# Toronto District School Board

## Jean Lumb Public School - Frequently Asked Questions

# **Canoe Landing Facility**

## 1. What will the new facility include?

- Jean Lumb Public School will serve 550 children from Kindergarten to Grade 8.
- Bishop Macdonell Catholic Elementary School will serve 550 children from Kindergarten to Grade 8.
- Canoe Landing Community Recreation Centre.
- Canoe Landing Child Care Centre will serve 52 children from birth to four years old.

The new facility will be located at the corner of Fort York Boulevard and Brunel Court, next to Canoe Landing Park.

## 2. Who is building Jean Lumb Public School?

The City of Toronto, the Toronto District School Board (TDSB) and the Toronto Catholic District School Board (TCDSB) are collaborating to build the multi-use community facility next to Canoe Landing Park.

## 3. Who is paying for the construction of the school?

To finance the construction of this new facility, revenue was collected from development projects in the Railway Land area. The City of Toronto, TDSB and the TCDSB entered into an agreement where the City will continue to own the land and the two school boards will hold leases.

## 4. Who do I contact if I have construction-related questions?

Construction-related inquiries may be directed to: Suzanne Cooke-Wooland, Senior Project Coordinator, at <a href="mailto:suzanne.cooke-wooland@toronto.ca">suzanne.cooke-wooland@toronto.ca</a>.

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#### 5. When will Jean Lumb Public School open?

The school is scheduled to open September 2019.

#### 6. What is the catchment area for the new school?

On May 23, 2018, the Board of Trustees for the TDSB decided on the new attendance area. Please check the school website for more information at <a href="https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/jeanlumb">https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/jeanlumb</a>.



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## 7. When will registration for Jean Lumb Public School open?

Registration will begin in February 2019. Please check the school website for regular updates at https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/jeanlumb.

#### 8. Will the school be open to optional attendance?

Jean Lumb PS will be closed to optional attendance in the 2019-2020 school year. The TDSB will review the optional attendance status on an annual basis.

9. Which specialized programs will be available when Jean Lumb Public School opens? Jean Lumb Public School will offer a regular program. Specialized programs may be considered in the future.

## 10. Who can I contact if I have questions?

If you have any questions, please contact Sylvia Fletcher, Administrative Liaison Learning Network 23, at Sylvia.Fletcher@tdsb.on.ca.

# Other TDSB Programs Available

11. What programming options are available in the nearby area?

There are a number of specialized programs that are offered nearby.

To learn more about French Immersion and Extended French, please visit the TDSB website.

# **Child care**

12. How many child care spaces will be available at Canoe Landing Child Care Centre? The City of Toronto will be building a child care centre within the multi-site facility. Canoe Landing Child Care Centre is scheduled to open in the fall of 2019 and will serve 52 children from birth to four years of age. For more information about the new Canoe Landing Child Care Centre, please contact Anne Farrell, Toronto Children's Services District Consultant at 416-397-1677 or Anne.Farrell@toronto.ca.

13. Will there be a Before-and-After School Program at Jean Lumb Public School? Prior to the opening of the Jean Lumb Public School, the TDSB will assess interest in a Before-and-After School Program for Kindergarten to Grade 6 students through a survey process. This process will include assessing interest from families whose children will be transferring to Jean Lumb PS in September 2019, and new Kindergarten to Grade 6 students. More information will be shared with families when school registration begins.



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For more information about Before-and-After School programs in TDSB schools, please visit our website at: <a href="https://www.tdsb.on.ca/EarlyYears/Child-Care/Before-and-After-School-Program">https://www.tdsb.on.ca/EarlyYears/Child-Care/Before-and-After-School-Program</a>.

## 14. Are there other child care options in the area?

For child care programs located in TDSB schools, please review the Ward 9 Early Years Profile. For more information about child care in the City of Toronto, please visit the Toronto Children's Services website at: https://www.toronto.ca/community-people/children-parenting/.