



LOCKVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Dear Lockview Families,

We are excited to begin a new school year and welcome back our Lockview Leopards! Hopefully, you have had a chance to see the video we made last week showing you how we are getting our school prepared for a safe return. Keep your eyes peeled for another video coming out at the end of the week.

A new school schedule has been created in compliance with COVID-19 protocols. As a result, our bell times have changed slightly. Please see updated bell times below. Niagara Student Transportation Services (bussing), crossing guards and YMCA Day Care are aware of our changes.

We are starting the new school schedule on **Tuesday, September 8th**.

8:30 a.m.	Entry Bell
8:30 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.	Period 1 - Entry with class community
8:50 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Period 2
9:30 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.	Period 3
10:10 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.	Period 4
10:50 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Period 5
11:30 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.	Period 6
12:10 p.m. – 12:50 p.m.	Period 7
12:50 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Period 8
1:30 p.m. – 2:10 p.m.	Period 9
2:10 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	Period 10
2:50 p.m.	Dismissal with class community

A reminder that all elementary DSBN schools will be implementing a staggered entry return to school.

	MON September 7	TUE September 8	WED September 9	THU September 10	FRI 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
		Low Enrollment Classes	Low Enrollment Classes	Low Enrollment Classes	Low Enrollment Classes

A few important notes:

Kindergarten

- Upon entry, students will be greeted by staff at the gate and staff will accompany students directly into their classrooms. Parents/Guardians will say goodbye at the Kindergarten Courtyard gate. Unfortunately, parents will not be permitted beyond the gate. At dismissal, there will be a designated location for pick up. Your child's teacher will communicate this location with you by phone this week.

Grades 1-8

- Parents will say goodbye at Lockview's Kiss and Ride or by either gate to the school yard. Unfortunately, parents will not be permitted in the school yard before or after school.
- Students will be greeted by staff and proceed to walk along the designated walking area (demarked by a yellow line) to their outdoor designated class communities (demarked by red lines).
- Students will remain in outdoor designated class communities for entry and dismissal (entry/dismissal as a class community). Upon dismissal, students will be escorted by their teacher to their outdoor designated class communities for dismissal to parent(s)/guardian(s) who are waiting at the Kiss & Ride or gate.
- Students in Grades 4-8 are to wear masks upon entry to the school yard (past the gate) each morning and during dismissal each afternoon.

All Students

- On the first day of school, teachers will review various routines including mask protocol, handwashing, physical distancing, hallway flow and directional arrows, washroom use and cough and sneeze protocol, etc.
- Nutrition and fitness breaks will be staggered throughout the day for each classroom community (i.e., periods 3 and 6 or 4 and 7 or 5 and 8).
- Students walking home will be dismissed when their class community is dismissed. A bus routine will be shared with bus students on their first day of school.
- There will be staff supervising before school for 20 minutes and after school for 20 minutes until Friday, October 2. Beginning Monday, October 5, there will be staff supervising before school for only **15 minutes** and after school for 20 minutes.

If you have any questions, kindly reach out.

Miss Rosemary Findlay, Principal
Ms. Stacy Turner, Vice-Principal