

Hello Grand Avenue families!

What a great first day! It was so nice to see so many happy, smiling faces. Here are a few updates:



Verification Forms

Your child should have brought home their verification form. Please look these over carefully, make any necessary corrections and sign/date and return to school as soon as possible. Please ensure you also fill out the back of the form!

Drop Off/Pick Up Reminders

To ensure a calm and safe hand-off at drop-off and at dismissal/pick up, we ask that all parents **remain behind the lines** on the pavement at either corner of the building:

- For students in grades 1 & 2, your line is at the corner of the building by the gym (closest to the highway)
- For students in grades 2/3 and 3/4, please drop-off/pick up on the north side by the basketball hoops
- For students in 5/6, 6, 7 & 8, students are dismissed from the back doors leading out to the town pathway
- For our Kindergarten students, parents are asked to wait at their designated line at the back of the school for pick up at 2:50 dismissal.

*We kindly ask that parents drop off and go in the mornings, and pick up and go in the afternoons, in order to avoid congestion.

Medical information

If you have a child with a prevalent medical condition (<u>Anaphylaxis</u>, <u>Asthma</u>, <u>Diabetes</u>, <u>and/or</u> <u>Epilepsy or others</u>) we want to make sure we have a current Plan of Care to support your child. All parents of children with prevalent medical conditions are asked to fill out a new Plan of Care and submit to the school, unless you have already spoken with Mrs. Parkhouse to confirm no changes in your child's condition from last year.

You can download the forms at <u>dsbn.org/prevalent-medical-conditions</u> Please contact the school for more information if you have questions or require support.

School Cash Online

A reminder that if you have not signed up for School Cash Online, please do so as soon as possible. We use this for various permission forms throughout the year. The link for School Cash Online can be found on the right-hand side of our webpage - Grand Ave Webpage.

If you have any questions, concerns or compliments, please contact the school at 905-945-2227 or gra@dsbn.org.

Looking forward to a great year!

Mrs. R. Parkhouse, Principal & Grand Ave Staff