

Spring/Summer Newsletter June 2024



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As the end of our school year is fast approaching, STOPR would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a safe and enjoyable summer!

Stay in touch with STOPR:

Our office is open all summer long and parents can still reach us at: (905) 890-6000.

We encourage parents to follow us on twitter <u>@STOPRinfo</u> and monitor our website <u>www.stopr.ca</u> for important transportation information, updates and more.

STOPR Route Planning for the 2024-25 School Year:

STOPR staff will be working throughout the summer preparing bus routes for September.

Bus information will be available online the week of August 26, 2024. Create an account on STOPR's Parent/Student portal at www.stopr.ca to view your transportation information.

Check your eligibility for next year:

Please remember that transportation eligibility distances change by grade level.

Kindergarten to Grade 1: 1.0 kilometres
Grades 2 to 4: 1.6 kilometres
Grades 5 to 8: 2.0 kilometres
Grades 9 to 12: 3.8 kilometres

Parents should check their eligibility at www.stopr.ca yearly, and especially when their children are graduating from:

- Grade 1- going to grade 2
- Grade 4- going to grade 5
- Grade 8- going to grade 9

For more information, please check our eligibility procedure which can be found on our website at www.stopr.ca

If your child is eligible but will not be using the bus in the 2024-25 year, please OPT-OUT at your school.



First-Time Rider Safety Program Saturday August 24, 2024

An education and awareness program designed to familiarize young children, their parents and caregivers with school buses, and school bus safety.

STOPR encourages you to participate by bringing your kindergarten/elementary aged children to our First-Time Rider Safety Program. Each safety session is one hour long.

A bus ride, on-board instruction and a safety video are all part of this informative and fun safety program.

Sessions start at 9:00 am and run every 30 minutes until 12:00 noon on Saturday, August 24, 2024 at selected school locations listed on the following chart.





Check out our website at www.stopr.ca for more important student safety information.



REGION	LOCATION
East Mississauga	Philip Pocock CSS 4555 Tomken Rd., Mississauga, ON
Central Mississauga	Father Michael Goetz CSS 330 Central Parkway W., Mississauga, ON
West Mississauga	John Fraser SS * 2665 Erin Centre Blvd., Mississauga, ON
Brampton	North Park SS * 10 North Park Dr., Brampton, ON
Brampton	Turner Fenton SS 7935 Kennedy Rd. S, Brampton, ON
Brampton/Caledon	Pte. Buckam Singh PS * 100 Martin Byrne Dr., Brampton, ON
Caledon/Dufferin	Humberview SS 135 Kingsview Dr., Bolton, ON
Caledon/Dufferin	St. Evan CES * 500 Dougall Ave., Caledon, ON

*Sites that will have a wheelchair accessible vehicle
Parents can book their First-Time Rider Safety session
through our online booking portal at: www.stopr.ca

The online booking portal opens June 24, 2024