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As promised, there is more information to share!

Bussing Etiquette:



- Students are expected to follow the safety rules on the bus. They are to sit in their seat and refrain from moving around the bus when it is in transit. They are to treat each other and the bus driver kindly.
- Bus transportation is an extension of the school day and subject to the Provincial Code of Conduct Policy. Personal use of mobile devices while waiting for, or riding the bus needs to align with the expectations. Students may not record or take pictures while on the bus.
- **Students who are taking the bus but sometimes want to walk will need to decide with their family what days those are. These set days must be communicated to the classroom teachers and the office.** If a child wants to walk on a day they are supposed to take the bus, **this must be communicated ahead of time to the classroom teacher AND the office (cres@hrce.ca).**
- Students not following bus protocols run the risk of not being able to use the bus. Everyone deserves a safe ride to and from school.



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Attendance Policy:

You can find information on the updated attendance policy [here](#)

- We want our students to be attending school regularly.
- We know sometimes people think that it doesn't matter in Elementary school - but it DOES.
- A student coming in late just by 10 minutes each day (so arriving at 8:25 with the new bell change) would miss 750 minutes from now until the December holidays!
- That is more than 12 hours of missed academic and social time!!
- Please plan accordingly and get your students to school on time. If you need support, please reach out to the classroom teacher. Please note: If a student needs to call home, they are welcome to get the office pass from their teacher.



Stand up Against Bullying Day - Sept 12th

- If you are able, please join us in wearing pink to show that kindness and empathy go a long way!





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Breakfast Club

- If you have some time during the week (even a half hour here or there), we would be very appreciative if you would consider volunteering for our breakfast club program.
- We are always looking for people to cut up fruit etc and bag some cereal!
- If you are interested, please contact Ms. Aucoin at kathryn.aucoin@hrce.ca. Every little bit helps!



Speaking of Helping....

Lunch monitors

Ready to be the lunchtime legend your child or grandchild always knew you could be?

- We're on the lookout for people to help out as lunch monitors in the classrooms. Once you have your record checks, you will become an employee and **be paid**.
- Think of it as the ultimate blend of people-watching, snack envy, and a bit of crowd control—all with the added bonus of helping our students have a safe and fun lunchtime.
- Join us for some midday excitement—you might even get to be a hero who saves the day (or at least someone's sandwich)!

The hours are 11:35-12:35 Mon-Friday and there may be options for more.



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We need more lunch monitors!! :) Even if you can only do a day or two!

If interested please contact the main office at 902-462-6010 or cres@hrce.ca

SAC- School Advisory Council

- Looking to get more involved and make a difference? Join our School Advisory Council!
- We have one parent opening that we would like to fill quickly.
- It's a great way to connect with our school community.
- If we have more than one volunteer, we'll have a quick and friendly election to decide—no big campaign speeches required!
- If you are interested, please email Mrs. Brace at mbrace@hrce.ca

PTO

If you're ready to dive into some fun and boost school spirit, then joining the PTO is the way to go!

You'll help bring our exciting events to life, share some laughs, and maybe even earn the unofficial title of "School Spirit Superstar."

No planning required—just bring your enthusiasm!

If you are interested, please join the CRES PTO Facebook page.