

June 15, 2021

Dear Parents, Guardians, Students and Staff of Forest Hill Collegiate Institute,

Yesterday afternoon, the Board of Trustees approved the appointment of Ms. Reiko Fuentes to the position of Centrally Assigned Principal: Secondary Programs and Admissions, effective September 1, 2021. In this role, she will support the implementation of the recommendations from the Secondary Program Review, including a revised Optional Attendance policy and procedure, a new policy on Specialized Schools and Programs, and other initiatives which will transform the landscape of secondary schools in the Toronto District School Board.

We would like to thank Ms. Fuentes for her strong leadership and dedicated commitment to students, staff and community at Forest Hill CI for the past four and a half years. During her tenure as Principal, Ms. Fuentes led the school through challenges that included labour disruption and the COVID-19 pandemic. Ms. Fuentes has also established a strong rapport and communication strategy with our parent and student communities. She has been a strong advocate for student voice, equity and inclusion in order to support all students to reach their full potential.

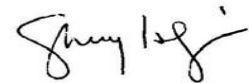
Please join us in expressing our sincere appreciation to Ms. Fuentes for her outstanding service in the Forest Hill CI community as she transitions to her new centrally assigned role with the Toronto District School Board.

As you may be aware, the next steps in determining the new Principal for the school include engaging the School Council of Forest Hill CI in the process of confirming school needs as they relate to Principal leadership. We will be sharing further information with you in the near future.

Sincerely,



Ron Felsen
Superintendent of Education, Learning Network 6



Shelley Laskin
Trustee, Ward 8