



## Roywood News Online #2

Tuesday, September 11, 2022

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

# Appreciation

A huge thank you to the whole school community for the wonderful back to school week we had. Students were able to find their classes, learn where their new lines were and meet their teachers for the first time this school year.

The first week of school was a huge success because of the support of family and community members and all of us at Roywood want to appreciate YOU!

The students had an amazing week. We saw so many smiles, heard so much laughter and felt the warm fuzzy feeling of the school family coming back together!



Thank You!



# Upcoming Events/Significant Days of the Year

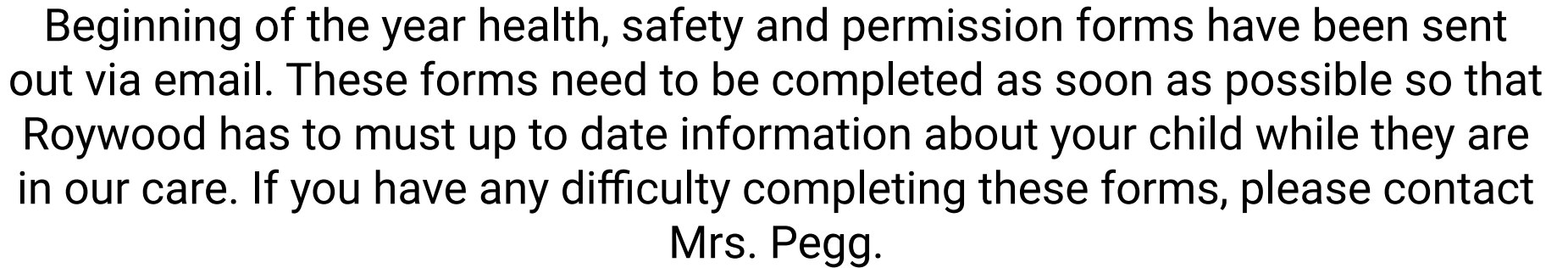
- Sept. 11 - Ethiopian New Year
- Sept. 14 - Elevation of the Cross
- Sept. 15 - International Day of Democracy
- Sept. 16 - Yom Kippor
- Sept. 30 - Orange Shirt Day & National Day of Truth and Reconciliation
- Oct. 7 - P.A. Day (no school for students)
- Oct. 10 - Thanksgiving Holiday
- Nov. 18 - P.A. Day (no school for students)
- Dec. 2 - P.A. Day (no school for students)

**\*Stay tuned for information about Curriculum/Meet the Educator and School Advisory Council.**

**Night**



# School News



# School CashOnline - ACTION ITEM

Roywood PS will be going CASHLESS next school year. Please take some time to create an account in School CashOnline to be able to pay for field trips, special lunches, spirit wear and any other school items while your child is at Roywood PS.

All of the TDSB is moving towards becoming cashless schools so that children do not have to bring money to school (with the chance of it getting lost), schools do not have to hold a lot of money (with a chance of it getting lost) and to keep up with the ever changing times of the world.

Please use the following link to create your account today! Roywood has 15% of our school signed up... Let's make it 100%!!

## School Cash Online Links:

<https://tdsb.schoolcashonline.com/>

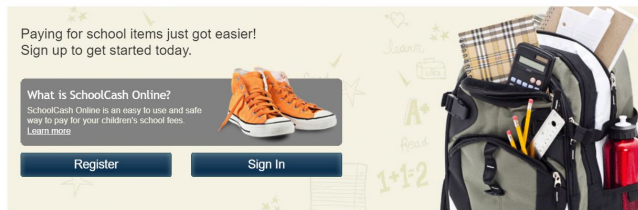
[School Cash Online - Sign Up Instructions](#)

SchoolCash Online



Toronto District School Board

**IMPORTANT:** Please click [here](#) to read information from the Toronto District School Board regarding the collection of your personal information.





## Student Nutrition Program



We are so lucky to have Mrs. Dani as our Nutrition Program Coordinator again this year! She plans, purchases and prepares delicious and healthy snacks for the students each day. We are thankful to her for all that she does to run the student nutrition program!!!

Notices have been sent home to be returned to school with your child's dietary information (food restrictions and/or allergies) so that Mrs. Dani can plan classroom snacks for the year.

We are also hoping to receive a \$20.00 donation per student to support the student nutrition program. This donation can be made on SchoolCash Online as Roywood is becoming a cashless school. All \$20.00 donations will receive a tax receipt.

We appreciate your support and look forward to sharing yummy snacks all year long with the students!

## **Staff and Entry Doors**

### **Kindergarten Educators:**

Mrs. Samuels - Kindergarten Entry Door  
Ms. Liu - Door 4

### **Grade 1/2 Educators:**

Ms. Balkaran - Door 4  
Mrs. Kumar - Door 4

**Grade 3/4 Educator:** Mrs. Peralta - Door 3

**Grade 5 Educator:** Mr. Ho - Door 3

### **ISP Educators:**

Mr. Goldenberg - Door 2  
Mrs. Durowaye - Door 2  
Mrs. Date - Door 2

**Thank you so much for your patience as educators establish line, start of day and end of day routines for entry and exit of the school.**

**Please keep an eye out for newsletters and specific information from your child's educator team.**

### **Daily Schedule:**

8:40am - Morning Bell (School Begins)

11:25am - Lunch Bell (Lunch Begins)

12:30pm - Afternoon Bell (School Begins)

3:15pm - End of Day Bell (School Ends)





## Safe Arrival

Student well-being and safety are top priorities at our school. One important measure we take is our Safe Arrival Program, which helps to ensure students have arrived at school safely and when expected.

If your child is going to be late or absent for any reason, it is important that you contact the office immediately and report the reason for the absence.

At the Toronto District School Board (TDSB) we have an automated call-out system. If your child is late or absent, without informing the school ahead of time, the call-out system will attempt to contact you.



# Welcome Back Educators



We welcome back all of the staff to Roywood PS this year!! We hope everyone had a great summer!

A special welcome goes out to new staff for the 2022-2023 school year:

- Mr. Ho - Grade 5
- Mr. Goldenberg - Intensive Support Program
- Ms. Liu - Kindergarten
- Ms. Fidelio-Cuda - Special Needs Assistant
- Mrs. Tonoo - joining us for the full day



# EXPRESS YOURSELF

## AND RESPECT OUR SHARED SPACES



- **Tops:** shirt, T-shirt, sweater, vest, midriff-baring shirt, tank top, spaghetti straps, halter tops, tube top, backless top
- **Bottoms:** pants, jeans, sweatpants, shorts, skirts, dresses, leggings, fitted pants, yoga pants, ripped jeans
- **Headwear (cannot cover your face):** hats, du-rags, bandanas, hoodies, creed-based headwear



Anything that promotes or symbolizes:

- Hate
- Discrimination
- Illegal Activity
- Profanity
- Violence
- Drugs and Alcohol
- or threatens health & safety



## TDSB Dress Code

Please click [HERE](#) to review TDSB student dress code.

Please click [HERE](#) to view the Express Yourself poster.



READ THE FULL STUDENT DRESS POLICY  
(P042) ONLINE AT [WWW.TDSB.ON.CA](http://WWW.TDSB.ON.CA)

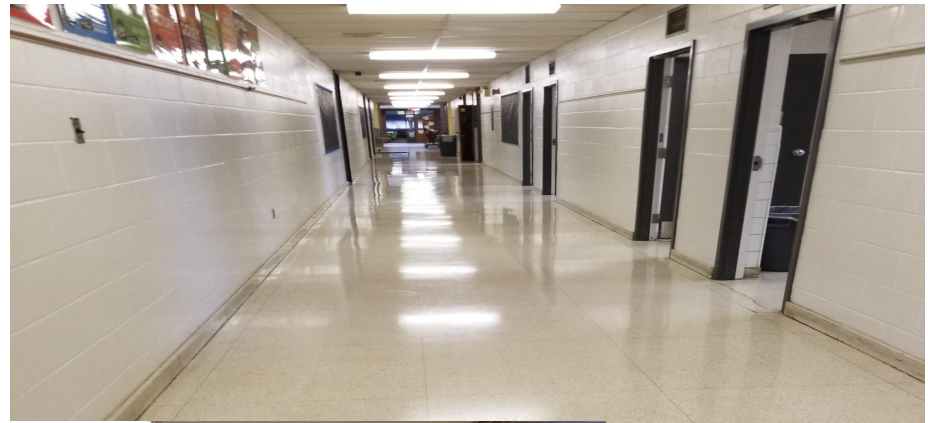


This Week @ Roywood PS



Our school hallways are bright and shiny to welcome students back into the building!

We want to thank the caretaking staff for working hard all summer long to make sure that the school was beautiful and clean for September.

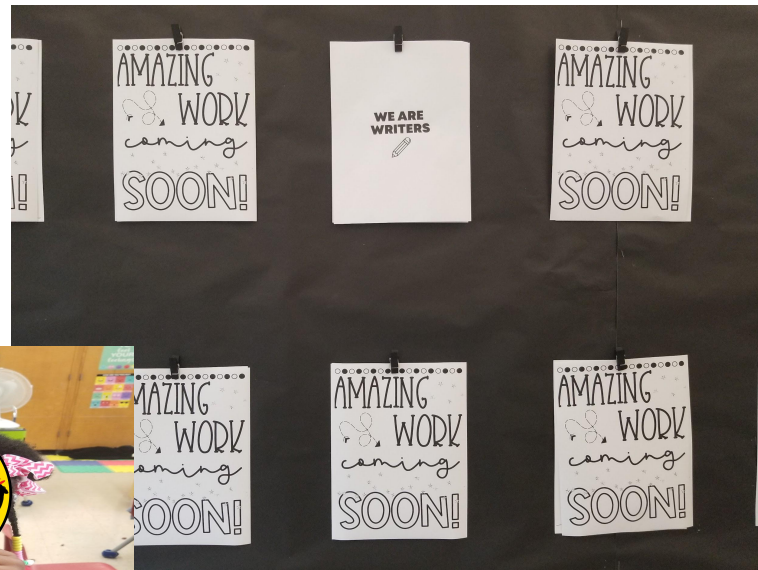
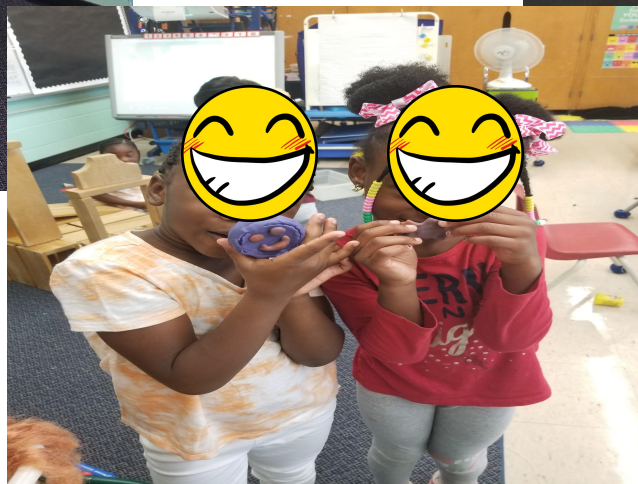


Students were welcomed back to the building with signs and friendly faces outside of the school.





Our friends in kindergarten settled into new and familiar routines. They explored with blocks, playdough, writing and so much more!





# 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...



# Community News

The Roywood EarlyON centre is OPEN everyday for programming.

Please check their facebook group or drop by the centre for more information on programming!

*Roywood EarlyON Contact Info:  
Phone: 416-395-2830  
Mon. to Fri. 8:15am - 11:45am*



# Connecting with the School

Office Hours 8:00am - 4:00pm

## Telephone

416-395-2830

## E-Mail

[RoywoodPS@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:RoywoodPS@tdsb.on.ca)

## Website

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/roywood/>

## Twitter

[https://twitter.com/TDSB\\_RoywoodPS](https://twitter.com/TDSB_RoywoodPS)

