

School Council Meeting

October, 6th 2020
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15:00

AGENDA

6:30 Welcome

- What is a School Council?
- Elections (if required)

Co-Chairs

6:40 Old business and approval of last meeting's minutes

- Overview of last year

All

6:45 Treasurer Report

Todd

6:50 Principal/VP Report

Todd/Ryan

- School Closure
- Re-opening
- o Staffing and Enrollment
- o Keeping Elementary Schools Safe
- o New Procedures and Protocols
- o Bussing

7:15 New Business

- Insurance
- Fundraising Sub-Committee
- Speakers and topics for future meetings

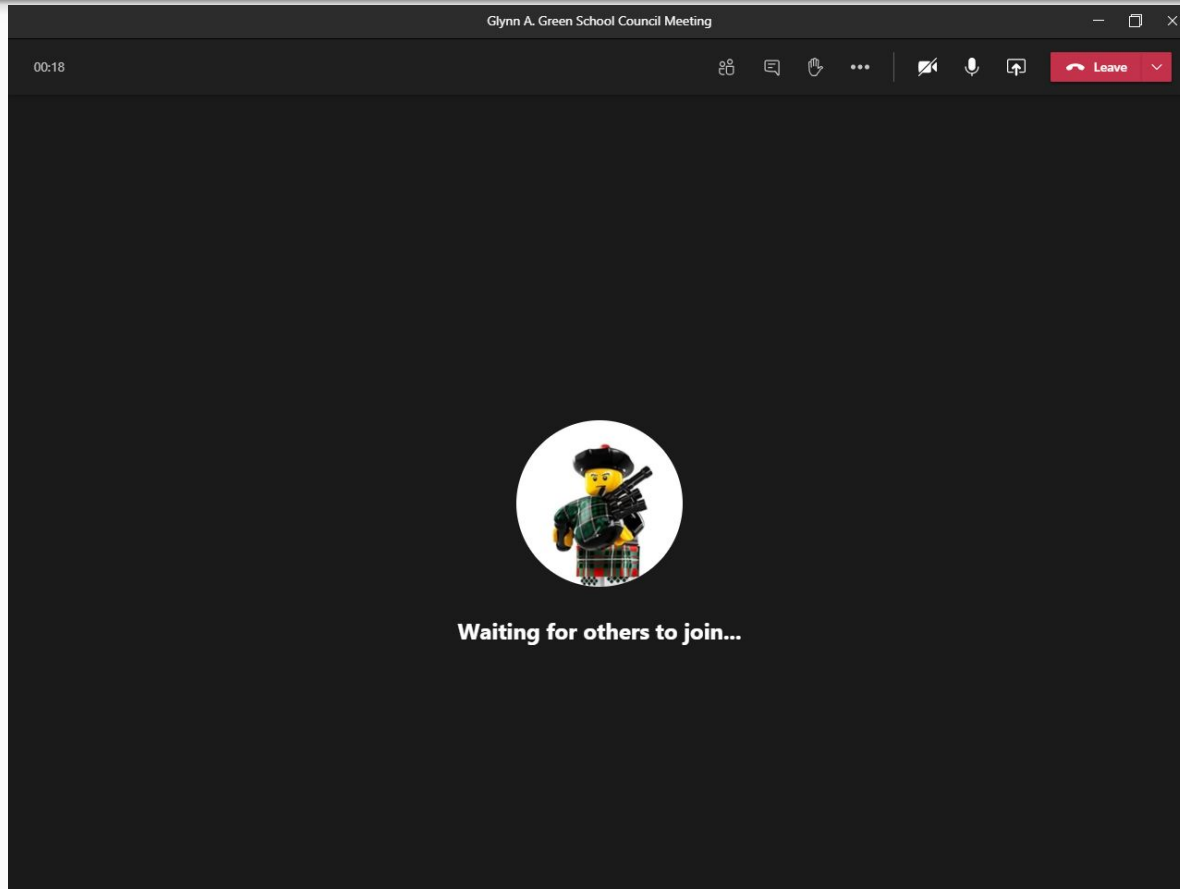
7:30 Adjournment and next meeting – TBD

Co-Chairs

We will get through this.

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TOGETHER.

Microsoft Teams Walk Through



Welcome

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- **Overview of last year**

Treasurer's Report

School Council Fundraising

\$6030.94

Principal/VP Report

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Todd/Ryan

COVID-19

Safety – Well-Being – Learning



- School Closure
 - Ministry of Education Announcements
 - DSBN shift to Virtual learning
 - Retrieval of Personal Items
 - Retrieval of Graduation items
- Re-opening
 - Groups working through the summer
 - Building Readiness
 - Timetabling
 - Training
 - Classroom Setup
 - Bussing
 - Parent Intention Survey
 - Virtual School

Principal/VP Report

- Staffing and Enrollment
 - August Staffing and Timetabling
 - September Staffing and Timetabling
 - November Staffing and Timetabling
- New Procedures and Protocols
- Bussing

Todd/Ryan

Keeping our Schools Safe Together

Daily Health Assessment

- Parent completing daily self-assessment of their child
- Mandatory self-assessment of staff

COVID-19 Symptoms Protocol

- Prevention and response in partnership with Niagara Public Health should a student or staff member have a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19

Masks and PPE

- Using when mandatory and appropriate for the activity

Classroom Communities

- Students learning in same classroom with same teacher
- Option for Voluntary Learning at Home

Minimizing Contact

- Not sharing instructional supplies
- Personal water bottles
- Restricting visitors into the school
- No assemblies
- Changing classroom layout

Mental Health and Well-being Supports

- Together learning from research-based strategies to be strong and resilient.
- Mindfulness strategies to support students with their self-regulation and confidence

Hygiene Practices

- Training of and teaching proper skills
- Signage to teach and prompt proper handwashing, coughing and sneezing etiquette

Enhanced Cleaning

- High touch surfaces disinfecting after use
- Removing upholstered and soft items

Physical Distancing

- Putting as much space between people as possible
- Directional flow in hallways
- Revising entry and exits

Signage

- For access, education, and reminders

Training, Teaching & Coaching


- Students learning new skills in class to stay safe
- All DSBN staff trained before school year on COVID-19 specific health and safety

Timetabling

Each Cycle has 100 periods (10 - 20 min periods, 90- 40 min periods = 95 - 40 min periods)

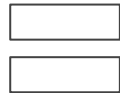
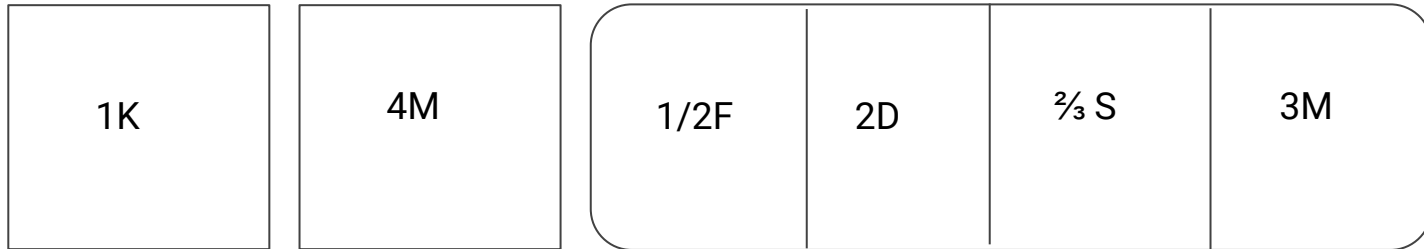
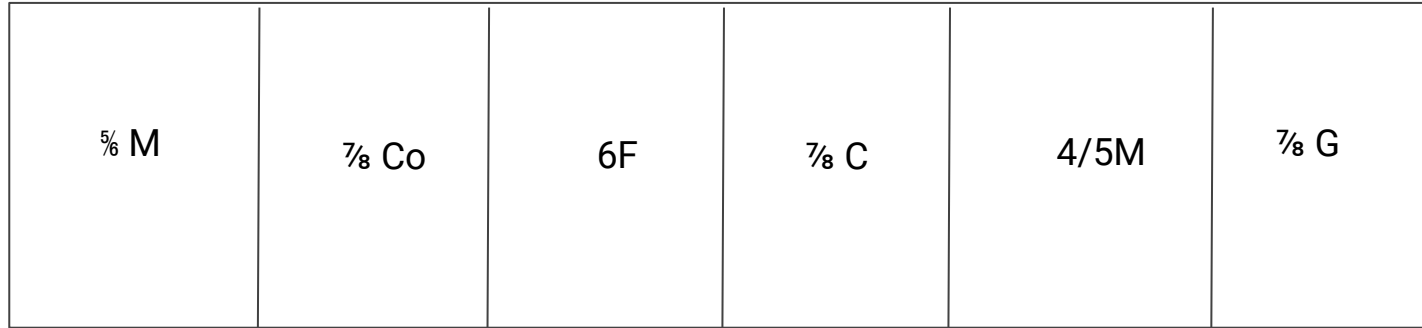
Instructional Minutes	3000 min <i>2520 min (HR Teacher)</i> <i>480 min (Prep Teacher)</i>	75 (40 min periods) <i>63 (40 min periods)</i> <i>12 (40 min periods)</i>
Nutrition/Fitness Breaks	800 min	20 (40 minute periods)

September Staggered Opening

Students attending In School learning					
	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
	September 7	September 8	September 9	September 10	September 11
					
When does my child attend school?	Labour Day - No School	Kindergarten Grade 1	Kindergarten Grade 1 Grade 2 Grade 3	Kindergarten Grade 1 Grade 2 Grade 3 Grade 4 Grade 5 Grade 6	Kindergarten Grade 1 Grade 2 Grade 3 Grade 4 Grade 5 Grade 6 Grade 7 Grade 8
Designated Special Education classes will all return on Tuesday September 8					

Outdoor Class Placements

Lower field will walk along the pathway beside the park to come up to the school.



Walking lane between the hill and the upper field classes

PA Day Overview

Tuesday

- COVID Health and Safety Training
- COVID School Staff Guide Classroom Set-up Guidelines
- Class List - Overview
- Timetables
- Classroom Time

Wednesday

- AM - Mental Health and Equity and Inclusion
- EAP (PP)
- Family Contacts
- PM - Self Directed PD - Online Incident Reporting Module
- 7 - H and S modules in Staff Portal

Thursday

- Aspen Training
- New Math Curriculum
- Optional PD for Kindergarten Educators (11:00 and 1:00)
- Physical Activity PD - recommended 1 teacher per school attend (11:00 and 1:00)

COVID-19 School and Child Care Screening

- Screening Tool
- <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/>

THANK YOU



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