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To All French Immersion Kindergarten Parents:

FRENCH IMMERSION KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Welcome to French Immersion. We know that your child will have a great experience learning a second language and culture and we look forward to working with your family.

The French Immersion Kindergarten Program is now a full time program and is limited to 88 students with 44 located at Harwood Elementary and 44 located at Beirsto. We believe this will be an enhancement to the Kindergarten program as Kindergarten students will have “big buddies” at both Beirsto and at Harwood, which also houses the late French Immersion program. All grade one French Immersion students will attend Beirsto Elementary.

Students living in the Alexis Park, Silver Star, BX, Ellison or Harwood catchment areas will be assigned to Harwood Elementary. Students residing in the Hillview, Okanagan Landing, Coldstream, Kidston, Cherryville, Mission Hill, Lavington or JW Inglis catchment areas will be assigned to Beirsto Elementary.

All French Immersion Kindergarten students will register at Beirsto Elementary. Students with older siblings currently attending Beirsto **will not** receive a preference. Registration is on a ‘first come, first served’ basis in accordance with the catchment areas listed above. Please have your child’s birth certificate, immunization record, Care Card and proof of residency available. Once the registration has been completed, the principals of Harwood, Beirsto and District Staff will balance the classes based on gender, student learning needs, special family circumstances and the date/time of registration.

Thank you for applying for French Immersion. We look forward to working with you and will contact you when final placements have been made.

Sincerely,



B. Rundell
Superintendent of Schools / CEO

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