

Hamilton Elementary School - Newsletter

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We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the [hənq̓əminəm](#) (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on who's traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live.

June 27, 2025

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Dear Hamilton Families,

I want you to know what a pleasure it has been to be the Principal at Hamilton Elementary for the last 6 years. It has always been my endeavor to keep the students at the school safe, ensure they are on a positive learning track, and help them recognize what an amazingly multicultural school Hamilton is, and how important it is to value and respect each other. Thank you for entrusting your children to me. It has been an honor to be their principal during both the good times, and the challenging times. I wish you all the best in the future, and I hope you have a fun, rewarding, and safe summer!

Respectfully,

Mr. McCallum

Year-End Learning Summaries

The Year-End Learning Summaries (final report cards) were published online yesterday. If you have any challenges accessing them, please contact the school office today or next week Monday and Wednesday – Friday between 9:00am and 3:00pm.

Year-End Slideshow

Below is a link to the Year-End Slideshow encapsulating all the events of the school year, and what a year it was! Thank you to all the teachers who took and supplied photos from the year, and a BIG thank you to Ms. Burroughs-Chan for all her hard work putting the show together. Please enjoy with your family, but please keep it private and do not post on any social media. This is meant for the enjoyment of Hamilton Families only.

Some Important Dates for NEXT School Year – Please mark your calendars.

***Note: Events Dates in bold indicate changes to the school day or regular hours of 8:45 – 2:45**

First Day Back – Students attend for 1 hour 9:00-10:00

Grade 7s at Camp Sasamat

Individual Photo Day

Professional Development Day – students do not attend

National Day of Truth and Reconciliation – stat. holiday

Thanksgiving Day – stat. holiday

Parent/Teacher Conferences – 1:45 Dismissal Days

Professional Development Day – students do not attend

Photo Retakes Day

Remembrance Day – stat. holiday

Professional Development Day – students do not attend

Last day before Winter Break

First day back after Winter Break

Professional Development Day – students do not attend

Professional Development Day – students do not attend

Family Day – stat. holiday

Parent/Teacher Conferences – 11:50 dismissal

Class Photo Day

Last day before Spring Break

First day back after Spring Break

Good Friday – stat. holiday

Easter Monday – stat. holiday

Professional Development Day – students do not attend

Victoria Day – stat. holiday

Sports Day – 1:30 Dismissal

Grade 7 Day/Assembly

Last School Day for Students - 2:45 dismissal

Administrative Day – Students do not attend

Tuesday, Sep 2

Mon, Sep 8 – Wed, Sep 10

Monday, Sep 15

Monday, Sep 22

Tuesday, Sep 30

Monday, Oct 13

Wed, Oct 22/ Thur, Oct 23

Friday, Oct 24

Monday, Oct 27

Tuesday, Oct 11

Monday, Dec 1

Friday, Dec 19

Monday, Jan 5

Monday, Jan 26

Friday, Feb 13

Monday, Feb 16

Wednesday, Feb 25

Tuesday, Mar 10

Friday, Mar 13

Monday, Mar 30

Friday, Apr 3

Monday, Apr 6

Friday, May 15

Monday, May 18

Friday, Jun 12

Friday, Jun 19

Thursday, Jun 25

Friday, Jun 26