



November 13, 2019

Dear Parents, Guardians and Community Members:

In June 2017, the Board of Trustees made decisions about a Pupil Accommodation Review which was done to address low enrolment at Dennis Avenue Community School, George Syme Community School, Harwood Public School, Lambton Park Community School, and Rockcliffe Middle School, along with facility conditions at Cordella Junior Public School, Dennis Avenue Community School, and Rockcliffe Middle School. Detailed information about the review and the approved changes can be found by going to <https://www.tdsb.on.ca/About-Us/Strategy-Planning/Search-All-Reviews?id=138>.

At the time the decision was made, the Board indicated that there could be a potential delay in the construction of the new Dennis Avenue Community School and **George Syme Community School addition**.

I would like to inform you that the construction schedule for the new Dennis Avenue CS building has, in fact, been delayed and the school may not be completed until December 2022. Therefore, Dennis and Cordella students will not be moving into the new Dennis Avenue CS building until September 2023.

The table below outlines a year by year description of the grade range and program changes at Cordella Junior PS.

Cordella Junior Public School

School Year	Proposed School Grade Range and Programs
2017-2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grade Range: JK-Grade 6• Programs: Developmental Disability ISP, Diagnostic Kindergarten
2018-2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grade Range: JK-Grade 6• Programs: Developmental Disability ISP, Diagnostic Kindergarten, Autism
2019-2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grade Range: JK-Grade 6• Programs: Developmental Disability ISP, Diagnostic Kindergarten, Autism



School Year	Proposed School Grade Range and Programs
2020-2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grade Range: JK-Grade 6• Programs: Developmental Disability ISP, Diagnostic Kindergarten, Autism
2021-2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grade Range: JK-Grade 7• Programs: Developmental Disability ISP, Diagnostic Kindergarten
2022-2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grade Range: JK-Grade 8• Programs: Developmental Disability ISP, Diagnostic Kindergarten
2023-2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• School closed. Students and programs consolidate into the rebuilt Dennis Ave CS.

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to your principal or to me at 416-394-2030.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in grey ink, appearing to read "C. Ennis".

Curtis Ennis
Superintendent of Education

Cc. Trustee Chris Tonks, Ward 6