



E-Memo for Wayoata School Families – September 9-13, 2024

Sept 9th

- **Last Day of Staggered Entry for Odd-Day Kindergartens (Ladybugs)**
- **WSSC Meeting – 6:00pm in the Library MPR**

Sept 10th

- **First Day of Full Classes for Even-Day Kindergartens (Caterpillars)**

Sept 11th

- **First Day of Full Classes for Odd-Day Kindergartens (Ladybugs)**
- **Grade 4/5 Bus Patrol Training**

Coming Up:

Sept 16th & 17th – Fall Bus Evacuation Practices

Sept 19th & 20th – Wayoata School Picture Days (more info to come)

Sept 23rd – 27th – Truth & Reconciliation Week

Sept 30th Truth & Reconciliation Day – School Closed



Please be aware that there is no parking and no student pick up/drop off in the lane behind the school from 7:45am-8:45am and 3:00pm-3:45pm. Students should also not be let out on directly in front of the school on Wayoata Street, as this is a safety concern with the high traffic in the mornings and after school. We would ask that drop-offs occur at the designated drop-off zone. See information and map below.

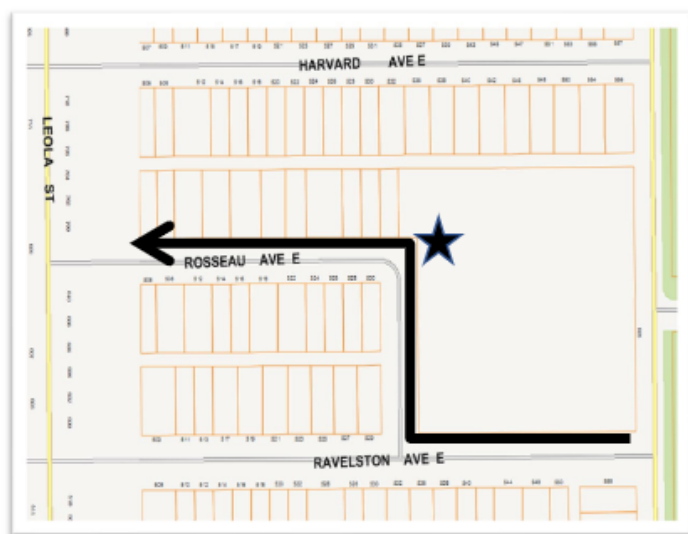
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
For Parents Driving Students To and From School – DROP OFF and PICK UP ZONE

Wayoata School has a drop off and pick up zone on Rosseau Avenue along the west side of the playground to allow for the safe drop off and pick up of students. While in the zone, stop, but do not exit your vehicle. At least one staff member will be on duty in this zone from 8:20-8:30 before school and at 3:15 after school to help students make their way safely to and from the vehicles. As soon as your child exits the vehicle, please leave the zone to reduce traffic congestion. You can be assured that the staff on duty will ensure the children get into the school safely.

To meet the traffic bylaws, parents who are using the zone, **MUST** stay in their vehicle. The traffic bylaws allow for parents to stop to drop off or pick up students but not to get out of their vehicle.

The following is a map of the zone. To make this a safe zone, parents should come from Wayoata Street and turn on Ravelston Ave., follow Ravelston Ave. and turn right onto Rosseau Ave as shown by the arrow below.



-  Student drop off/pick up point and playground entrance.
-  Staff will be on duty.

Important Information & Opportunities for Families:

- Parents of students returning to Wayoata, please update the Student Verification forms that were send home and send back in your child's bag as soon as possible (students new to Wayoata do not receive these forms).
- Wayoata's School Website is in the process of being updated and now displays the most recent student fee/supply forms, which reflect the same information as the forms sent home in June. We thank you for your patience and understanding during the divisional student information system changeover, and as we continue to update our system, site, and information.

RETLife Registrations are open for Fall 2024 Programming!

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- [Intro to Computers and Internet Safety](#)
- [Basketball for Youth](#)
- [Circus Skills with Sleepy the Clown](#)
- [Babysitting](#)
- [WEVAS Training](#)
- [Creating a Mandala Dot Pumpkin](#)
- [Gym Ringette](#)
- [Engineering For Kids – Car Joust](#)
- [Kids Can Draw](#)
- [Battle Bots – LEGO Robotics](#)
- [Parent and Child Paint Night](#)
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