Dear Families:

Our first (half) day of school for the 2020 / 2021 school year is Tuesday, September 1. This is a very important day; we welcome students and parents back to another school year and confirm the students who will be attending École Henry Kelsey. Please note that students who ride the bus to school will be dismissed at 11:45 a.m. Students who are accompanied by a parent/guardian may leave after the first hour.

**Registration Day/Week Information:**

- **If your child is unable to attend registration day, please call the office (306-683-7240) and let us know.**
- **On Tuesday, September 1st**, students will meet staff in the back school yard and will gather by grade when the bell rings. Staff and students will enter the school and meet as a grade grouping.
- **On Wednesday, September 2nd**, students will return to the space from the previous day to meet their teacher and be taken to their classroom. This will be a full day of classes for Gr. 1-8 students.
- **Staggered entry for Kindergarten students** will be half days on Wednesday, September 2, Thursday, September 3 and Friday, September 4. Students will attend one of these half days and begin their regular schedule the week of September 8.
- **Classrooms will not be finalized the first week** as students register or leave our school. Please be patient and we will do our best to set classrooms as quickly as possible.

**Bussing Information:**

- **Buses will run on Tuesday** for Grade 1-8 students already registered for bus service. (This includes students who rode the bus in the 2019/20 school year or are newly registered for bus service and have been contacted with bus stop location and time information by the bus driver/company.) Bussing for Kindergarten students will begin on their staggered entry day.
- **We thank you in advance for your patience** as it can sometimes take up to 2 weeks for bus routes to be established and wrinkles ironed out.
- **Please do not park in our school bus zone. Please note parking tickets are issued.**
- **In the interest of student safety, please do not use the parking lots for drop off or pick up of students.**

**School Hours for 2020-2021:**

- 8:40 a.m. Supervision begins
- 8:50 a.m. Warning bell
- 8:55 a.m. Classes start
- 10:40 a.m. - 10:55 a.m. Recess
- 11:45 a.m. - 12:35 p.m. Lunch
- 12:32 p.m. Warning bell
- 12:35 p.m. Classes start
- 2:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Recess
- 3:20 p.m. Dismissal
- 3:30 p.m. Buses depart

**Fees to be paid at main office in the first week of school:**

- **Grade 6-8 Band Fee is $25** (cheques made payable to: École Henry Kelsey).
- **Please contact the school if you have any questions about fees.**

*Saskatoon Public Schools covers the $28 cost of all student fees. On occasion, additional requests for money may be needed to support special field trips or projects.

Have a great summer—see you in the fall.