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August 31, 2023

Dear Talmey Families,

We hope you all enjoyed a happy, fun-filled and relaxing summer holiday! We are very much looking forward to welcoming our students back to school next **Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup>**.

Please read the following information detailing our plans for our first day of school and let us know if you have any questions.

### **Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup>:**

**All returning students in Grades 1-7 will attend school for one hour only from 8:45am-9:45am.** Students are asked to report to **their classroom from last year** unless otherwise indicated below:

**-All new students** in Grades 1-7 are required to check in at the main entrance upon arrival at 8:45am. We will then move to our school gym where students will be assigned to an age-appropriate classroom.

**-New kindergarten students** follow the **gradual entry schedule**. Please be at school for 1:00pm and meet at exterior door #2 (near main entrance). Gradual entry schedules were e-mailed to families in July and are also posted on our school website.

We do ask that all students come to school on Tuesday. It is important for students to attend so we can account for their place in our school enrolment.

A reminder that students do not need to bring supplies to school. Supplies will be provided for students and payment will be requested at a later date. All new families will receive information about our cash online payment system in the coming weeks.

### **Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>:**

**Please note, regular school hours (8:45am-2:45pm) will be in place; except for kindergarten students who will be following the gradual entry schedule.**

\*\*\*On Tuesday, September 5, all new parents are invited to stay from 8:50-9:40 am for coffee and light refreshments provided by our PAC (Parent Advisory Council).

We are excited for the new school year to begin! We are looking forward to welcoming students and families back to school next Tuesday!

Warm regards,

Ms. Hazon  
Principal

# Plan For Our First Week

## -Tuesday, September 5

Students are in session from 8:45 – 9:45 (except for **KINDERGARTEN** students)

WHO	WHERE
Returning students	Last year's division
New K's	Room 1, Door #2
New students	Main Entrance – office

## - September 6th - 9th

\*Please note, for Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday for the first week only, all Grade 1 students will meet at the outside door (Door #7) across from our library.

## -Talmey's Parent Advisory Council Presents:

**Sweet Start to the School Year - in the multi-purpose room (or outside our main entrance if the weather is nice)!** Parents are invited to join members from our PAC for coffee, tea, and treats for the time that students are in class.

