



September 2021

Dear Oppenheimer Families,

Welcome to the 2021-2022 School Year!

Important information for the first week of school

Wednesday, September 8 – Grades 1 – 7 students attend from 9 AM to 9:45 AM
***Only attend 45 min.**, no lunch or recess snack are needed
*Grades 4-7 must wear masks
*K to Grade 3 we strongly encourage masks but must have one in case of illness while at school

*Last year's students go to last year's classes - same for drop off and pick up as last year.

*NEW students will report to the main school entrance on Scarboro

Thursday, September 9 and on – Grades 1 – 7 students attend 9 AM to 3:03 PM

*New Kindergarteners meet at the Primary Undercover Area in our centre courtyard and start their Gradual Entry Schedule

What do I bring?

Starting on Thursday, Gr. 1-7 bring a mask, water bottle, recess snack and lunch.

Water fountains are back up and running.

Please find the attached 2021-2022 School Year Health and Safety Update. This letter lays out the district wide Covid safety measures that we will have in place for September. As safety is of utmost importance to us, each teacher will be conducting a classroom Health and Safety meeting with their students to ensure all students are aware of and are following the current safety protocols.

We understand that the last year and a half have been extremely challenging in many ways. In some cases, this stress has manifested as anxiety and even depression. We know that humans have a strong drive to socialize. We are hopeful that as we safely come back together with friends and staff members this year our community will once again feel that sense of belonging that we all need, and in time our anxieties will ease.

New Kindergarten parents, if you have forgotten if you are in Group A or B, we will be sending out a reminder email.

The staff and I look forward to working with you all very soon! During the second week of school we will move into our new classes, so watch for another email to let you know your child's new pick up and drop off location.

Hope Sterling, Principal