

# **Dundas PS Weekly Updates**

Update #3 - Friday, February 16, 2018.

#### **Dear Dundas Families:**

Like so many around the world, we are shocked and saddened by the tragic school shooting in Florida this week. While we work to keep our school safe and secure through fire drills and lockdown drills, it is a good time to remind our community that once school is in session each day entry into **our** building should only be through our front door of Dundas PS nearest the flag pole. We remind all families that we expect ALL visitors to the building, including parents to sign in at the main office. Please help us to keep our students and staff safe.

### Before and After-school Programs - Parent Survey of Interest

- At Dundas PS, the TDSB is looking to better understand the current before and/or after-school child care arrangements families are using, as well as the needs for September 2018. We request that you please complete and return the 2018 Before and/or After-school Programs – Parent Survey of Interest, available through the link below.
- https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1i-L5To511J0OjZ9mHI6rH3iFS0vhXSs?usp=sharing
- Information collected through this survey will help us to identify:
  - Where new programs are needed or may need to expand to meet community needs
  - What other child care options families are currently using
- Please note that this survey must be printed on letter-size (8.5x11") white paper, double sided
  (1 page in total) and submitted to the school by February 28, 2018.
- If you do not have access to a printer or require a hard copy to be mailed to you, please contact Barbara Cini, Child Care Service Office Assistance at <a href="mailto:Barbara.cini@tdsb.on.ca">Barbara.cini@tdsb.on.ca</a>

#### **Chinese New Year Celebration**

• Thank you to all of the staff and parent volunteers who made our Chinese New Year Celebration a success. Everyone enjoyed our Lion Dancers from Queen Alexandra MS, Ms. Garcia and Ms. Duong's classes performing their ribbon and fan dance; along with our International Languages presentation of songs. The day was completed with our parents joining us for a delicious meal – Gung Hey Fat Choy!



## **February Class Trips & Events**

- Tues. Feb.20 Gr.4/5A Rm 348 University of Toronto Engineering –Coding Program
- Wed., Feb. 21 Gr. 4/5A Rm 348 to Toronto Urban Studies Centre
- Thurs., Feb. 22 Gr. 4/5B Rm 320 Government Trip
- Thurs., Feb. 22 Gr. 2/3BRm 240 to Allan Gardens
- Fri., Feb. 23 Gr. 2/3A Rm 244 to Allan Gardens
- Fri., Feb 23 Gr. 4/5A Rm 348 to Lieutenant Governor's Games
- Fri., Feb. 23 Coffee & Conversation with Georgia and Kristin
- Mon., Feb. 26 Gr. 5 English & French to MLSE Launchpad
- Tues., Feb. 27 Black History Month Presentation K-2 (9:30 am) & 2-5 (10:20 am)
- Fri., March 2 Fairness Assembly (10:20 am)