



Evelyn Harrison Public School

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Home and School – Principal’s Report December 5, 2022

1. Staffing

- Ms. Honyust continues to be on a partial leave – Ms. Abbas is here until Dec. 22; we will welcome Ms. Rasenthiran in January

2. NEW: *School Improvement and Equity Plan* (formerly School Improvement Plan for Student Achievement and Well-Being)

To align with TVDSB’s Operational Plan, here’s what we’re doing:

Goal One – Objective #1: Students are successful readers by the end of Grade 2.

Here’s How: Our current goal is focused on reading fluency and comprehension using the strategy Shared Reading/Think-Alouds.

Goal One – Objective #2: Students apply knowledge of numbers and operations to solve math problems in everyday life.

Here’s How: Our current goal is focused on flexibility with number (specifically additive and multiplicative thinking) using the strategy Number/Math Talks

NOTE: Staff will be reviewing our school goals during the January Staff Meeting, taking into consideration current learning needs and assessment data.

3. EQAO Results

- Our school is in alignment with TVDSB and Ontario, except for Gr. 6 Writing (slightly below trend) and Math (significant difference by 30%)
- Math Strategies Support: Ministry support via Math Learning Facilitator; track student performance Fall to Spring

4. Thank you’s:

- Thank you for donating 5 x \$25 Gift Cards for our “Caught you Reading” initiative! This was a HUGE success and supported a great way for parents to get involved with literacy at home!
- We have ordered Option #2 (\$689.42) of the Blue Spruce, Silver Birch and Red Maple

5. Parent Outreach/Support Focus for School Council

- Caregiver Cafes – finalizing the sessions; will have a planning meeting and begin the cafes in the new year

Questions?