



Halton
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Board

Oakville #3

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Hello Oakville #3 Community!

Welcome to our first issue of....The Boom! Our e-letter that will send you updates about happenings at your child's school. Your [questions](#) and emails will help direct the content as we want to be responsive to our curious community. In the Fall, we will send this each Friday highlighting any special happenings of the week and also focus on things you need to know for the coming week(s).

We hope that you are following the progress of the build of our new school either on our [website](#) or on [Instagram](#)! Things are shaping up to be a wonderful learning environment for your children. There are also great resources/answers to be found on the [FAQ page](#) of the site.

At this time, we wanted to provide you with a few updates/notices

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Hopefully by mid-May we will be sharing with you the name of our new school!

TRANSPORTATION

Eligibility for Transportation

- Earlier this month Halton Transportation sent notices to families who are eligible for transportation for the coming school year.
 - If you do not plan to use the transportation assigned to you, please ensure you [update the Opt-Out form](#). Please note that you have the option to update the form if you change your mind

Courtesy Seats

- Families with children who are not eligible for school bus transportation may apply for a courtesy seat. The [HSTS Courtesy Seat online application](#) will be open for submissions from April 15th, 2025 until Monday, June 30th, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

CHILDCARE

Wraparound Care

- Halton District School Board is providing a Wraparound child care program for school aged children. If you have already [registered](#), you should be receiving communication by the end of the

month to advise if you have received a spot. If you have not yet registered and are hoping for a spot, please be sure to [register now](#).

Childcare Centre

- We should **soon** have news of the successful bid to run the daycare centre that is in the school. Once this is communicated, you will register directly with that organization.

KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION

- We are busy hiring our new teachers and once we are done, we will share information with you about how we will conduct our orientation
- In the meantime, please be sure to check our [Kindergarten page](#) to see how you can help get your child ready for school

ENCOURAGE YOUR NEIGHBOURS TO REGISTER!

- If you know someone in your community who has not registered their child(ren), please share this information with them
- If they are not currently registered at an HDSB school, they can [register online](#) and then [make an appointment](#) to finalize their registration
- If they are currently registered at an HDSB school, they should [update their address](#) with the current school and they can facilitate the transfer to us for September

Thank you for your ongoing support and positivity as we continue to strengthen and grow!

Sincerely,

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