

PHILLIPS WEEKLY

OCTOBER 17, 2025

IMPORTANT DATES

October 20 - No School- PA Day
October 21-31 - Food Drive
October 29 - Snack Shack
October 30 - Recognition Assembly
October 31 - Coffee and Chat; Halloween

DDSB Dates of Significance



INDOOR SHOES

To help keep our school clean and safe, we kindly ask that all students bring a pair of indoor shoes to leave at school.

For gym, shoes must be secure and supportive—no Crocs, sandals, or slip-ons please. Runners are best!

Thanks for your support!



SPIRIT WEAR

**LAST!
CHANCE!**

School Spirit Wear will be available for ordering online until October 17 (today is the last day!). We have added house colour shirts as well. Please take a look.

<https://www.promoplace.com/sjphillips/securitycheckpoint.htm?PageID=-1>

Password: falcons12



SCHOOL RENOVATION

Starting in January 2026, our school will be renovated to include an elevator, ramps and other accessibility features. This is wonderful news to us, but will affect some classes. When we have a final plan, we will communicate with the affected families.



KINDNESS TICKETS

Students have been receiving tickets for being kind and demonstrating excellent character. Tickets are then placed in their house colour ticket box by the office.

The box is starting to fill-up. We can't wait to see which house colour team will collect the most tickets.

 

Name: _____

Homeroom: _____

Red Black Green

Orange Purple Blue

VENDOR MARKET

THE DURHAM BLACK EDUCATORS NETWORK IS HAPPY TO HOST THEIR SECOND ANNUAL VENDORS MARKET AT J. CLARK RICHARDSON SECONDARY SCHOOL ON NOVEMBER 1ST FROM 12:00 PM TO 6:00 PM. WE WOULD LIKE TO INVITE THE ENTIRE DDSB COMMUNITY TO COME OUT TO THIS WONDERFUL EVENT TO DO SOME BROWSING AND SHOPPING. IT'S A GREAT WAY TO SUPPORT LOCAL, SMALL AND GROWING BUSINESSES RIGHT HERE IN DURHAM! NEED TO BRING THE KIDS ALONG? NO WORRIES, WE WILL KEEP THEM BUSY AT THE KIDS CORNER WHILE YOU SHOP!

SEE ATTACHED FLYER

DENTAL SCREENING

- taking place November 12 & 13
- All students in JK/SK & Grade 2
- If your student(s) are not in these grades, you can request screening if you are interested.
- See the attached flyer for more details and who to contact!

FRENCH IMMERSION INFO NIGHT

GRADE 1 FRENCH IMMERSION NIGHT INFORMATION

DATE: THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH, 2025

TIME: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

LOCATION: AT FRENCH IMMERSION SCHOOLS

• DAVID BOUCHARD PUBLIC SCHOOL –DUAL TRACK

905-725-8271

• JEANNE SAUVÉ PUBLIC SCHOOL –SINGLE TRACK

905-728-7997

• WALTER E. HARRIS PUBLIC SCHOOL –SINGLE TRACK

905-728-4532

PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN YOUR GRADE 1 ATTENDING FRENCH IMMERSION SEPTEMBER 2026

HEALTHY HUNGER



OCTOBER 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
HealthyHunger.ca Pizza Pizza every Tuesday Subway every Thursday Friday October 31 - WOK BOX!			1	2 	3	4
5	6	7 	8	9 	10	11
12	13 	14 	15	16 	17	18
19	20 	21 	22 	23 	24 	25
26	27 	28 	29 	30 	31 	



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Oral Health Division
200 John St. Unit E8, Oshawa, Ontario L1J 2B4
905-433-5511 or 1-866-853-1326 • Fax: 905-433-4794
durham.ca/oralhealth



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Dental Health School Screening

Dental screenings are done every year in all elementary schools. Here is some helpful information about the program.

Why screen?

- Teeth are important! We assist eligible children and youth to access FREE dental treatment programs
- Dental screening is mandated by the Ontario Public Health Standards
- Aggregate data may be used for research purposes to create or improve dental programs that help children access care, improve dental education, and raise awareness about the importance of good oral health.

Who will be screened?

- All students in JK/SK and Grade 2 and special education classes
- Any student previously identified as having an urgent need
- Any additional student by parent/guardian request
- Children identified with an urgent need may have additional screenings throughout the year.

What happens at the screening?

- Sterilized mouth mirrors are used for each student
- Screening results will be sent home with your child
- Dental screening is a visual assessment. It does not replace your child's regular dental examination.

Where does screening occur?

- Dental screening is done at your child's school
- Screenings can also be scheduled from 8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. at our dental clinic located at 200 John Street West, Unit E8, Oshawa ON, L1J 2B4.



If you want your child excluded from the dental screening or if your child is not in one of the grades listed and would like them to participate, please contact the Oral Health Division at 905-433-5511 or 1-866-853-1326 ext. 4570 or email at dentalscreening@durham.ca

PLEASE NOTE: Exclusion and inclusion requests will not be carried over to the next school year.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's oral health, please call our dental clinic at 905-433-5511 ext. 4567. We are here to support and encourage your efforts to provide the best dental health for your children.

If you require this information in an accessible format, please contact 1-800-841-2729.

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VENDOR MARKET

NOV 1ST

12PM-6PM

**@J.CLARKE RICHARDSON COLLEGIATE
1355 HARWOOD ST N. AJAX**

- ✓ **Free entry**
- ✓ **Door prizes**
- ✓ **Kids Corner**
- ✓ **Music, food and more!**

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LINKS

