. Students who successfully complete a minimum of 10 credits in French at the secondary school level are eligible for a Certificate of Bilingual Studies in French.

**To find the French Immersion school for your area, please visit the following website and enter the name of your English school in the designated search window:**

[**www.tdsb.on.ca/ElementarySchool/SchoolChoices/FrenchPrograms**](http://www.tdsb.on.ca/ElementarySchool/SchoolChoices/FrenchPrograms)

*\*Catchments are based on the student’s home address and may change in accordance with TDSB procedures*

Public information meetings will be held at the following schools.

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| School | Address | Date | Time  |
| Adam Beck PS  | 400 Scarborough Rd.416-393-1682 | November 23, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Alexander Stirling PS | 70 Fawcett Trail416-396-6020 | November 9, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Allenby PS | 391 St. Clements Ave.416-393-9115 | November 10, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Beverly Glen PS  | 85 Beverly Glen Blvd416-396-6055 | November 24, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Birch Cliff PS | 1650 Kingston Rd416-396-6060 | November 16, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Blake St | 21 Boultbee Ave416-393-9415 | November 23, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Bowmore Rd | 80 Bowmore Rd(416) 393-9450 | November 8, 2016 | 7:00 pm |
| Brian JS  | 95 Brian Ave.416-395-2080 | November 24, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Brimwood Blvd PS  | 151 Brimwood Blvd.416-396-6085 | November 9, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Broadacres PS | 45 Crendon Dr416-394-7030 | December 1, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Broadlands PS  | 106 Broadlands Blvd.416-395-2090 | November 16, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Brown PS  | 454 Avenue Rd.416-393-1560 | November 10, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Carleton Village PS | 315 Osler St416-393-1600 | November 16, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Chief Dan George PS | 185 Generation Blvd.416-396-6150 | November 17, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Clairlea PS  | 25 Rosalind Cres416-396-6167 | November 16, 2016 | 5:30 pm |
| Cliffwood PS  | 140 Cliffwood Rd.416-395-2230 | November 23, 2016 | 6:15 pm |
| Corvette PS  | 30 Corvette Ave416-396-6180 | November 23, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Dallington PS  | 18 Dallington Dr.416-395-2270 | November 24, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Davisville PS  | 43 Millwood Rd416-393-0570 | November 15, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Derrydown PS  | 120 Derrydown Rd.416-395-2310 | November 1, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Dewson PS  | 65 Concord Ave.416-393-9120 | November 24, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Duke of Connaught PS | 70 Woodfield Rd416-393-9455 | November 9, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Dundas PS | 935 Dundas St E 416-393-9565 | November 21, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Dunlace PS  | 20 Dunlace Dr.416-395-2370 | November 24, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Earl Beatty PS  | 55 Woodington Ave416-393-9070 | November 22, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Earl Haig | 15 Earl Haig Ave416-393-1640 | November 10, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Elmlea JS  | 50 Hadrian Dr.416-394-7910 | November 1, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Ernest PS | 150 Cherokee Blvd 416-395-2380 | November 23, 2016 | 6:00 pm  |
| Fern PS  | 128 Fern Ave416-393-9130 | November 10, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| General Crerar PS  | 30 McGregor Rd416-396-6255 | November 23, 2016 | 5:00 pm |
| George Syme PS  | 69 Pritchard Ave416-394-2340 | November 29, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Gledhill PS  | 2 Gledhill Ave.416-393-1745 | November 24, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Glen Park PS  | 101 Englemount Ave.416-395-2460 | November 17, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Howard PS  | 30 Marmaduke St416-393-9255 | November 29, 2016 | 7:00 pm |
| Humbercrest PS  | 14 St. Mark’s Rd416-394-2370 | November 8, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Humewood PS  | 15 Cherrywood Ave416-394-2383 | November 9, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Islington JMS  | 44 Cordova Ave,416-394-7870 | November 16, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Jackman PS  | 79 Jackman Ave.416-393-9710 | November 10th, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| John English JMS  | 95 Mimico Ave.416-394-7660 | November 9th, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| John Fisher PS  | 40 Erskine Ave.416-393-9325 | November 15, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Lester B. Pearson PS | 7 Snowcrest Ave.416-395-2650 | November 29, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Lord Lansdowne PS | 33 Robert St.416-393-1350 | November 16, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Melody Village  | 520 Silverstone Dr.416-394-7620 | November 23, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Millwood JS  | 222 Mill Rd.416-394-7070 | November 28, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Morse PS  | 180 Carlaw Ave416-393-9494 | November 15, 2016 | 6:30 pm  |
| North Agincourt PS  | 60 Moran Rd.416-396-6490 | November 22, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Northlea PS  | 305 Rumsey Rd.416-396-2395 | November 24, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Owen PS  | 111 Owen Blvd416-395-2740 | November 24, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Palmerston PS  | 734 Palmerston Ave.416-393-9305 | November 1, 2016 | 7:00 pm |
| Parkdale PS  | 78 Seaforth Ave416-393-1280 | November 16, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Pauline Johnson | 35 Dunmurray Blvd416-396-6510 | November 21, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Perth PS  | 14 Ruskin Ave416-393-1410 | November 17, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| R.H. McGregor PS  | 555 Mortimer Ave.416-396-2390 | November 9, 2016 | 7:00 pm |
| Rawlinson CS  | 231 Glenholme Ave416-394-3080 | November 22, 2016 | 7:00 pm |
| Regal Road PS  | 95 Regal Road416-393-1390 | November 9, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Rockford PS  | 60 Rockford Rd.416-395-2820 | November 3, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Rosethorn JS  | 2 Remington Dr.416-394-6360 | November 2, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Runnymede PS  | 357 Runnymede Rd.416-393-9055 | November 22, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Second Street JMS | 71 Second St 416-394-7640 | November 8, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Sir Adam Beck  | 544 Horner Ave.416-394-7670 | November 16, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Topcliff PS  | 65 Topcliff Ave416-395-2940 | November 2, 2016 | 7:00 pm |
| Tumpane PS  | 48 Tumpane St.416-395-2950 | November 23, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| William G. Miller PS  | 60 Bennett Rd.416-396-6655 | November 24, 2016 | 6.30 pm |
| W. Tredway/JS Woodsworth PS | 112 Sedgemount Dr.416-396-6660 | November 24, 2016  | 6:30 pm |
| Williamson Rd. PS  | 24 Williamson Rd.416-393-1740 | November 23, 2016 | 6:30 pm |
| Winchester PS  | 15 Prospect Ave.416-393-1270 | November 24, 2016 | 7:00 pm |
| Withrow PS  | 25 Bain Ave.416-393-9440 | November 22, 2016 | 6:00 pm |
| Yorkview PS  | 130 Yorkview Dr.416-395-2980 | November 24, 2016 | 6:00 pm |

***Applications for the Early French Immersion Program***

***are completed on-line for September 2017***

Applications to the Early French Immersion program are made the year your child is in Junior Kindergarten for entry in September of Senior Kindergarten. It is an entirely online process. **All communication will be sent via the email address you provide. Please check this email regularly.**
Please visit the application site [www.tdsb.on.ca/pars](http://www.tdsb.on.ca/pars)

* You will need your child’s date of birth and OEN. The OEN is a 9-digit number found on any report card from the TDSB.
* For non-TDSB students, please select the “Non-TDSB Student” option and follow the steps to generate an identification number. You must then return to the PARS site and follow the application procedure with this number.
* Please select Early French Immersion from the drop-down menu and complete the application process.

**On-time applicants will be offered a placement online via the email address you have provided. You MUST take action to accept this placement by the deadline requested when you are offered a placement.**

Offers of placement will be on-going through the weeks and months following the close of the application period. ***Please check your email regularly and follow all instructions found therein.***

**IMPORTANT DATES:**
Application process opens: November 1, 2016
**Deadline for applications: December 1, 2016**

*Please note: while every effort will be made to place students in the school identified as their area EFI school, this is not always possible. In cases where the number of applications in a given area is greater than the number of spaces in the school, students may be redirected to schools with available space.*

**Placements are made based on the address you provide prior to the application deadline. If your address changes between the application deadline and the fall of the SK year, there is no guarantee of placement in your new area.**

Applicants who have older siblings currently enrolled in the program and who will be in attendance the following year have a priority placement in that school

Classes with fewer than 25 students may not open.