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Monday, March 24, 2025

Hello WBS Families,

We are entering our last full week of March! I always find that the last three months of school seem to fly by. The term 2 report cards will be sent out via email on Tuesday, March 25, 2025. If you have not received an email by end of day (6 pm) with instructions on how to access your child's report, please contact the school so that we can look into this further.

Please visit our school site <u>WBS website</u> for the latest news from the school and the HRCE. Our weekly memos can also be found on our school site.

Warm regards, Susan Casey

- 1. **Family-Teacher Meetings:** April 3, 2025 1:00-3:30 pm and 5:30-7:30 pm
  - a. <u>Some classes are doing Student-Led conferences</u>. If your child's teacher is doing student-led conferences, you will not see their name listed on the online platform to book a meeting time. The classroom teacher will be communicating directly with families with a meeting time. \*\*Families can use the sign-up link being sent out Tuesday, March 25, 2025 to book a time to meet with **specialist teachers**.
  - b. For those classes not doing student-led conferences, the sign up meeting link will be sent out Tuesday, March 25, 2025 for families to book a time to meet with their child's classroom teacher and specialist teachers. Please note that these meetings are 10 minutes in length. If you feel you will need more time with the teacher, please reach out directly to the teacher to set up another date and time to meet.

- 2. <u>Change of Clothes:</u> Spring is here and so is the wet playgrounds and mud. Please pack a change of clothes (including socks) for your child so that if they get wet, they can change.
- 3. <u>Moving? Or have moved?:</u> Please ensure that you have completed the Student Change of Address Form. This is the expected practice to ensure that students are attending the correct catchment area school.

The 2024 – 25 HRCE Current Student Change of Address Form- This form needs to be completed if:

- you are moving within the 24-25 school year and will need to register for a different school within HRCE: or
- you are moving within the 24-25 school year, but the address is still within the catchment of the current school.

Click <u>here</u> to complete the Current Student Change of Address form.

- 4. <u>Safe Arrival Number:</u> If your child is going to be absent for the any part of the school day or arrive late, please call **Safe Arrival: 1-833-582-6940**. Please note if your child will be late arriving to school you must select that they will be absent for the day. When they arrive our admin team will update their attendance.
- 5. <u>Home & School Association</u>: The next Home and School meeting will be on **Tuesday, April 15th, 2025**, at 6:00 pm in the cafeteria.
- **6. SAC:** The next SAC meeting will be on **Tuesday**, **April 15th**, **2025** at 7:00 pm in the WBS seminar room.

Did you know that you can read the SAC summary minutes posted on our website? Visit wbs.hrce.ca – heading "For Students and Families"- SAC (the current minutes posted are September to November 2024).

## **Upcoming Dates for April 2025**

April 3- Professional Learning for staff in morning/ Staff-Family meetings from 1:00-3:30 pm & 5:30-7:30 pm.

April 15th- Home & School Meeting 6-7 pm/ SAC meeting 7-8 pm

April 18th - Good Friday - School is closed

April 21st- Easter Monday- School is closed

April 22<sup>nd</sup>- Community Clean Up- partnership with RBC for Earth Day- Join us from 6:00-7:00 pm to do a school yard garbage clean up. All families are welcome!

April 30<sup>th</sup> - Professional Learning Day – No students

## **Upcoming Dates for May 2025**

May 5-9th- Home & School Staff Appreciation Week

May 19th- Victoria Day- School is Closed

May 20th- Home & School meeting 6-7 pm/ SAC meeting 7-8 pm

May 30th- Set up for the Spring Fling 6:00-9:00 pm

May 31st- WBS Spring Fling 11:00-2:00 pm

## **Upcoming Dates for June 2025**

June 25th- Grade 6 Closing Ceremony (morning)

June 27th- Assessment & Evaluation Day- No school for students

June 30<sup>th</sup>- Last Day of School