



What is the boundary review?

TLDSB establishes school catchment areas within specific boundaries to help balance school enrolment and capacity, minimize transportation, and maximize walk zones. In this review, we are looking at the school facilities, programs offered, and any limitations at all schools involved. Overall, we want to provide the best possible programming for TLDSB students.

Areas in consideration during the review

Staffing for programs: With any change, our staffing will reflect the needs of the students.

Child care: We expect there will be no change to before and/or after care.

School facilities: With the recent heritage designation by the City of Kawartha Lakes at Alexandra Public School (APS), Central Senior School (CSS), King Albert Public School (KAPS), and Queen Victoria Public School (QVPS), TLDSB will work within the regulations of the designation with our community partners for the best-possible scenario for students.

French Immersion (FI): If we proceed with moving to a Kindergarten to Grade 8 model, we will see more space at CSS, and TLDSB may conduct a program review in the future to balance the FI grades between Leslie Frost Public School and CSS.

Legacy: Once a decision is made, all students within the new catchment areas will attend the school in their catchment starting September 2024.

Transportation: It is expected that transportation will not be affected. In this review, we are mindful of the walking distances for APS, KAPS, and QVPS.

Portables: Some schools may continue to have portables in the proposed considerations or gain portables. This is all dependent on student enrolment.

What's next?

Following the community meeting, the feedback we receive will help inform the option(s) that will be taken to the Board of Trustees at the January Public Meeting of the Board. Families will be made aware of the outcome of the review following the meeting with some changes to take effect September 2024.

All information regarding this review can be found on the Board's Boundary Review page at tldsbc.ca/pps/. To provide feedback, scan the QR code or type <https://qrco.de/beOzNK>. You can also email info@tldsbc.on.ca with your feedback/comments.

The feedback form will close on Thursday, December 14.

