

Evelyn Harrison Public School

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Home and School – Principal's Report October 2, 2023

1. Staffing

• 12 Homeroom Classes; Reduction in allocations: 0.2 CLST (Classroom Literacy Support Teacher) & 0.2 ML

2. School Improvement Plan and School Goal

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: We have, once again, purchased a Reading A to Z license and student licenses of Raz Kids for the majority of students K to Gr. 6. Ms. Hayes, our CLST, is assisting in gather reading/phonemic awareness data from early Primary students to plan for focused intervention and direct instruction. Our 1st Literacy Team Meeting was last week and we will be meeting every 6-8 weeks to review student progress and reading data.

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

Here's How: The Ministry and TVDSB have purchased some digital math programs to support students (Edwin: Gr. 7&8; Knowledgehook Gr. 1-8; Mathology Gr. 2-6). Teachers can choose what digital programs to use based on their students and their math program. These are supplementary to MathUp.

NEW: Classroom Math Support Teacher (CMST). Based on EQAO scores from 2 years ago, our Grade 6 students will receive direct intervention support from our CMST.

NEW: De-streaming Coach – itinerant teacher to work with Gr. 7&8 as a bridge to Gr. 9&10 and support literacy and numeracy

3. Fundraising Requests

 Caregiver Cafes – we plan on having 4 cafes this year and would greatly appreciate the support to purchase snacks and coffee

Questions?