



Roywood News Online #20

Sunday, May 01, 2022

Click on the image to access our
Website and Twitter page.

Appreciation

Thank you to all the family members who have sent emails, called the school or talked to us in person about volunteering at the school. We are so appreciative of your support :) We will be in touch soon as we would like to hold a pizza lunch at least once before the school year is over and we will need many hands to help us organize, collect money and deliver pizza and snacks to classes!



Upcoming Events

- May 3rd - 5th - Fire Safety Presentations (virtual) with Toronto Fire Services
- May 5th - School Advisory Council Meeting @ 5:30pm (via Zoom)
- May 23rd - Victoria Day Holiday (No School)
- May 27th - Grade 1 & 2's Trip to the Toronto Zoo
- Jun. 7th - P.A. Day (No school for students)
- Jun. 30th - Last Day of School for Students



School News

Summer School

Registration for Elementary Summer School is now open!

Programs are offered in-person to students from Kindergarten to Grade 8, from July 4th-29th, 2022. One online program will also be available.

For more information and to register, please visit <https://bit.ly/3Kax2YI>



Looking for Volunteers!!!

We can now have visitors back in the building!!! :) Yey!

We are looking for volunteers to help us with a variety of ideas that we have, such as:

- Special lunches (pizza, pita)
- Classrooms
- Decorating heritage month display case
- Class trip supervisors
- And more...



If you are interested in volunteering at Roywood PS, please send an email to Mrs. Pegg - amanda.pegg@tdsb.on.ca

Parking Lot

Please be advised that we have had many complaints about our parking lot and the traffic in it before and after school. The school parking lot is for Roywood Staff ONLY. Families should be finding a parking spot in the round-about or on local streets when dropping off students and picking up students. Students who belong to our intensive support program classes and whose families need handicapped spaces, will be permitted into the school lot.

We have many children and families walking through the parking lot during drop off and pick up times and we want to make sure that everyone is kept as safe as possible.

Thank you for your support!



EQAO for Grade 3!

EQAO assessments are scheduled to be written this school year. A larger window in May and June has been provided by EQAO. The dates for Roywood will be shared with students and families once they have been identified for the Grade 3 students.



Roywood is a Mask Friendly Environment!!

All schools in the TDSB will be mask friendly environments. At Roywood we are using inclusive language to make sure that everyone feels welcome wearing a mask or not wearing a mask.

Masks will still be available for students and staff to wear should they need.



Rapid Antigen Tests

RAT test kits are available at the school for students and families. **Should you need a test kit, please contact the school office.**

Self-testing when a person is showing symptoms is a great way to detect COVID-19 and working towards keeping everyone safe!





Continued Learning for All

Students, Families & Staff

School Improvement Planning @ Roywood PS

We are focusing on including more student voice into classroom programming and throughout the school. Some of the ways that we are doing this is through:

- Offering student choice in presentation formats
- Virtual announcements each day with students included
- Sharing resources and books that are representative of the Roywood school community
- Listening to using student opinion on intramural ideas, graduation ideas, classroom setup, etc.
- And more...

We are also focusing on classroom environment to help us use the walls in our classrooms as a third teacher. Some of the ways that we are doing this is through:

- Learning goals and success criteria posted on walls for students to know and understand
- Creating print rich environments for students to learn from
- Including many faces and images of people from many different cultural backgrounds
- And more...



This Week @ Roywood PS

We enjoyed recess time and creating messages written with wood chips to be included on the virtual announcements and to share our love of literacy! :)



Spring is here, so we started to clean up the garden at the front of the school! Would love to get yellow and purple plants in there to represent Roywood colours!



Community News

More JOY!

Family Literacy after school sessions on
Wednesdays from 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm!

Click the link below to join:

<https://tdsb-ca.zoom.us/j/97359177273#success>



MORE JOY!!

BECAUSE JOY IS FUNDAMENTAL TO LEARNING

A 30 MINUTE AFTER-SCHOOL
FAMILY LITERACY SERIES BY
MODEL SCHOOLS

WEDNESDAYS
4:30 - 5:00 PM
ON ZOOM

CLICK HERE

Dear families,

Our EarlyON Centre is open Monday through Friday from 8:15 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. You do not need to book your spots however, please remember that only 20 individuals (children and parents) can attend at any given time. The spots are assigned on a first- come- first- served basis.

Join us for some fun activities!



**Early
ON**
Child and Family Centre

Connecting with the School

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