

Schomberg Public School

Discover Kindergarten

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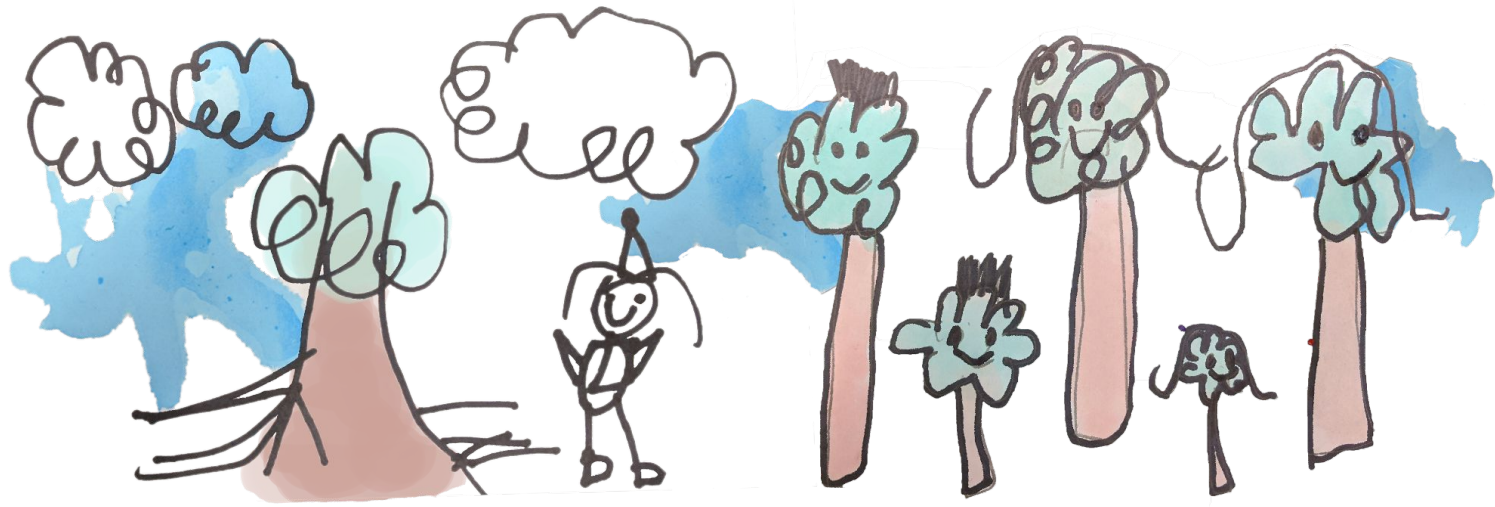
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Land Acknowledgment



I take care of the land.

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listen



Welcome to Schomberg Public School!



- Big step
- Setting the foundation for lifelong learning
- Exciting time for you and your child
- Partnership between your family and the school in supporting your child's learning



S.P.S. Kindergarten Staff

2022 - 2023

Principal	Mr. C. Trute
Office	Mrs. J. Hall & Mrs. R. Picillo
Full Day Kindergarten	Mrs. S. Zupnik & Ms. V. Ball
SK/1	Ms. S. Michel & Mrs. H. Grimshaw
D.S.W.	Ms. L. Matcham & Ms. M. Whitton

Let Me Introduce Myself

Hi friends!

I'm Mrs. Zupnik and I am thrilled to be your child's classroom teacher at Schomberg Public School. Kindergarten is the most amazing place for learning through play, inquiry and wondering! I can't wait to meet each student and family as we begin a new year of learning together in September.



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Let Me Introduce Myself

Hi my name is Ms. Ball. I am your child's Designated Early Childhood Educator in the Year 1 and Year 2 Kindergarten classroom. I have been teaching at Schomberg Public School for 9 years. I enjoy everyday with our youngest learners and teaching them to explore, play, inquire and be successful. I look forward to meeting and speaking with you and being a team to make your child's kindergarten years fun, safe and educational. In my spare time I enjoy scrapbooking, gardening and snowshoeing.



Ms. Ball

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Let Me Introduce Myself

Hello,
I'm Ms. Michel and I am
the SK/1 Teacher at
Schomberg Public
School! This is my fifth
year teaching at this
school. I love this small
community. In my spare
time I like to garden, ride
my bike and try out new
recipes! 😊



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Let Me Introduce Myself

Hello!

I'm Mrs.Grimshaw. I am a Designated Early Childhood Educator in the SK/1 classroom. I love using children's natural curiosity to help them to learn through play about the world around them. I strive for a positive early childhood experience for all students here at Schomberg Public School!

In my spare time I like to read, swim, and travel.



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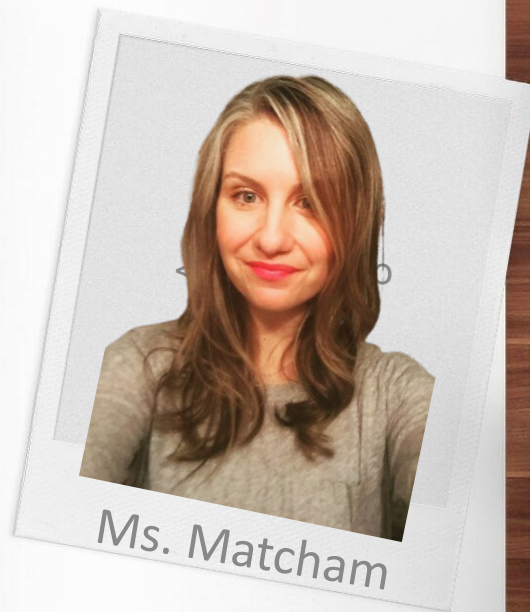
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Let Me Introduce Myself

My name is Lara Matcham and I am the Developmental Support Worker at Schomberg Public School. This will be my sixth year at Schomberg Public School and I have been working for the YRDSB for eleven years!

In my spare time, I enjoy spending time with my five year old niece, reading, hiking and spending time at the waterfront in Barrie where I live!

I look forward to getting to spend time in kindergarten and getting to know all of our new friends!



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Let Me Introduce Myself

My name is Melissa Whitton and I am a Developmental Support Worker at Schomberg Public School. This will be my second year at Schomberg Public School. This is such a great school! In my spare time I like to spend time with my dogs and go for walks and spend time outside. I look forward to meeting you and getting to spend time with you all in September!



Ms. Whitton

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Goals of this presentation...

- To support you in preparing your child for the first year of school
- To set the stage for success
- To find out a little more about Kindergarten at S.P.S.



Full Day Kindergarten

- Year 1 and 2 children attend school every day
- Two educators (Kindergarten Teacher and Designated Early Childhood Educator) working as a team to support your child's learning and development.
- The Ministry's Full-Day Early Learning-Kindergarten Program is a two-year continuum and addresses learning in:
 - Belonging and Contributing
 - Demonstrating Literacy and Mathematical Behaviours
 - Self Regulation and Well Being
 - Problem Solving and Innovating



Daily Schedule

- Monday - Friday
- 8:50a.m. – 3:20p.m.
 - Morning recess 10:30_{a.m.} - 11:00_{a.m.}
 - Lunch 12:40_{p.m.} - 1:00_{p.m.}
 - Afternoon recess 1:00_{p.m.} - 1:40_{p.m.}

Our Daily Visual Kindergarten Schedule





Singing Songs



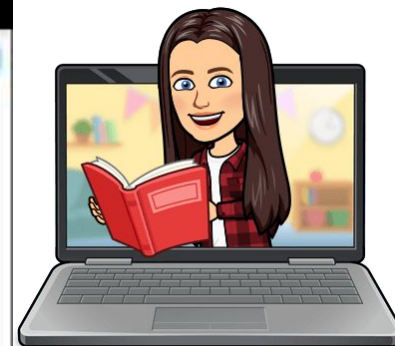


Fingerplay and Action Songs

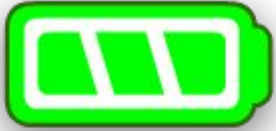




Reading Stories



Feelings and Self Regulation



Kindergarten Classroom Visit



Playful Learning in Kindergarten



There are so many wonderful things we do at school when we learn and play together.

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Getting Ready for Kindergarten

- Self help skills
 - The Kindergarten team is always here to help and encourage independence
 - Practise dressing yourself, using the bathroom on your own (flushing, wiping, washing hands)
- Recognize and write your name
- Play with letters and numbers



Washroom and Self-Help Routines

- At school, children:
 - Use washroom independently
 - Wash hands with soap
 - Dress and undress
 - Belts, overalls, zippers, buttons
 - Coat, boots, hats, mittens, shoes

Let's get ready to play in the snow!

1	2	3	4	5
				
snow pants	boots	coat	hat	gloves



What to Bring to Kindergarten

- Back pack
- Lunch Bag
- Dress for activity and the weather
- Change of clothing
- Indoor and Outdoor Shoes
- All clothing should be labelled



Children do not need their own school supplies.

SPS School Council



Schomberg Public School Council

We're on Facebook!
**Join the Schomberg Public School
Council Private Facebook group for
real-time updates, event info,
reminders and more.**
Send a request to join the group



SPS School Council

Did you know?... EVERY parent is welcome to attend the meetings and volunteer at our events. Involvement with the School Council gives you the opportunity to meet parents of other students and strengthen relationships between parents, the school, and the community.

Meetings are held on the 3rd Tuesday of the month. All meetings start at 7:00 pm

Why do we fundraise?

Most education funding is based on enrollment. This means that funding for teachers, education assistants, textbooks and learning materials, classroom supplies, computers, services and more is allocated on a per student basis.

The School Council provides additional funding to the school, to supplement the provincial funding, which uses these funds to enhance the programs and activities currently at Schomberg Public School.

Where does the money go?

In recent years the School Council has helped to fund the cost share for new laptops, books, teacher allocations, speakers, arts and literacy supplies, new gym equipment, Scientists in the classrooms, and transportation for field trips.... And that's just to name a few!

We hope that you will consider joining us next year on Council!

Helpful Information

School Bus Information:

www.schoolbuscity.com

For information on bus routes, stop locations, times, late arrivals, cancellation, eligibility, registering a complaint, safety and general information, please visit website or contact the York Region Student Transportation Services School Bus Information Line at 1-877-330-3001, accessible 24 hours a day.



Before & After Care

**Schomberg Village
Childcare**

Thank You and See You in September!

