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“Working Together, Learning Together, Growing Together”



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2017/18 Classes

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Yesterday each Dixon family received a letter from our Superintendent, Ms. Sherry Elwood, explaining that class placements would likely be delayed this year due to the ramifications of the recent Supreme Court ruling regarding class size and composition. Here at Dixon, we continue to work on finalizing our English program classes and expect that we will be able to move into our English classes early next week. The French program will be moving into their new classes tomorrow, on Friday, September 8th.

Dixon will follow a new format for moving into class placements. To help reduce some anxiety for our students, we will not be posting class lists outside, as was done in the past. Students will start the day in their assigned classes from this week and later in the morning we will be moving students into their new classes. Teachers will be able to help each student prepare for their new classroom and hopefully make the transition into their new class more enjoyable and less stressful.

At the end of the day tomorrow, students in grade 1 to 5 in the French program can be picked up in the school gym. Teachers will bring classes down to the gym so parents won't have a problem picking up their child.

Again, the Dixon English program will hopefully be ready to change into their new classrooms early next week and will follow the same process that the Dixon French program will follow tomorrow.

Thank you in advance for your patience and understanding.

**Sean Harrington
Principal**