

# Barbara Reid Family Bulletin

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## Administrators' Corner - A Message From The Office

**"Meet the Educators" open house:** Families are invited to come to BRPS from 6:00-7:00 on Wednesday, September 28 for an open house. This is an opportunity to meet your child's educator(s), and to see their classroom. We hope to see you there!

**Terry Fox run:** The annual BRPS Terry Fox run will take place the afternoon of Wednesday, September 28 (rain date of Tuesday, October 4). Students are encouraged to bring in a "Toonie for Terry" to support this great cause. Students who bring in a donation of a toonie to the school will receive a ballot to enter a draw to win a Terry Fox t-shirt for 2022. Donations can also be made online at this link:

<https://secure.terryfox.ca/registant/EventClosed.aspx?eventID=353471&langPref=&TeamID=945331>



**School Start-Up Forms:** All families should have received an email containing a link to complete this year's School Start-Up Forms. For convenience, here is a [link](#) to find the information. Please complete these as soon as you are able to, as this will provide the school with valuable information pertaining to your child. You will need your child's GAPPS login information to complete the forms.

**School Cash Online:** For students new to the Board, there is a technical issue with regards to setting up School Cash Online accounts. The IT department is working on a solution. We will pass on any updates when we have them to share.

**Dates to Remember:**

**September**

23 - PA Day (no school)

25-27 - Rosh Hashanah

28 - Terry Fox run

28 - "Meet the Educators" open house night

30 - Orange Shirt Day

**October**

5 - Yom Kippur

10 - Thanksgiving (no school)

21 - PA Day (no school)

24 - Diwali

25 - Picture Day

31 - Hallowe'en

**September Touchstone Focus**

Words Matter: A growth mindset is the road to achieving our goals.

**Screening tool:** We have had some requests regarding COVID screening and isolation requirements for students. When in doubt, please complete the [School Screening Tool](#) for the most accurate information regarding your child's specific situation.

**Lunch reminders (repeat information):** We would like to remind families that we are a nut-free, peanut-free and sesame-free school. Please refrain from sending items containing these ingredients in your child's lunch.

We are also kindly requesting to send minimal packaging in your child's lunch. We strive to be a litter-free school, and so we request your assistance in sending as little items as possible that would create garbage. Thank you in advance.

**Grade 1 and 2 students learning about thinking *ish-ly*:**



**Grade 1 and 2 students building class community:**



**Grade 1 students making a mark with their *dots*:**

