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Dear Parents/Guardians,

RE: French Immersion Accommodation Plan for Victoria Square Public School and Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School

The Victoria Square Public School and Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School French Immersion grade structure requires change due to enrolment growth at Victoria Square Public School and available space at Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School.

Effective September 2023, Victoria Square Public School will no longer offer Grade 2 French Immersion and Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School will return to providing Grades 2 to 8 French Immersion. Current Grade 1 French Immersion students at Victoria Square Public School will attend Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School for Grade 2 in September 2023 to complete their elementary French Immersion programming at Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School.

Transportation

Bus stop times and routes will consider the movement of the Grade 2 French Immersion program. Information on bus stop times for all students will be available on schoolbuscity.com in August 2023.

Before and After Care Programs

A before and after care program operates at both Victoria Square Public School and Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School. The providers are aware of the change for Grade 2 French Immersion. Please contact the provider directly should you wish to enroll or make changes to your before or after care for September 2023.

Board and school staff will be supporting students throughout this transition. If you have any questions, please contact your school principal.

Sincerely,

Michael Cohen, Superintendent of Schools

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