

# Bogart Banner

# Information, Updates & Reminders







November is here! How did that happen so fast? We would like to thank all of you for helping our students navigate a return to school, a school re-origination, and many more hurdles! Your support is invaluable at this time. Thank you.

## Family Virtual Conferences: November 18th and November 19th.

Family Virtual Conferences will be held on Thursday November 18th and Friday November 19th. You will have an opportunity to meet with your child(ren)'s teacher(s) and learn more about the classroom. We regret that for health and safety reasons, we are unable to host an event at the school as we normally would, however we look forward to meeting with you virtually.

Families can use Edsby, an online platform, to schedule a meeting time with their child(ren)'s teacher(s) on Parents' Night. You will receive an invitation to sign up for a meeting time once the schedules are available.

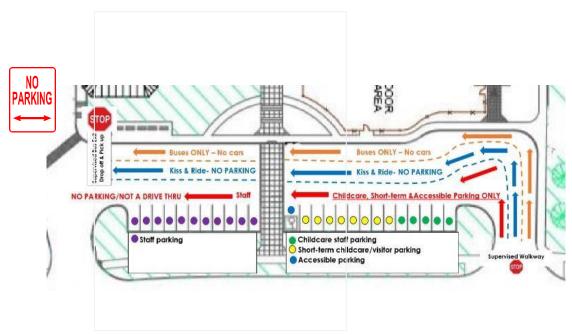
Families that already have an Edsby account may use their previously created account. The username is the full email address that is on file at your child(ren)'s home school and the password is the one created at activation.

Families who **do not have** an Edsby account will need to create one to access the online appointment scheduler for their child's teachers for the virtual conference. **An up-to-date and valid email address must be provided to your child's home school.** For help creating an Edsby account, <u>instructions can be found on the Board website</u>. An email from York Region District School Board with instructions on how to create an Edsby account will be sent to your email inbox. If you do not receive the email, please check your junk mail folder to ensure you do not miss this opportunity.

EDSBY will be open for parents to book an interview November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9:00AM.

#### **MORNING CHANGES!**

Our morning drop off has been going much smoother as parents begin to gain a better understanding of which lanes to use, and where to let students out of their cars. Two changes will be taking place next week:



One change you will notice this month is that we have set up a yellow "gate" in front of the staff only parking lot at the side of the school. Some parents have been parking here, and with our student population growing, there are not enough parking spots for staff at the side of the building. We are asking that parents do not park at the side of our building as this is where staff park. It is also where any deliveries are dropped off. This area is not supervised, and we want to make sure our students are safe when they arrive, and leave at the end of the day.

The second change will be where/when our students enter the building. As the students are dropped off, we will be having all students go to the tarmac at the back of the school. Students will have a chance to play until 8:15. A bell will sound at 8:15, at which time the students will enter the building in an organized manner. Any students arriving after 8:20 will be asked to enter the front doors.

### SCHOOL COUNCIL

Our next school council meeting will be held November 9th from 6:30-7:30. If you are not on our school council mailing list, and you would like to be added, please email <a href="mailto:scott.richards@yrdsb.ca">scott.richards@yrdsb.ca</a>!

# PICTURE DAY

Picture day will be held November 26<sup>th</sup>. Please see the flyer attached to this email for more details!

## **LUNCH ASSISTANTS WANTED**

We are in need of additional lunch assistants this year! If you are interested in applying for this paid position, please email <a href="mailto:seanna.heard@yrdsb.ca">seanna.heard@yrdsb.ca</a> for more information!