

Richmond Rose Weekly Communication				
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Date: May 17th, 2019				

International and Indigenous Languages (IIL) Program Registration for 2019-2020

Elementary International and Indigenous Languages Program Registration for the 2019-2020 school year is underway. We are pleased to announce that we are now offering [online registration](#) for our elementary program. Registering online will eliminate wait times and long line-ups. [Online registration](#) is available through Edsby. Please see the attached brochure for more information about our programs. Families can still register in person at the language site now and in September. Please contact our office at international.languages@yrdsb.ca if you would like to register in person before September. For more information about registration, courses, dates and locations, please visit www.yrdsb.ca/international-languages or e-mail us at international.languages@yrdsb.ca.

Le Club Update

Our exciting **SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION** Packages are available for pick-up. Do not miss the early bird pricing!
Locations in Richmond Hill: Beynon Fields P.S. and Silver Stream P.S.
Call 905-881- 8585 or 905-881-8595 or visit www.le-club.ca

Looking for an affordable and play based care for your children?
Registration for September 2019 is now open.
Email any/all inquiries to rrleclub@gmail.com

Kids Kitchen Update

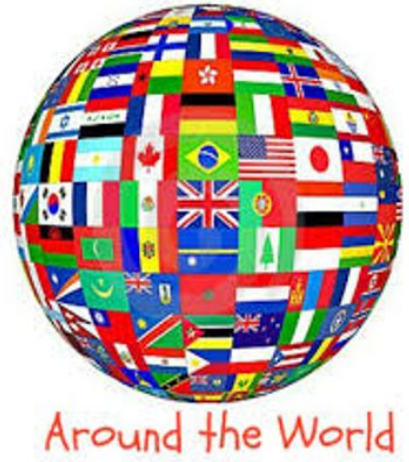
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Cultural Connections

Travel Around The World in One Night



**CULTURAL
CONNECTIONS
MAY 23rd
6:30-8:30**



**RICHMOND ROSE INVITES FAMILIES TO
CELEBRATE THE CULTURES OF
RICHMOND ROSE**

Come and engage in reach conversation, specialty food and music that highlights the beauty of each culture!

Families are welcome to come and begin the journey at 6:30, until 8:30.

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2019

Door prizes – Food – Culture - Celebration

Cell Phone Policy

A real focus for us as at Richmond Rose P.S. is to ensure a safe climate for learning so that students are fully prepared for lessons and any distractions are eliminated. To support this, we have made the decision to ban the use of mobile phones within the school because of the

negative effect on student learning and well-being. If students decide to bring phones to school, they are to be kept in their locker for the ENTIRE day. At no time will mobile phones be permitted to be used during school hours.

The progressive approach of consequences will be implemented at Richmond Rose P.S. as follows:

A warning will be given to the student and they will also be asked to place the cell phone in their locker for the remainder of the day.

1. A warning will be given to the student and they will also be asked to place the cell phone in their locker for the remainder of the day. Further, a call will be made home to inform the parents/guardians.
2. The student will be asked to take their phone to the office. The phone will be placed, by the student, in a designated safe place. The student can then pick up their phone at the end of the day.
3. The student will be asked to take their phone to the office. The phone will be placed, by the student, in a designated safe place. At this point a phone call will be made home with the requirement for a parent / guardian to collect the phone on their child's behalf.

The restriction is in place at all times while students are on school grounds. This includes school entry, recess and lunch. Phones should not be accessed by students until they have left school. All student-parent communication should be directed through the school office.

Infractions will be dealt with as student discipline, under the Safe and Supportive Schools Policy and Procedures. Failure to comply with any of the aforementioned rules may result in student suspension.

Parking Lot Safety

PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN THE STAFF PARKING LOT AND DO NOT BLOCK STAFF CARS AT ANY POINT IN THE DAY. PLEASE RESPECT THE SAFETY OF ALL OF OUR STUDENTS, PARENTS AND STAFF.

The safety of our students is our top priority and we need your cooperation to ensure that we are able to keep your children safe. **Parents are to use the kiss-and-ride to drop off children and not park in staff parking spots** and have children run across the parking lot.

In addition, for those that choose to park on the street and have your children j-walk across the road, we recommend that you walk over to the crosswalk and cross with the crossing guard. This will ensure a safe crossing for all of our students. A reminder that u-turns are not permitted on Frank Endean Drive as this creates an even greater risk of an accident.

We appreciate your attention and cooperation in this matter.

Parking Lot Safety	
DO	DON'T

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Walk or ride (bike or scooter) to school with your child(ren) or have your child walk or ride to school with a group of people • Students should use the paved walking areas when walking to the school yard • Use the Kiss and Ride to drop off your child(ren) • Park in legal areas on the street • Cross the street at the crosswalk • Drive with extreme caution, assuming children have the right of way 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DO NOT PARK OR STOP IN THE BUS LOOP at any time of the day and regardless of the weather • Do not allow students to run across the parking lot • Do not J-Walk across Frank Endean Rd. • Do not do any U-Turns on Frank Endean Rd. • Do not park in the staff parking lot to drop off or pick up your child(ren)
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WEEK AT-A-GLANCE				
MONDAY May 20 Day 0	TUESDAY May 21 Day 1	WEDNESDAY May 22 Day 2	THURSDAY May 23 Day 3	FRIDAY May 24 Day 4
Victoria Day - no school	Pizza Lunch EQAO #1 of 6	EQAO #2 of 6	Subway Lunch EQAO #3 of 6 Cultural Connections 5:30 - 8:30	Zoo Trip - Grades 1 and 2, Primary Community Class
<u>Upcoming Events:</u> May 21 - 31 EQAO testing (details to follow) May 28 - Grade 7 Vaccinations May 31 - Grade 7 to Scenic Caves June 3 - PD Day June 6 - Area Track and Field June 7 - House Assembly June 10 - School Council June 12 - SSC Wonderland Trip June 14 - Gr 5 Kortright Trip June 19 - Grade 8 Graduation (5:00 - 7:00 Ceremony at Richmond Green Secondary School then 7:30 - 10:30 Dinner and Dance; more information to follow)				

Richmond Rose – TOUCHSTONE At Richmond Rose, we take responsibility for our work, words and actions. We put in our best efforts, enjoy our successes, and learn from our mistakes. We embrace each other's differences and care for each other's feelings. We think before we speak and use words that are appropriate for school. Our community is a safe community; a place where we treat people with kindness, respect and dignity. No one is afraid at our school. At Richmond Rose, we are free to succeed!