

BRIEFING NOTE

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Subject **ENROLMENT IN FRENCH IMMERSION/EXTENDED FRENCH PROGRAMS 2013/2014**

Purpose To provide current information on the status of student enrolment in French Immersion and Extended French Programs.

Strategic Direction Make every school an effective school.

Context The following charts provide the most recent information on the enrolment status in French Immersion and Extended French programs for June 2013. These programs include Early Immersion, Middle Immersion, Junior Extended and Intermediate Extended. It should be noted that the enrolment situation changes daily depending on parental decisions regarding residence and registration of their children.

In the attached charts, *Accepted* refers to the number of students whose parents have accepted a registration in the program and *Waitlist* refers to the number of on-time, in-district students awaiting admission to a program.

Extended French and French Immersion are French-as-a-Second-Language (FSL) programs in which French is not only taught as a subject, but also serves as the language of instruction in other subjects.

In a *French Immersion program*, French must be the language of instruction for a minimum of 50 per cent of the total instructional time at every grade level of the program. In an *Extended French program*, French must be the language of instruction for a minimum of 25 per cent of the total instruction time at every grade level.

Summary There are 2932 registrants in SK French Immersion programs for September 2013.

There are 56 SK FI sites, 26 of which are Full Day Kindergarten (FDK).
In all four programs referred to in this report (Early Immersion, Middle Immersion,

Grade 4 Extended and Grade 7 Extended), all on-time applicants were offered a place in the program of their choice as per PR 597 – French Immersion/Extended French. There are no system wait lists.

When a fraction appears in the “Comments” column, the denominator indicates the number of students who were redirected to a school other than the French program school currently associated to their designated English school as per PR 597 – French Immersion/Extended French. The numerator indicates the number of accepted placements through redirection. For example, on the line for Rawlinson “10/19” indicates that 19 students were redirected from Humewood and 10 accepted the placement. Associated English schools can be found on the TDSB public website.

Guiding principles for redirection include: redirecting students as a group based on English home school and redirecting to closest French Immersion or Extended French site with capacity.

While the tables for each of the four programs show numbers at the entry point, the last table in this report shows the total enrolment in these programs from SK to grade 12. There consistently has been an increase in participation in French programs since amalgamation.

The report will be shared with the French as a Second Language Advisory Committee (FSLAC).

**Early Immersion (SK entry for September 2013)
Enrolments as of April 2013**

School	Applicants	Sibling Applicants	Total Applicants	Accepted	Number of classes	Comments
*Adam Beck	72	15	87	40	2	Proximity lottery
Alexander Stirling	39	1	40	23	1	FDK
Allenby	59	25	84	57	3	
Beverly Glen	108	12	120	57	2	FDK
Brian	46	7	53	46	2	Includes students redirected from: Fairglen 5/8 Vradenburg 5/6 Terraview- Willowfield 4/5
Brimwood	48	6	54	36	2	
Broadacres	25	1	26	28	1	FDK Includes students redirected from: Princess Margaret 7/9 Wedgewood 4/5

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Broadlands	137	30	167	128	6	Added 1 class
Brown	45	13	58	46	2	FDK
Chief Dan George	74	6	80	42	2	Relocation of Brooks Rd
Clairlea	74	10	84	60	3	Includes students redirected from: Blantyre 0/1
Cliffwood	34	9	43	30	1	FDK
Corvette	52	1	53	50	2	FDK Includes students redirected from: Ionview 0/3 Birch Cliff 4/12 Hunter's Glen 3/4 Knob Hill 2/2
Dallington	72	15	87	56	3	Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: Denlow 0/1
Davisville	76	12	88	55	2	FDK
Derrydown	41	8	49	37	2	FDK
Dewson	74	23	97	63	3	
Duke of Connaught	96	18	114	86	4	Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: Adam Beck 3/6 Norway 7/9 Withrow 2/3
Dunlace	40	13	53	29	1	FDK
Earl Beatty	87	1	88	57	2	FDK
Elmlea	146	21	167	97	5	
Fern	49	18	67	46	2	
George Syme	40	4	44	42	2	FDK Includes students redirected from: Annette 6/14 King George 4/10 Runnymede 4/5 Warren Park 2/6
General Crerar	44	6	50	30	1	FDK
Gledhill	72	15	87	63	2	FDK Includes students redirected from: Parkside 5/9
Glen Park	52	11	63	48	2	FDK

School	Applicants	Sibling Applicants	Total Applicants	Accepted	Number of classes	Comments
Howard	65	28	93	63	3	
Humbercrest	92	17	109	60	2	FDK
Humewood	86	13	99	50	2	FDK
*Jackman	61	21	82	46	2	
John English	73	17	90	86	3	FDK Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: 7 th Street 6/6 James Bell Academy 14/15
John Fisher	91	32	123	75	4	
Lester B Pearson	133	28	161	92	4	
Lord Lansdowne	57	3	60	47	2	FDK
Millwood	62	16	78	46	2	
Morse	56	3	59	52	2	FDK Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: Jackman 0/2 Wilkinson 1/3
North Agincourt	41	7	48	39	2	Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: Glamorgan 10/14
Northlea	44	24	68	43	2	
Owen	51	18	69	46	2	
Palmerston	50	13	63	46	2	
Parkdale	30	7	37	23	1	FDK
R H McGregor	76	22	98	68	3	
Rawlinson	61	10	71	81	3	FDK Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: McMurrich, 10/19 Hillcrest 4/12 Perth 6/17
Regal Road	68	20	88	46	2	
Rockford	42	4	46	43	2	Includes RJ Lang catchment change
Rosethorn	67	21	88	52	2	FDK
*Runnymede	69	27	96	60	3	Proximity lottery

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Sir Adam Beck	92	20	112	60	3	
Topcliff	40	3	43	44	2	FDK
Tumpane	61	10	71	46	2	FDK
William G Miller	74	12	86	60	2	FDK
Wm Tredway	41	11	52	39	2	Includes students redirected from: Edgewood 1/2 Cornell 4/6 Golf Rd 2/4 Willow Park 1/1
Williamson Rd	51	24	75	46	2	
Winchester	75	14	89	70	4	Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: Thorncliffe Park 4/8 Chester 9/15
*Withrow	78	18	96	52	2	FDK
Yorkview	42	12	54	43	2	Includes students redirected from: Lillian 0/6
TOTAL 2013-2014	3631	776	4407	2976	131	

TOTAL 2012-2013	3395	672	4067	2896	130	
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*Placement was determined by lottery for schools designated with an asterisk.

**Junior Extended French (Grade 4 entry for September 2013)
Enrolments as of April 2013**

School	Applicants	Sibling Applicants	Total Applicants	Accepted	Number of classes	Comments
Blaydon	24	0	24	13	1	Includes students redirected from: Rockford 0/15
Briarcrest	53	1	54	46	2	Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: Greenholme 1
Cassandra	36	1	37	30	1	
Cedarbrook	74	3	77	62	2	
Centennial Road	35	1	36	30	1	
Cliffwood	66	4	70	58	2	Added one class Includes students redirected from: Dallington 6/8
Diefenbaker	34	1	35	31	1	
Duke of Connaught	52	2	54	27	1	
Dunlace	46	2	48	32	1	Reduced by one class
Eglinton	36	2	38	29	1	
Emily Carr	33	3	36	22	1	
Fern	26	4	30	26	1	
Greenholme	13	1	14	0	0	Not sufficient enrollment to open program. Families offered choice of alternate location.
Grenoble	41	0	41	34	1	
Hunter's Glen	57	7	64	46	2	Added 1 class
John A Leslie	46	6	52	32	1	
John English	32	6	38	26	1	
North Agincourt	56	3	59	34	1	
Pleasant	93	6	99	63	2	
Poplar Road	23	1	24	21	1	
Presteign Heights	28	1	29	25	1	
Rawlinson	32	2	34	25	1	
Roselands	34	0	34	29	1	Includes students redirected: Greenholme 3

School	Applicants	Sibling Applicants	Total Applicants	Accepted	Number of classes	Comments
Sir Samuel B Steele	42	3	45	36	2	Added 1 class Includes students redirected from: Alexmuir 3/4 Brimwood 2/7 Milliken 2/2
Stanley	20	0	20	16	1	
Swansea	67	9	76	64	2	
Wilkinson	56	2	58	40	2	
TOTAL 2013-2014	1155	71	1226	897	34	

TOTAL 2012-2013	1142	66	1208	913	33	
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**Middle Immersion (Grade 4 entry)
Enrolments (for September 2013) as of April 2013**

School	Applicants	Sibling Applicants	Total Applicants	Accepted	Number of classes	Comments
Hollywood	33	2	35	26	1	
*John R Robertson	54	6	60	30	1	Proximity lottery held – all taken
Valleyfield	31	2	33	27	1	Includes students redirected from: Allenby 0/2 Bedford 1/4 Blythwood 0/1 Brown 0/2 Deer Park 0/1 Eglinton, Maurice Cody 0/1 North Prep 0/1 West Prep 0/2
TOTAL 2013-2014	118	10	128	83	3	

TOTAL 2012-2013	97	3	100	72	3	
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**Grade 7 Entry Extended French
Enrolments (for September 2013) as of May 2013**

School	Applicants	Sibling Applicants	Total Applicants	Accepted	Number of classes	Comments
Bowmore	64	0	64	59	2	
Charles Gordon	114	0	114	89	3	
Earl Grey	56	0	56	34	1	
Glen Ames	77	0	77	59	2	
Glenview	80	0	80	75	3	
Henry Hudson	67	0	67	52	2	
JB Tyrell	67	0	67	60	2	
JR Wilcox	27	0	27	15	1	
Lord Landsdowne	45	0	45	26	1	
Queen Alexandra	37	0	37	35	1	
Sir Alexander Mackenzie	77	0	77	67	2	
Sir Ernest McMillan	27	0	27	32	1	
Swansea	31	0	31	31	1	
Winona	68	0	68	76	3	Accepted optional attendance requests
TOTAL 2013-2014	837	0	837	710	25	

TOTAL 2012-2013	800	0	800	720	24	
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System Total / At Program Entry Points

Program	Accepted June 2012	No. of Classes	Waitlist 2013-14	Waitlist 2012-13	Waitlist 2011-12
Early Immersion (SK entry)	2976	131	0	0	0
Middle Immersion (Grade 4 entry)	83	3	0	0	0
Junior Extended French (Grade 4 entry)	897	35	0	0	0
Grade 7 Extended French (Grade 7 entry)	710	25	0	0	25
TOTAL 2013/2014	4666	194	0	0	25

TOTAL 2012/2013	4601	190
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Total Enrolment in French Immersion and Extended French Programs (SK to Grade 12)

Year	Elementary French Immersion	Elementary Extended French	Secondary French Immersion	Secondary Extended French	Total
2000-1	11,242	1,667	1,645	856	15,410
2001-2	11,206	1,584	2,606	801	16,197
2002-3	10,921	1,412	2,576	760	15,669
2003-4	11,047	1,660	2,176	1,147	16,030
2004-5	11,171	1,746	2,335	1,245	16,497
2005-6	11,331	2,098	2,406	1,319	17,154
2006-7	11,483	2,670	2,427	1,314	17,894
2007-8	11,865	3,394	2,428	1,352	19,039
2008-9	12,307	3,706	2,430	1,293	19,736
2009-10	12,810	3,954	2,408	1,291	20,463
2010-11	13,415	4,180	2,482	1,371	21,448
2011-12	14,285	4,246	2,506	1,525	22,562
2012-13	14,956	4,381	2,628	1,803	23,768