



# Grand Erie District School Board

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Dear French Immersion Families,

**Re: French Immersion Kindergarten Registration**

Grand Erie District School Board is in the process of implementing a French Immersion Accommodation plan that includes greater consultation with families and stakeholders.

Senior Administration, in the meantime, will manage the growth of the program by implementing a cap on enrolment for the 2016-17 school year. This will have an impact on the Kindergarten students in dual-track and single-track French Immersion who begin school in September and whose parents typically would register their child in January.

A registration process will be presented in a report to the Board of Trustees at the Committee of the Whole Meeting No. 1 on Monday, January 11, 2016 for approval.

The process that will be outlined in the report to the Board will include details about how our families who currently have children in French Immersion can enrol their Kindergarten-age child. In addition, the process will outline how new families can register and how the selection of students into the program will be determined for September 2016.

Pending Trustee approval, information about the registration process for French Immersion Kindergarten will be posted in *The Future of French Immersion* section on January 12, 2016, accessed from the scrolling banner at [www.granderie.ca](http://www.granderie.ca).

Registration for French Immersion Kindergarten will then be open on January 13, 2016 at École Dufferin, École Fairview, Burford District Elementary School, Caledonia Centennial Public School and Walsh Public School.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees and Senior Administration, we extend our best wishes to you and your family throughout the holiday season.

Sincerely,

David Dean  
Chair of the Board

Brenda Blancher  
Director of Education