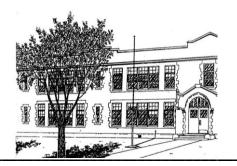
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Principal: Mrs. J. Cox

September 3, 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome back to another school year! We trust that you all enjoyed a healthy and relaxing summer break with family and friends.

I would like to welcome our newest teaching member; Ms. Katie Hurst, who will be teaching dance and drama. We are very excited to have Ms. Hurst join the team. This is an enhancement to our Arts programming, and we look forward to the opportunities this will provide for our students. I would also like to welcome Stephanie Heinrichs who will be assuming classroom duties for the next period of time for Mrs. Mandarano's class and also our newest Educational Assistant; Joyce Sztandera to our Faraday school team.

As we move into the 2020-2021 school year, we know that this year will look very different from previous ones. As always, the safety of our students, staff and our community will be our number one priority. We will be working together for the betterment of all of our students and learning will remain our focus.

Please take a look at the information on our website and also our Re-Opening Plan that the teachers have sent via email to all families. In this document we have clearly outlined guidelines for a safe return to school for everyone's health and safety.

With Covid 19 still a reality in our province, the safety of everyone is our top priority.

Please continue to follow the screening procedures for Covid 19. We ask that all students who are not feeling well stay home. Students who demonstrate any symptoms while at school, will be isolated and parents/care givers will be contacted to pick up their child. We ask that anyone entering the school be sure to use the hand sanitizer found at the front doors, sign in on our visitor sheet, and that students continue to wash their hands on a regular basis and continue to follow proper hygiene protocols. Every classroom will be kept separate; cohorts of children will be in their individual classrooms. Assemblies will not be held in the normal way, until it is safe to do so. Physical education, and Arts Education classes will continue as scheduled, but will be done in a manner that supports classroom cohorts. Proper sanitizing and disinfecting will be done regularly by our custodial staff, and we will be diligent in continuing to follow the provincial guidelines for everyone's health and safety. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact us at the school.

On behalf of the entire Faraday School team, I'd like to extend a welcome back to all of our returning students, and a special welcome to our new students and their families joining us for the first time. Faraday School is a special school community, where we are focused on learning. We treat others with kindness, and we follow our anchors of being responsible, respectful and safe. We are all looking forward to an exciting year of learning together!

Wishing you and yours a healthy September. Take good care.

Yours in education,

Mrs. Jennifer Cox, Principal

