Halbert News Online

Summer Edition



Upcoming Dates

- Aug 26 Office Opens at 9 AM
- Sep 3 First Day of School at 8:55 AM
- Sep 4 Welcome Back to School Assembly
- Sep 5 Announced and Guided Fire Drill
- Sep 6 Outdoor Classroom Afternoon
- Sep 12 Announced and Guided Lock Down
- Sep 25 Welcome Back to School Family Dinner @ 5 PM
- Sep 25 Curriculum Night @ 6 PM

First Day Routines

The first day of school is Tuesday, September 3, 2019. The school bell will ring at 8:55 AM!

On the first day of **Kindergarten** students will meet in the Kindergarten Yard at the back of the school. Kindergarten educators will be there at 8:45 AM.

Students from Grades 1 to 6 will meet in the Primary Playground! Adults with bright yellow vests will be there to help you find your child's teacher. They will be there at 8:45 AM. Teacher names will also be posted on the wall.!

Kindergarten students will begin lunch at 11:30 AM. Grades 1 to 6 students will begin lunch at 11:45 AM.

Dismissal for Kindergarten students is 3:00 PM while it is 3:10 PM for students in Grade 1 - 6.

Halbert is an ECO Platinum School!

A big congratulations to our student, family and staff ECO Schools Committee!

Through all of our hard work, our school has been awarded the coveted PLATINUM Certification for the 2019-2020 school year!



Halbert Goes Cashless!!

Beginning this September, Halbert transitions to a cashless environment. All items that students and families will need to pay for (e.g., pizza, trips, etc.) can be paid online either by debit or credit card.

Please visit: <u>https://tdsb.schoolcashonline.com/</u> to register and to find out more information.

The whole registration process takes about 10 minutes to complete and you are set!!





HA Halbert is a Nut - Aware / Allergy Aware School



Please **do not** send any peanuts or tree nuts (e.g., almonds, cashews, hazelnuts, etc.) shellfish or any products made with or made of peanuts or tree nuts (e.g., chocolate almonds, chocolate bars with nuts, nutella, etc.) or shellfish for lunch or as a snack.

Safe Arrival Routines

A reminder to call school if your child will be late or absent.

One measure of keeping our students safe is to ensure we can account for any absences or reasons for being late to school. If your child is going to be absent or late for any reason, we ask that you contact the school immediately and report the reason for the absence.

416-396-3298

Safe Arrival Phone Number

Kindergarten Registration for 2020/2021 School Year



For September 2021, we will be welcoming children born in 2016 for Junior Kindergarten! If you have a child, grandchild or neighbour born in 2016, please know that Kindergarten Registration begins February 2021! In the meantime, please consider visiting the HA Halbert earlyON!

HA Halbert earlyON

The EarlyON Child and Family Centre is a program for parents and caregivers with children from infants to 6 years of age. This FREE program is located in Room # 9.

Daily activities include family story and music time, art, sand and water play, gym time and a nutritious snack.

Please visit the centre whenever you can and participate in an enjoyable play based program.

Mondays - Thursdays 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM



Child and Family Centre