



## School Council Meeting Minutes

Date: **Wednesday, April 15, 2026**

Time: 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Location: Hybrid Meeting (Library)

In attendance: A.Lane, M. Damian, B.Shujaat, S. Syed, S. Musthaq, S. Sami, S. Pathan, I. Fatima, F. Hussain

Meeting called to order	5:00 pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome</li> <li>• <b>Attendance of participants</b></li> </ul> <p>All council members and parent/caregiver attendees introduce themselves</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approval of March minutes by Chair/Executive</li> </ul>	5:00-5:10 pm
<p><b>Administrators' Report</b></p> <p><b>1. School Information -</b>  <a href="#">Book Fair</a> (April 27-May 1 - last day open PM recess) during Literacy Week</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- School purchases books for the library from the Scholastic Dollars earned</li> <li>- Family Hours for Book Fair are 3:00-3:45 p.m. daily.</li> </ul> <p>Parents can come and support Book Fair Monday-Thursday after school.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Author Visit: Tamla T. Young</a> (K-6; Friday, May 1st)</li> </ul> <p>She will read her book with all the grades. We are very excited to welcome her as she is a respected author, a Mom of two students at Malvern JPS and a TDSB educator.</p> <p><b>2. Family Wellness Night - Thursday, May 21st (5:00-6:30)</b>  Outdoor activities with many indoor activities too - more information to come.</p> <p><b>3. EQAO</b> (Parent/Caregiver webinar - Wednesday, April 29th @ 2:00 p.m.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- EQAO questions integrated into lessons throughout the school year</li> <li>- Exploration of the sample tests online and the online tools to help prepare students - May11th - May 26th</li> <li>- Specific dates for EQAO will be emailed to parents</li> <li>- Ms. Topple, Ms. Damian and Ms.Ramnaraine will be presenting at a webinar for parents/caregivers regarding EQAO</li> </ul> <p>Flyers already emailed with the meeting link included.  During EQAO as Grade 3/4 and 5/6 classes are combined, to avoid any distractions, arrangements are being made for the Grades 4 and 5 students to be supervised in the library during that time.  Parents can go on the EQAO website and get further details about EQAO.</p> <p><b>4. Grade 6 Celebration Plans:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- April pizza lunch (reserved for graduation funding)</li> <li>- Grade 6s are planning a trip, will confirm soon</li> <li>- <a href="#">Graduation ceremony</a>: Monday, June 22nd at 1:45pm</li> </ul>	5:10-5:30 pm

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Grade 6 students and staff are excited and planning is ongoing for trips, the colour theme for graduation, freezie sales to offset trip costs per student and graduation food items.</li> <li>5. <a href="#">Human Development and Sexual Health Curriculum/Exemption Process</a> - Forms due April 10th as per letter; parents will be sent Acknowledgement forms; Teachers to communicate the lesson date 10 days prior to lesson date and time will be sent home to parents.</li> <li>- We encourage families to read through the Human Development and Sexual Health expectations for their child's grade to gain a better understanding of the curriculum, and then make an informed decision.</li> <li>- When the forms are sent, the curriculum context is also shared for parents to better understand what content is being taught for the applicable grade. Supervision arrangements will be made for students who are exempted from the lesson.</li> <li>6. <a href="#">Facility Updates/Emergency Preparedness</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- On list for school corridor painting, installation of final access point in our Intensive Support Program classroom area</li> <li>- Spring lockdown and fire drills have begun</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
<p><b>Forward Planning</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Pizza Lunch - Tuesday, April 30th</b> **Grade 6 Graduation fundraising</li> <li>2. <b>Pizza Lunch - Thursday, May 21st</b></li> <li>3. <b>Fundraising Plan - Next Steps/Proposed Date/Purpose</b> - Tentative Pizza Lunch: Thursday, June 18th? Other fundraising ideas?</li> </ol> <p>Discussion about the Bake Sale survey will delay it for next year and host pizza lunch in June. Looking for more vendors that are TDSB approved for fundraising events. Parent volunteers are needed. Benefits of volunteering - has a positive impact on children and our Malvern JPS community. School shared a video of the Iftar Dinner with families. Everyone appreciated and the message of togetherness which reached out well to the community.</p>	5:30-5:50 pm
<p><b>Treasurer's Report</b> Balance \$\$1,935.05</p>	
<p><b>Other Business</b> Next School Council Meeting <b>Wednesday, June 3rd 5:00 p.m.</b></p>	6:25-6:30 pm
<p><b>Meeting Adjourned</b></p>	6:30 pm