



District School Council / Parent Involvement Committee Meeting Agenda

Date: February 22, 2024
Location: Hybrid: Lindsay Education Centre and Virtual
Time: 6:00 pm

1. Call to order and Territorial Acknowledgement - Superintendent Paul Goldring

2. Welcome and Introductions - Superintendent Paul Goldring

3. Director's Update – Superintendent Goldring

- 3.1. Superintendent Paul Goldring discussed how the TLDSB is currently working on allocating school principals for the next school year, and he invited school councils to submit a Principal Profile. He explained that school Principal profiles are used to assist the school board with the decision-making process. Superintendent Goldring also talked about the TLDSB's focus on student attendance and he described how Director Wes Hahn is hosting a Director's Forum made up of parents to discuss strategies to increase regular attendance in schools. Interested parents can reach out to carly.mclennan@tldsb.on.ca to submit their name.

4. Administrative Updates - Superintendent Paul Goldring

- 4.1. Presentation: Mental Health - Superintendent Tanya Fraser and District Manager of Mental Health, Allison Jones
- 4.1.1. Superintendent Fraser and District Manager Jones explained various mental health strategies and how they are used in TLDSB schools. They also explained how and when to use them at home to assist with student and family mental health. The presentation provided resources and tactics from [School Mental Health Ontario](#).
- 4.2. Student Census - Superintendent Goldring
- 4.2.1. As part of the Ministry's Equity Action Plan, all school boards in Ontario have been tasked with the regular collection of demographic data to help us better understand the communities we serve. [The 2024 Student Census](#) launched on February 26, 2024 to collect

quantitative data from students and families. This data will provide the school system with valuable information that will help to improve strategic planning, programming, and services with a focus on student achievement and engagement.

- 4.3. DSC-PIC Contacts by Region - Superintendent Goldring
 - 4.3.1. As requested by the school chairs, a DSC-PIC contact sheet has been developed for the DSC-PIC contacts in order to expand communication and collaboration between TLDSB schools.
- 4.4. Registration Information for Dr. Robyn Hanley-Dafoe (Presenting at April 25 Meeting) - Superintendent Goldring
 - 4.4.1. Pre-registration for this event will first open to all TLDSB School Council members, and then registration will open to the greater TLDSB parent community. The registration form will be provided to School Council Chairs in March.

5. Advance Questions - Superintendent Paul Goldring

6. Next meeting

Date: April 25, 2024 – Presentation by [Dr. Robyne Hanley-Dafoe](#)
Location: In Person – Muskoka Education Centre
Time: 6:00 pm

7. Adjournment