

Timberwolf Times

Welcome Back To Your School!

2015-2016 Shaping Up To Be Terrific At Talmey!

The staff at R.C. Talmey extends an enthusiastic welcome to all of our students and families as we begin the 2015-2016 school year. We are all excited for an outstanding year! We welcome back all of our returning students and families while extending a special hello to those families that are new to the Talmey community.

Being new to Talmey myself, I am looking forward to getting to know all the members of the Talmey community. It is always an exciting time to return to school in September and more so when it is a new school.

We recognize that the first week back to school can be stressful for all concerned (students, parents and staff) as we finalize our numbers, our staffing allotment and then our class lists, while at the same time wanting to welcome all children and introduce the routines and joy of learning together. To that end, we intend to get our students into their classrooms as soon as possible, but first we must assess our numbers.

We resume our regular school hours on Wednesday starting at 8:45 a.m. and ending at 3:00 p.m., except for Tuesday's dismissal time of 1:00 p.m.

For the first days of the school year students will be in grade groups with last year's teachers.

Over the summer we have had new students register and others move. The School Board Office will confirm staffing for each school on Wednesday evening. We will then place the children with their new teachers. At the latest, students will be in their classes on Friday.

A newsletter with more info will come out later this week. We hope that this notice answers some of your questions about our "first days back" and serves to assure you that all children are being given a productive and enjoyable welcome to Talmey School.

Social Responsibility At Talmey is an important component of our daily process. While we "Focus On The Learner" we follow the "STAR" Code of Conduct:

"S"afe
"T"houghtful
"A"ccepting
"R"esponsible

There will be regular notices to provide our community with up to date information and suggestions for the home to support the learning experience of each child at Talmey. To facilitate this communication process we will be requesting an email address for each family as we move from paper to electronic communications.

PAC Information

All parents are automatically members of our vibrant and dedicated Parent Advisory Committee. We are most fortunate to have a tremendous PAC Executive and a large number of volunteers who attend PAC meetings and plan exciting events to enrich the learning experience of our school community.