FACE PARENT NEWSLETTER

Commission scolaire English-Montréal
English Montreal School Board

SEPT.3, 2024



IMPORTANT DATES

Sept. 5

- Day 9 for High School students
- Annual Parent Assembly at 6:30 p.m.

Sept. 12

School Photos

Sept. 13

- School Photos
- OPUS cards

Sept. 19

- Day 9 for High School Students
- Curriculum Night

Sept. 20

Pedagogical Day

Sept. 30

- Orange Shirt Day
- Attestation Day

OUR FACE MOMENTS



Dear parents and guardians,

As we embark on a new school year, we want to take a moment to welcome you and your family to a new school year! This year brings fresh opportunities for learning, growth, and development, and we are committed to providing a nurturing environment where your child can thrive.

We understand that the start of a new school year can bring a mix of emotions, from excitement to concern.

Together, we can create a positive and enriching experience for your child. We look forward to working closely with you throughout the year and celebrating the milestones and achievements along the way.

REMINDERS FROM THE ADMINISTRATION

Absences: If your child is absent, you must notify your child's secretary as soon as possible. We review all absences during the first period of the morning. Please note that we do not use Mozaik attendance function.

- For Elementary students, please contact Mme Renaud (ext.8009) or by email at face.primaire@csdm.qc.ca.
- For High School students, please contact (Mme Bouhadj) (ext.8735) or by email at face.reception@csdm.qc.ca.
- Daycare: For any questions or inquiries for daycare, please contact our daycare technician, Mme Samia Mouhoubi at 514-350-8899 ext.8897 or by email at face.sdg@cssdm.qc.ca. All daycare fees must be settled with directly with our daycare provider.
- School Fees/Registrations: For any questions/information about school fees, registrations, report cards, please contact our EMSB School Secretary, Ms. Dana Alshomali by email at dalshomali@emsb.qc.ca or by phone at 514-350-8899 ext. 1897.
- If you are not sure who to contact or you would like to contact a teacher, please email us at face@emsb.qc.ca and your email will be directed to the right person.
 Please allow us 24-48 hours to respond to your emails.
- Classes start at 8 a.m. for all elementary and high school students. Students are expected to be in class at that time.
- Our elementary and high school students can enter as of 7:45 a.m. We invite students to arrive at this time in order to have time to go to their lockers and prepare for their

day at school. The bell at 7:55 a.m. indicates that students have five minutes to get to class.

- > Students are considered late if they are not in their class when the 8 a.m. bell rings. Students must then proceed to get a late slip prior to going to class.
- > We ask parents to remain on the sidewalk at the start and at the end of classes. This helps us to ensure your children's safety.
- > Every year, we accumulate a lot of lost items (clothes, water bottles, lunch boxes). It's important to **identify** what belongs to your child. This makes it easier for us to return the item.
- ➤ To avoid unfortunate events such as loss or theft, we strongly recommend that your child does not bring any personal items to school (stuffed animals, Pokémon cards, toys, etc.).
- Please take some time to review and read our school's code of conduct in your child's agenda. We encourage you to do this with your child. Please complete the first page of the agenda and fill in the child identification form as soon as possible.

ANNUAL PARENT ASSEMBLY SEPT. 5, 2024

We will be holding our Annual General Assembly for all parents and guardians in the **P-Scène** at 6:30 p.m. at FACE school. The main doors will open as of 5:45 p.m.

The purpose of this assembly is to form our Governing Board and elect our Parent Delegate. We invite all parents to attend whether you would like to run for a position or vote in your representative. Should you **not** be able to attend the assembly, but wish to put forth your candidacy, please email Mrs. Harriet at jharriet@emsb.qc.ca.

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Our Parent Participation Organization in collaboration with the 'Organisme de participation des parents aux politiques de l'école de FACE CSSDM' are actively looking for parent volunteers this year. Your implication can be small or big, but nevertheless important to help enrich our school community. Should you wish to have more information or want to get involved, please contact them by email at: shannonjoutel@gmail.com

Cellular Devices

Please note that cell phones are not permitted in the classroom, except for planned educational use with their teacher. Any other use of a cell phone is not permitted. Any such use in class or during daycare will result in the confiscation of the object by the teacher or adult in charge, who will give it to the vice-principal. Should you need to contact your child at school, please call us so we can ensure the message gets to your child. We discourage messages via text messages in order to foster a learning environment for students in class at all times.

Have a great week!

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