

April 22nd, 2022

Dear Parents, Guardians and Students,

Congratulations Mr. Buckham! We are thrilled to announce that Aaron Buckham has been appointed as the next Principal of Claremont beginning August 1st. This is such wonderful news, as we all appreciate his positive outlook and the passion he shows for our Claremont learning community.

Monday April 25, Non-Instructional Day: Staff will be in session at Claremont working on a range of topics. Two of which are Cultural Competencies and developing strategies on “How to talk about Racism,” in the classroom.

Report Cards: Report cards will be distributed in a Homeroom on Tuesday, April 26th, at 11:40 (end of block 1). Make sure to connect with your students to discuss their successes and progress in their classes.

Parent-Teacher Interviews: Parent teacher interviews will be held April 28th from 5:00-7:00 pm. All appointments will be done by phone or video conference and can be booked through Pick-A-Time, a link can be found on the Claremont [website](#).

Bell Schedule April 26th & 27th: In order to accommodate the Literacy and Numeracy Assessment next week, we will be running a Copernican schedule on Tuesday and Wednesday. This consists of two long blocks per day, Tuesday will be blocks 1 & 3, Wednesday will be blocks 2 & 4. More information on these assessments can be found at this [LINK](#).

Revised Bell Schedule

To properly schedule our provincial Numeracy & Literacy assessments, the entire school will follow a Copernican schedule consisting of two long blocks per day.	
April 26th	April 27th
Block 1 Class: 9:00 - 11:45 (Lit/Num: 9:00-12:00)	Block 2 Class: 9:00 - 11:45 (Lit/Num: 9:00-12:00)
LUNCH	
Block 3 Class: 12:30 - 3:10 (Lit/Num: 12:30-3:30)	Block 4 Class: 12:30 - 3:10 (Lit/Num: 12:30-3:30)

Mental Health Snapshot: This month's [Snapshot](#) focuses on Substance Use And Youth. This Snapshot provides a wealth of information on topics such as substance use Fact or Fiction, and reasons for engaging and eliminating stigma to name a few. Scroll down halfway to find suggestions on how to start conversations with your child as well as resources to build resilience in your child.

Transportation 2022/2023: [Registration](#) is now open for transportation for the 2022-2023 school year. Registration will close on June 15, 2022, and students must be registered with Transportation and hold a current year bus pass in order to ride on the bus.

Students, have a wonderful long weekend!

Sincerely,

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