

Grand River South/Sunnyside

Elementary Schools Pupil Accommodation Review

Accommodation Review Committee Meeting #3

March 4, 2010

Sunnyside P.S. Library 4:30 – 6:00 pm



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Agenda

- 1. Welcome/Introductions**
- 2. ARC Meeting # 2 – Draft Minutes approval**
- 3. School Tour – Saturday, March 6th at 9:00 a.m.**
- 4. Draft Review Objectives**
- 5. School Information Profiles**
- 6. Roundtable**
- 7. Tentative Future Meeting Dates:**



School Tour Coordination

- Grand River South/Sunnyside Accommodation Review School Tour
 - Saturday March 6, 2010
 - Meet at Franklin P.S. 9:00am
 - From Franklin P.S. > Lackner Woods P.S. > Howard Robertson P.S. > Wilson Avenue P.S. > Rockway P.S. > Sheppard P.S.



Draft Objectives

- Provide current and future students in the review area with equitable program opportunities to ensure their success by:
 - Having regard for the Good Schools Standing Committee guiding principles on school size
 - Reviewing elementary school organizations (i.e. JK-6, 7-8, JK-8)
 - Recognizing the distribution of Special Education, French Immersion and English as a Second Language programs
- Support the optimal use of facilities, capital and operating resources through the consideration of:
 - School location
 - Recognize the relationship/identity of community to local elementary school
 - Minimize transportation costs in the long-term by maximizing the number of students within walking distance of a school
 - Facility amenities and condition
 - Priorities for physical accessibility of facilities by the Accessibility Committee
 - Site
 - Safety and security
- Develop a solution that is long-term (approximately 10 years) by taking into consideration:
 - Consistency of feeds to senior elementary and secondary school programs
 - Future development plans and demographic shifts
- Consider student transitions

School Information Profiles



School Information Profile

Date: **January/2010**
Month/Year

SCHOOL PROFILE		
School: Franklin Public School		
Address: 371 Franklin Street North, Kitchener, ON N2A 1Y9		
Grade Configuration	JK-6	
Age of Facility	47 years	
Site Size	6.3 ac	2.549 ha
Building Size – GFA	43645 sq ft	4054.75 m ²
School Capacity (building only, Ministry recognized)	582	
School Capacity (building and porta-pak)	582	
Number of portables	6	
Current enrolment (Total/FTE)	608/545	
Utilization (% Accommodation)	94%	
Historic FTE Enrolment (past 5 years) Based on October 31 Enrolment	Year: 2008	Enrolment: 541.5
	Year: 2007	Enrolment: 527.5
	Year: 2006	Enrolment: 553.5
	Year: 2005	Enrolment: 564.5
	Year: 2004	Enrolment: 545.5
Enrolment FTE Projection (next 5 years)	Year: 2010	Enrolment: 555
	Year: 2011	Enrolment: 540
	Year: 2012	Enrolment: 550
	Year: 2013	Enrolment: 543
	Year: 2014	Enrolment: 532
Feeder Schools:	Grades:	
Number of Out of Boundary Students	132	
Number of Split Grades		
Is there a French Immersion Program?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

Attachments: Site and Floor Plans with date of original building and any subsequent additions

The ARC may customize the Board's generic School Information Profile to the schools under review. The School Information Profile must include the four considerations:

Section 1: Value to the Student

Section 2: Value to the Board

Section 3: Value to the Community

Section 4: Value to the Local Economy



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Future Meeting Dates

- Grand River South/Sunnyside Accommodation Review
 - ARC # 4: **Tues** Mar 30, 2010, Sunnyside P.S. 4:30-6:00pm (Municipal presentation)
 - ARC # 5: **Tues** Apr 20, 2010, Sunnyside P.S. 4:30-6:00pm
 - ARC #6: **Tues** May 4, 2010, Sunnyside P.S. 4:30-6:00pm
 - School Tour: March 6, 2010, 9:00 a.m.



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