



⚡ Fraser Wood Friday Flash ⚡



Week of September 5-9, 2022

Week at a Glance

Monday

- Statutory Holiday - School not in session.

Tuesday

- School in session from 10-11 a.m. for learners
- PAC Welcome- Caregivers are invited to the gym from 10-11 a.m. for light refreshments

Wednesday

- Regular Full Day begins. Please send supplies, lunch and a water bottle.

Thursday

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Friday

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Weekly information

1. Kindergarten Gradual Entry Schedule

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
5 LABOUR DAY (No school)	6 Confirm Registration & Welcome Families Group A 10:00 - 10:30 Group B 10:45 - 11:15	7 1.5 hour class Group A 8:30 - 10:00 Group B 10:30 – 12:00	8 1.5 hour class Group A 8:30 - 10:00 Group B 10:30 – 12:00	9 1.5 hour class Group A 8:30 - 10:00 Group B 10:30 – 12:00
12 1.5 hour class All Students 8:30 - 10:00	13 2 hour class All Students 8:30 - 10:30	14 3 hour class All Students 8:30 - 11:30 Bring a snack Child-Focussed Conversations	15 3 hour class All Students 8:30 - 11:30 Bring a snack Child-Focussed Conversations	16 4 hour class All Students 8:30 - 12:30 Bring a snack, lunch and water bottle Child-Focussed Conversations
19 First Full Day All Students 8:30 – 2:30 Bring snack, lunch, water bottle	20	21	22	23

By Last Name : **Group A:** **A - Lawas**
 Group B: **Li - Z**

2. Bell Schedule 2022-2023

Supervision Bell	8:20 a.m.
Welcome Bell	8:30 a.m.
Morning Session 1	8:35 – 10:15 a.m.
Recess	10:15 – 10:30 a.m.
Morning Session 2	10:30 – 11:45 a.m.
Lunch	11:45 a.m.
Afternoon Session	12:30 – 2:30 p.m.
End of Day Bell	2:30 p.m.
Supervision Ends	2:45 p.m.

3. 2022-2023 Calendar

<u>2022</u>	September 6	School Opens 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. PAC Welcome for all caregivers in the gym 10-11 a.m.
	September 23	Terry Fox Run
	September 26	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
	September 28	Meet the Teacher 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.
	September 29	Orange Shirt Day
	September 30	Truth & Reconciliation Day – School Not in Session
	October 10	Thanksgiving – School not in Session
	October 11 - 14	Interim Report #1 – Informal Communication with Parents
	October 21	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
	October 31	Halloween Parade – 1:45 p.m.
	November 9	Remembrance Day Assembly
	November 10	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
	November 11	Remembrance Day – School not in Session
	December 5 - 9	Student Progress Report #1
	December 13	Early Dismissal @ 1:30 p.m. – Parent Teacher Conferences
	December 19	Pyjama Day Last Day of Classes before Winter Break
<u>2023</u>	January 3	School Re-opens
	January 16	Early Dismissal – 1:30 p.m.
	January 20	Lunar New Year Parade – 1:45 p.m.
	February 20	Family Day – School Not in Session
	February 22	Pink Shirt Day and Pink Shirt Day Run
	February 24	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
	March 6 - 10	Student Progress Report #2
	March 10	Last Day of Classes before Spring Break
	March 27	School Re-opens
	April 7	Good Friday – School Not in Session
	April 10	Easter Monday – School Not in Session
	April 18	Ready, Set, Learn – 1 p.m.
	May 4	Student Led Conferences – Early Dismissal 1:30 p.m.
	May 5	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session

May 16	Parent Appreciation Tea Welcome to Kindergarten – 1 p.m.
May 22	Victoria Day – School Not in Session
May 29	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
June 16	Activity/Sports Day
June 19	Activity/Sports Day Rain-out Date
June 21	Summer Fun Run
June 23	Year End Assembly – 9:00 a.m.
June 26	Grade 7 Ceremony – 10:40 a.m.
June 30	Final Summative Report Last Day of School – Early Dismissal @1:30 p.m.

4. September 6, 2022

On the first day of school, Tuesday September 6th your child will attend school from **10-11 a.m.** You and your child are asked to meet at the designated area listed below.

PAC Welcome

Caregivers are invited to the gym for light refreshments from 10-11 a.m.

Grade Group Meeting Areas:

- Kindergarten - Meet on the grass area outside Kindergarten classrooms (front of the school)
- Grade 1 - Meet outside Ms. Guglielmucci and Ms. Martin's classrooms (back of the school)
- Grade 2 - Meet on the portable basketball court.
- Grade 3 - Meet on the library basketball court.
- Grade 4 and 5 - Meet on the Intermediate basketball court.
- Grade 6 and 7 - Meet on the Grass field.

School map:

Tuesday, September 6, 2022



Teachers will be calling out student names and then taking groups of students into the school. No supplies required on this day.

We look forward to seeing everyone!

5. Staffing Update

Please join us in welcoming the following staff who will be at Fraser Wood in 2022-2023:

- Kris Van Werkhoven- Intermediate
- Sara Oke- Intermediate
- Elana Miller and Elizabeth Wright- Primary
- Sandra Stronach and Beril Taylor- Primary
- Sharon Connelly- Primary
- Bryan Schofield- IST
- Heidi DeGroot- VP and Intermediate Prep
- Briar Elliott- Music
- Dawne Edwards- LST

Welcome to Fraser Wood!

6. PAC

Did you know we have a Fraser Wood Elementary Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) mailing list? It is different than this one and you need to subscribe to get the latest information like:

- When the next PAC meeting is happening so you can voice any suggestions/concerns?
- Get a copy of the PAC meeting minutes which include updates on health and safety, fundraising plans, money distributions to support extra-curricular activities, ...
- How you can get involved in the PAC and volunteering opportunities.
- The latest status of the playground fundraising efforts.

Click on the link [Parent Advisory Council Mailing List](#) to subscribe.

PAC MEETING: September 21st at 6 p.m.

All parents are welcome to attend online at:

ZOOM Meeting ID: 946 9592 2953

ZOOM Passcode: 371777

ZOOM Meeting LINK: <https://zoom.us/j/94695922953?>

7. Daily Health Check

Staff, other adults entering the school, parents, caregivers and students should not come to school if they are sick. It is critically important to complete a **daily health check**.

A daily health check means a person checking daily to ensure they (or their child) are not experiencing any symptoms of illness (including but not limited to COVID-19 symptoms) before coming to school.

Nobody should come to school if they are sick or otherwise directed to self-isolate by public health.

8. Dress for the Weather

Fresh air and play is a very important part of your child's learning at school. It is also a wonderful opportunity for physical activity that helps brains to grow and learn. As much as possible, kids will be outside at recess and lunch, rain or shine so please ensure they have appropriate clothing.

9. Fraser Wood Elementary Spirit Wear!

10% of purchase price is donated to Fraser Wood Elementary PAC.

<https://fwe.entripyshops.com/>

- Free Shipping to your home (orders over \$85)
- Ability to select great products and fully customize
 - Choose colours
 - Logo position and size
 - Add a name
 - Add a number

There are products for Men, Women, and Youth! We hope you enjoy the new spirit wear and look forward to seeing your children and the parents sporting some cool gear around the neighbourhood. Feel free to share the site: https://fwe.entripyshops.com - anyone can order and help support your children's school.

**Looking forward to seeing everyone on
September 6, 2022 at 10 a.m.**

