



SEPTEMBER NEWS

GREENWAY SCHOOL 2025

WELCOME BACK!

Dear Families,

We are thrilled to welcome you and your children back to another exciting school year! Our classrooms are buzzing with energy, curiosity, and the joy of learning. We can't wait to partner with you to make this year a successful and memorable one for every student.

Why Attendance Matters

Every school day counts! Consistent attendance helps children build routines, stay connected with their peers, and keep up with learning. When students are present, they thrive academically and socially. Please help us by ensuring your child arrives on time and attends school regularly.

NO FEE LUNCH

Your child is welcome to stay for lunch - NO FEE - to help limit transitions to and from school. Please let the office or your child's teacher know if the plan is to stay for lunch. Lunch is supervised by our amazing educational assistants.



Family Engagement = Student Success

We believe that strong family-school partnerships are key to student achievement. Whether you're connected to our parent room, attending school events, or simply talking with your child about their day, your involvement makes a big difference. We encourage you to stay connected with your child's teacher and participate in the many opportunities we'll offer throughout the year. Our first being, Meet the Teacher on SEPT. 11 - 3:30 - 5:30 pm.

Let's work together to make this year amazing!

Warmly,
Ms. Boulton & Mr. Olfert



IMPORTANT INFO

GREENWAY SCHOOL 2025-26

VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL

To ensure student safety...

- We ask that all caregivers and visitors report to the office using the FRONT DOORS of the school (please do not enter through student doors).
- Please use the BUZZ in entry and report directly to the office.
- If you wish to speak to a teacher, please make arrangements in the office. Teachers are expected to be supervising and engaging with students and are not always immediately available.
- Students arriving late should enter through the front doors to sign in at the office. Please do not accompany your child to class. Staff may be called to support if necessary.
- Please do not enter the field during recess times, community members will be asked to use the outside perimeter to access the front of the school.
- Caregivers accessing the PARENT ROOM are to sign in at the office and head directly to ROOM 124.

COMMUNICATING WITH TEACHERS

- Many of our teachers use SEESAW or GOOGLE CLASSROOM to connect with caregivers and provide a window into the classroom on a regular basis.
- Some platforms have direct messaging - please recognize that our staff are engaged with learners and are unable to continuously monitor your messages.
- Any URGENT or TIME SENSITIVE communication should be communicated to the office either by phone or in person.
- Teachers or admin will do their best to respond to your communication within 1 school day.
- Teachers and administration are not expected to respond to communication in the evenings or on the weekends.



ATTENDANCE

- School attendance is extremely important in a student's success at school. Absences impact learning as well as healthy relationships with peers.

DID YOU KNOW?

- Students should miss no more than 9 days of school each year to stay engaged, successful and on track to graduation.
- Missing 10%, or 2 days a month, over the course of the school year, can affect a student's academic success.
- Chronic absences will result with INCOMPLETE (IN) scores on report cards, as teachers are unable to accurately assess learning growth.

WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT

- When a student is absent for 3 or more days without communication from caregivers - the school will reach out with a phone call or a home visit.
- If absences continue a letter from the school will be mailed and placed in PUPIL files. Caregivers will be asked to attend the school for a planning meeting.
- Chronic absenteeism will result in the school contacting outside agencies for support.



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IMPORTANT DATES

- Sept 08 First Day for N/K students
- Sept 11 Meet the Teacher 3:30-5:30 PM
- Sept 29 Orange Shirt Day
- Sept 30 NO SCHOOL – NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION
- Oct 08 NO SCHOOL- PD DAY
- Oct 13 NO SCHOOL- THANKSGIVING
- Oct 21 Picture Day
- Oct 24 NO SCHOOL- MTS PD Day
- Nov 10 Remembrance Day Assembly, 11 am
- Nov 11 NO SCHOOL-REMEMBRANCE DAY
- Nov 14 Picture Re-Takes
- Nov 20 Parent Teacher Conferences Evening
- Nov 21 NO SCHOOL -Parent Teacher Conferences
- Dec 16 Winter Concert
- Dec 17 Winter Concert
- Dec 19 Last Day of Classes - Winter Break
- Jan 05 School reopens- Happy New Year!
- Feb 02 NO SCHOOL-PD DAY
- Feb 16 NO SCHOOL-LOUIS RIEL DAY
- Feb 26 Student Led Conferences Evening
- Feb 27 NO SCHOOL-Student Led Conferences
- Mar 20 NO SCHOOL-PD DAY
- Mar 27 Last day of classes - Spring Break
- Apr 06 School Reopens - Welcome Back!
- Apr 10 NO SCHOOL-PD DAY
- May 08 NO SCHOOL-PD DAY
- May 18 NO SCHOOL-VICTORIA DAY
- June 19 NO SCHOOL - PD DAY
- June 27 Last Day of School - 11:30 a.m. dismissal

*dates of school events subject to change

OFFICE HOURS

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Please enter through the front doors -
BUZZ ENTRY

KEEP UP TO DATE

Please check the GREENWAY SCHOOL website regularly for school events, the monthly news and updates.

QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS

We are fortunate to have an amazing staff of dedicated classroom teachers and support team members.

Any questions or concerns that you may have about your child, please direct first to the classroom teacher. A support team member may also reach out, as they work closely with teachers and students, supporting academics, social emotional learning and behaviour.

SCHOOL SCHEDULE

8:30 - Breakfast Club - enter through the front doors, breakfast is served in the MPR. Students can not go outside until 8:45 am
8:45 - Supervision on the primary side of the school field - **PLEASE DO NOT DROP OFF STUDENTS BEFORE THIS TIME**
8:50 - Bell rings and students wait in their classroom lines for school staff
9:00 - Announcements
10:35 - 10:50 - First Recess
12:00 - 12:55 - Lunch Break
2:35 - 2:50 - Second Recess
3:30 - Dismissal

Morning Nursery & Kindergarten begins at 8:50 am and ends at 11:30 pm

Afternoon Kindergarten begins at 12:55 pm and ends at 3:30 pm

GREENWAY 2025

September



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3 First Day of School Gr. 1-6	4	5	6
7	8 First Day of School N/K	9	10	11 Meet the Teacher 3:30 - 5:30 pm	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 Dental Screening	27
28	29	30 NO SCHOOL National Day of Truth and Reconciliation		NEXT MONTH Oct 8 - No School Oct 13 - No School Oct 21 - Picture Day Oct 24 - No School		