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Evelyn Harrison Public School

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Home and School – Principal's Report November 18, 2021

TVDSB's Operational Plan 2020-2022-Updates

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

Here's How: Students are using Raz Kids/Reading A to Z; Interventions: Hearbuilder, Lexia, Early Primary-Phonemic Awareness Groups, Junior/Intermediate-LLI Reading Groups and Empower

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

Here's How: With the assistance of our Math Facilitator, teachers are completing math diagnostics and our Math Facilitator is available to assist teachers with teaching strategies, resources, etc.

Is there an update regarding assisting with the purchase of some MathUp licenses?

Balanced Day

We will be moving forward with the process to officially follow a Balanced Day schedule.

LAAR

- -Initial presentation to board of Trustees on November 9
- -communities are invited to review the recorded meeting and post questions/comments on the TVDSB LAAR webpage https://www.tvdsb.ca/en/our-board/london-attendance-area-review.aspx#
- -Principals will be attending regular update/information meetings and these details will be communicated to the community either centrally or from the school via SchoolMessenger

Exploring and Considering

We are experiencing some "passion" between our Junior and Intermediate students during recess time, which is causing some challenges in sports and maintaining the Junior and Intermediate students in their designated cohort areas. This is quite concerning as we continue to try and get back to "normal" through keeping everyone safe and following Health Unit best practices for COVID. We are exploring and considering reverting back to ½ the school in and ½ the school out: K and Gr 7-8 eating while Gr 1-6 are outside, then K and Gr. 7-8 inside to eat while Gr. 1-6 enjoy their recess. Nutrition Break times would remain the same and both groups will have the same amount of time inside and outside. We need to review the logistics of this prior to making a decision.

Funding Request – J. Bennett

Ms. Bennett initiated a funding request for personal amplifiers for the teachers as speaking with the masks muffles their voices. We found this model on Amazon (this is the model that my previous school had purchased): https://www.amazon.ca/SHIDU-Amplifier-Rechargeable-Bluetooth-

Microphone/dp/B08HQZL6DK/ref=sr_1_1_sspa?dchild=1&keywords=Voice+Amplifier&qid=1611937048&sr=8-1-spons&psc=1&spLa=ZW5jcnlwdGVkUXVhbGlmaWVyPUFaSThLRllEOEFTWEcmZW5jcnlwdGVkSWQ9QTA3MzY3NTYxQzgzWURQSTIzOERPJmVuY3J5cHRlZEFkSWQ9QTAwOTE1NDUxQUxDRzRZS1VEMFFaJndpZGdldE5hbWU9c3BfYXRmJmFjdGlvbj1jbGlja1JlZGlyZWN0JmRvTm90TG9nQ2xpY2s9dHJ1ZQ==

The total cost would be approx. \$1000

Are there any questions?