



École secondaire LESTER B. PEARSON High School
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Dear Parents/Guardians,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome our students back to Lester B. Pearson for what will be a successful and fulfilling year for all. We hope you have all had a restful and exciting summer spent with family and friends, ready to make the most of a new school year. To all our new students, we would like to take this opportunity to formally welcome you to the Lester B. Pearson High School family!

As with every school year, we look forward to working together with parents and our community to support our students, allowing them to reach their full potential as individual learners and citizens. Part of our collaboration as a partnership involves parents/guardians being aware of our school policies and regulations. We ask that you review them with your children once they have received their agendas.

Part of our school policy entails that all of our students are required to wear the Lester B. Pearson uniform while in school, which includes coming in and leaving school in FULL UNIFORM. The uniform should be worn with pride and should be in a clean state daily. Also, the uniform serves as a means to ensure the safety and security of our school by identifying those individuals who belong in our school. As responsible high school students, we expect all of our students to arrive daily to school on-time, including our late morning starts on Wednesday.

Lester B. Pearson High School prides itself as being a school that celebrates diversity, and we aim to foster a climate of acceptance and appreciation for all of our students. For many of students and staff, Lester B. Pearson High School acts as a second home, and we will do our best to make this school year a safe and enjoyable one for each of our students. The teachers, staff, professionals and administration are all here to support our students, and we encourage our students to seek help when they feel they are experiencing difficulties in any aspect of their lives.

We wish every student a wonderful start of the school year upon our return and wish them every opportunity to strive for success.

Sincerely,

Mr. Vitantonio & the Administrative Team

PLEASE TURN OVER FOR OPENING DAY SCHEDULE & INSTRUCTIONS

Enclosed you will find the school calendar highlighting the key dates for the school year, as well as the necessary documents required for our opening day registration. We ask that all the enclosed forms be completed and returned with the school fees on August 28th, 2018.

On this registration day, students will be coming to school as per the schedule below, and will be **required to pay their school fees (see attached memo)** and **return the completed forms**. They will be receiving their student schedule and their school agenda. They will also be taking their ID pictures and be assigned their locker for the school year.

STUDENTS MUST BE IN FULL UNIFORM ON TUESDAY AUGUST 28th, 2018.

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Time	LEVEL
9:00	Students entering Secondary 1
10:00	Students entering Secondary 2
11:00	Students entering Secondary 3
1:00	Students entering Secondary 4
2:00	Students entering Secondary 5
Student Council will be on hand for the day	

For Secondary 1 students- after taking their ID pictures, our new Secondary 1 students will be treated to a half-day of activities. They will be given a tour of the building, and enjoy a 'Welcome to Lester B. Pearson Lunch' on the field. The Secondary 1 orientation is scheduled to end at approximately 12:30 p.m.

Regular classes will begin on Wednesday August 29th, 2018 at 8:15 a.m. Secondary 1 students are to report to the Auditorium at 8:15 a.m. Secondary 2 – Secondary 5 students report to their Day 1 - Period 1 class as per their student schedule. **Students will be required to be in full uniform as of our first day of classes (see attached memo for uniform details).**

Information regarding the bus schedules from RDP will be shared as soon as it becomes available to us.

Finally, we ask all parents/guardians to please take the time to **read and review our school policies & regulations in our school agenda** when your child brings it home.

In closing, enjoy your summer vacation and we will see you on August 28th, 2018.

Important Upcoming Dates:

Meet the Teacher/Curriculum Evening: September 19th, 2018 from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Annual General Assembly: 8:30 (Auditorium)