

August 6, 2019

Dear White Oaks Montessori Parents and Students:

The 2019-2020 school year for White Oaks Montessori School will commence on **Wednesday**, **September 4, 2019**. We begin the year with positive announcements for the upcoming school year.

ADMINISTRATIVE

1. WOMS SCHOOL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

White Oaks Montessori is excited to announce the launch of our new school management system called **WOMS CRAFTS** (Childcare Records, Attendance, and Financial Tracking System). This will allow us to better communicate with you by providing more information. This will also assist us in maintaining compliance with Government Regulations. You will be notified with more information as we make the transition to CRAFTS.

2. WOMS WEBSITE

In order to improve our communication with parents and the public we have reformatted our website. The new website will provide parents with more information on monthly events, newsletters, etc. and easy access into our parent portal by signing in under **bunniesarefluffy**.

3. NEW PHONE SYSTEM

We have upgraded our phone system to better communicate with parents and staff daily. Clarkson and Vanier campuses are connected, and all phone calls will now be directed to the main office.

FACILITIES

Over the summer we extended our sidewalk play area by fencing the sidewalk along the west parking lot and added an additional gate by the Pottery Guild. All other gates have been reinforced and locking mechanisms have been repaired.

STAFFING

It is our pleasure to welcome Ms. Koutrouliotis to the Lower Elementary classroom. Ms. Koutrouliotis will be working alongside Mrs. Shah. Ms. Koutrouliotis is looking forward to reuniting with former students and forming relationships with new families.

Staff at Vanier will be available to meet and answer any questions during our **Orientation Day on Tuesday, September 3rd from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** Classes commence on Wednesday, September 4th for returning students. A letter will be emailed to each family with class assignments, school reminders and start dates for new students.

The following is a list of our Classes and faculty for the 2019 - 2020 academic year.

Clarkson Campus

Toddler 1 Mrs. Arsalan, Ms. Kaur, Mrs. Ubaid, Ms. Sousa (pm)

Casa 1 Mrs. Gogia, Ms. Ennab, Ms. Sousa (am)

Casa French Madame Laghaee

Music Teacher Ms. Ennab

Vanier Campus

Toddler 2 Mrs. Patel, Ms. Comsa, Mrs. Ratnayaka
Toddler 3 Ms. Neale, Mrs. Leite, Ms. Schmutz

Casa 2 Mrs. Husain, Mrs. Ahmad, Mrs. Elvie

Casa 3 Mrs. Mutasim, Mrs. Akesode, Mrs. Goncalves
Casa 4 Mrs. Khan, Mrs. Ranabhat, Ms. Anastasakos

Casa 5 Mrs. Farias, Ms. Andrews

Casa French Madame Laghaee
Casa Music Mrs. Richmond

Lower Elementary Mrs. Shah, Ms. Koutrouliotis

Upper Elementary
 Elementary French
 Elementary Music
 Computer Teacher
 Mr. Mahmadi
 Mrs. Richmond
 Mr. Mahmadi

Thank you for your trust and support as we continue to provide a stimulating and nurturing educational environment for your child(ren).

If you have any questions, please contact the office at (905) 278-4454.

Sincerely,

WHITE OAKS MONTESSORI SCHOOL

Irene Stathoukos BSc. AMI

Principal