

Edinburgh B.A.S.E. News

IMPORTANT!
Ped Day registration information for
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Welcome Back to School!

I hope you had an enjoyable summer spending quality time with family and friends. I'm looking forward to another delightful and exciting school year at Edinburgh School in B.A.S.E.

The Start of School In B.A.S.E.

- B.A.S.E. will be open with full service as of the first day of school for grades 1 to 6 starting with morning drop-off at 7h00. K4 and K5 will begin as of Tuesday September 5, 2023.
- For new parents to Edinburgh and/or B.A.S.E. Morning drop-off and/or afternoon pickup is located at the entrance found on Edinburgh Avenue nearest to Kindergarten play park.

EDINBURGH SCHOOL BASE DAYCARE DAILY SCHEDULE

14:40 - 15:05	Attendance/Outdoor Recess
15:05 - 15:45	Snack/Homework
15:45 - 16:30	Activities
16:30 - 17:00	free period (i.e. additional outdoor playtime, extended activities, free play in the gymnasium and/or cooperative games)
17:00 - 18:00	Cool down and final departures

Program

- Please note that the schedule is not set in stone. Times and schedules can change depending on special workshops, projects and activities that educators or invited guests we have organized.
- We value the importance of homework and facilitate a daily time for the children except for Friday, receiving assistance for homework from the educators.
- We pride ourselves in offering multiple experiences through are daily planned activities, whether it is outdoor play, sports, cooking and baking workshops, science gardening and multiple dimensions of arts and crafts.

Snack

- We provide a daily snack for the students of B.A.S.E.
- Parents are still encouraged to pack additional snacks for the afternoon

Back to School Carnival event: Everblast Carnival games

When: Tuesday September 5, 2023

Time: 15h-17h00

- **Special snack**
- **Carnival games**
- **Baseball/soccer baseball tournament**



Upcoming Pedagogical Days ... Verger La Pommeraie d'Or

When: Friday October 13, 2023

A.M. departure from school: 8h30

P.M. return to school: 15h30

*Traffic cannot be predicted so the time of return is the estimated time

A. Orchard

- bag to pick apples
- Tractor ride
- Games
- Labyrinth
- Treasure hunt for mini pumpkins
- Orchard snack (jus and apple doughnut)
- Mini farm
- Park structure



B. **Lunch:** Brown bag lunch from home, Snacks, Water bottle

Price: \$34.00 (please note that the activity price does not include the regular \$12.00 Ped day fee.)

Deadline to register: Monday October 3, 2022 at noon

Link to register: <https://forms.gle/9ErDwsNZSiqz5L5A9>

Important information for Pedagogical days

- A morning and afternoon snack is provided on Ped days except on fieldtrips unless time permits
- Parents must register for each Ped day on the link provided even if you've indicated on the registration form attending Ped days.
- **Ped day cancellation:** Please be advised that cancellations requires 48 hours' notice of the date. Full fees will apply for cancellations made the day of and the day before unless for valid unforeseen circumstances. Cancellation notice for fieldtrip Ped day's is 5 days prior to date.

REGISTRATION Still OPEN!

For parents who are interested in registering and would need before or after school care or simply would like to inquire about our program. Please do not hesitate to contact the daycare technician.

HOW DO YOU REGISTER?

Registration is completed by contacting the daycare technician and a form to complete will be sent to you via email.

See Contact Information at the end of the Newsletter

Parent Corner

Accompanying Letters/Forms

- [Walking excursion form to sign](#)
- [Daycare rate change](#)
- [HopHop information](#)

Changes in schedule:

- if your child(ren) will not be attending BASE on a given day, as per their regular schedule, parents are asked to advise **both** the school (514-486-0981) and BASE (514-788-0024);
- please communicate any last-minute / same-day changes (to both the school and to BASE) **no later than 13:00** so that all relevant parties (i.e. child(ren) and adults) can be duly informed.

Students clothing:

- a reminder to label all your child(ren)'s items and clothing so that lost / forgotten items can be more easily returned to their rightful owners.

Invoicing

- invoicing takes place at the end of the month except for the month of June.
- Please see accompanying letter on the rate changes for the daycare services.

Morning Drop off/Afternoon Pickup:

- **B.A.S.E. door is located on Edinburgh Avenue closest to the kindergarten park**
- parents are asked to:
 - **not congregate in the entrance way**, including on the path leading from the sidewalk to the gate while waiting for your child(ren);
 - **refrain from having children play and/or assemble in groups** in that area;
 - **wait behind the gate** after ringing the doorbell;
 - **depart promptly** from the entrance and pathway once your child(ren) have been collected from the daycare;
 - those who remain around the entrance and pathway prevent daycare staff from identifying who has been picked up and who is still waiting;
 - **close the gate** after your child(ren) leave(s) the school grounds.
 - **Safety of the children arriving and leaving BASE is all our responsibility** please be vigilant of the students arriving and leaving BASE. It is imperative that the rules of the road are followed for their safety. Please drive slowly and respect school zone speed. An important reminder that Edinburgh Avenue does have a stop sign before arriving to the BASE door and a crosswalk that follows. Please refrain from parking on the crosswalk.

Please help us ensure the security and safety of all BASE students by following these measures during afternoon pickup.



Pedagogical Day Schedule for B.A.S.E. 2023-2024 School year

Date	Activity	Type
October 13, 2023	Verger La Pommeraie D'Or <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apple Picking 	Fieldtrip
November 1, 2023	Enfant and Co. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity stations • Costumes 	In-House
November 23, 2023	WooHoo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indoor amusement park 	Fieldtrip
November 24, 2023	Everblast <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archery Games • Amazing Race • Megaball 	In-House
December 8, 2023	CEPSUM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gym activities • Pool 	Fieldtrip
January 8, 2024	Science en Folie <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Science experiment stations 	In-House
February 12, 2024	Mega-Animation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Winter theme • Outdoor activities 	In-House
March 1, 2024	45 Degree Nord <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Glissade and other outdoor activities 	Fieldtrip
March 22, 2024	Boulzeye <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bowling • Laser tag 	Fieldtrip
April 12, 2024	Magislain <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Magic Show • Magic workshops 	In-House
May 17, 2024	SportsLife <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multiple sports stations 	In-House
June 12, 2024	Activac St. Jerome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional park/outdoor activities 	Fieldtrip

Activities are subject to change

We're confident that we will have a fantastic year together and am looking forward to incredible fun and exciting adventures this upcoming school year.

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