

First Grade Timeline Modified Schedule 2012-2013



Dear First Grade Families,

We are very excited about the new school year. We have been provided with the opportunity to work with your children in small groups. This means that for two days, the first grade will work on a modified dismissal schedule. Some students will be dismissed at 11:30pm while some others stay until the regular 3:05pm dismissal. This will allow us to truly get to know the children as individuals both socially and academically. More importantly the children will be provided with an environment in which they can make new friends, become comfortable with their new teacher, and familiar with the routines of the class.

On the first days of school your child will be designated as an A or B group member. This group designation will indicate on which days, Aug. 26, or Aug. 27, that your child will have a 11:30pm or a 3:05 dismissal time. Your child will be dismissed at 11:30 on one of the two days. This modified schedule is for these two days only. Your child's group designation will be sent home on August 23rd.

August 2012				
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
19	20	21 School begins, 3:05pm dismissal for all grade 1	22 3:05pm dismissal for all grade 1	23 3:05pm dismissal for all grade 1
26 <i>Modified Schedule</i> 11:30pm or 3:05pm dismissal for Grade 1	27 <i>Modified Schedule</i> 11:30pm or 3:05pm dismissal for Grade 1	28 3:05pm dismissal for all grade 1	29 3:05pm dismissal for all grade 1	30 3:05pm dismissal for all grade 1

We know that planning for these unusual days can be tricky, but we truly believe that this schedule will allow students to have the best start to their first grade experience. Thank you for your understanding.

Fondly,
The Grade 1 Teacher