

Fielding Drive Public School

WELCOME & RECEPTION INFORMATION

1.) FAMILY RECEPTION CENTRE

Schedule your welcome interview & assessment



- The assessment will help to determine your child's:
- Educational history & Academic strengths and weaknesses
 - Level of English language proficiency
 - Interests and goals

Please bring the following with you to the appointment:

- Immigration documents
- Immunization records
- School records
- Proof of Address in Ottawa

2.) SCHOOL VISIT

Your first visit to our school will include:

- Meet our Principal, Vice Principal, Office Administrator, ESL Lead Teacher & Student Ambassadors
- A tour of the school
- An interview & short oral/written assessment
- Completion of registration forms
- Review class schedule & school procedures/routines



Bring assessment report from the Family Reception Centre

3.) PLACEMENT

Regardless of their English proficiency, your child will be placed in a grade-level classroom appropriate to their age.

Information from the STEP initial assessment will determine the ESL or ELD program to support your child's English language and literacy development.



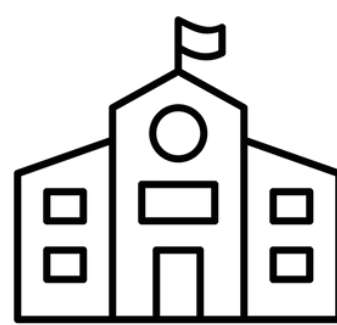
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4.) STARTING AT FIELDING!

During the first days & weeks, our Staff and Student Ambassador team will help your child:

- Meet their Homeroom teacher
- Get a locker
- Answer questions about school routines and clubs/activities
- Navigate the school
- Meet new friends



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5.) NEXT STEPS

Within a few weeks, another meeting will be scheduled to discuss:

- How the transition to our school and community is going
- Successes and challenges your child is experiencing
- Results of any further assessments
- Educational (ESL) resources and supports available to your family
- Answer any questions you have



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HELPFUL LINKS

Family Reception Centre

Culips ESL Podcasts

Forvo (Pronunciation Dictionary)

Settlement.Org

Online ESL Resources

Growing Readers - Parent Tips



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