

September 9, 2011

Dear Parents:

A new school year is underway and with it comes a fresh start and the possibility of new classmates and teachers, combined with exciting new learning goals. The 2011-12 school year at WBES brings with it a variety of opportunities and challenges and they often look alike. One of those opportunities/challenges is an increase in enrollment at WBES. We are celebrating the increased enrollment as it provides us the option to create an even more positive learning environment for our students with the addition of a classroom that will result in smaller class sizes. The challenges we face include the reconfiguration of our classroom assignments and the time it will take to hire the new teacher. We anticipate our new teacher will be in place within two weeks.

After considering what we believe are all the options we have decided to reconfigure all our classes, resulting in smaller class sizes for all students. New class configurations are:

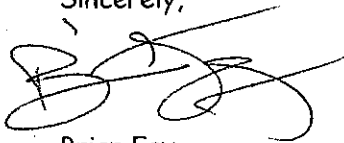
K/1 Mader/Fraser  
1/2 Macdonald  
2/3 Harpur/Fraser  
4/5 new teacher  
5/6 Eaton  
6/7 Bragg

Please be assured that decisions regarding classroom assignments have been made after much deliberation, consultation with staff, and with your child's best interest in mind. In order to avoid start up issues and a delay in the educational program of your child, changes will be implemented on the arrival of the new teacher.

Your child has been assigned to

As always, I appreciate your support and invite you to stop in at any time in support of your child's program and progress. We, the staff of WBES are privileged to have the opportunity to be a partner in the growth and development of your child. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me at the school.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brian Foy', with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

Brian Foy