



Student Learning Support Services

November 2020

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian,

All children born in 2016 and 2017 are eligible to attend kindergarten in September 2021. The Peel District School Board extends a warm welcome and looks forward to working with you as we start planning for your child's entry to school in September. In preparation, we invite you to share relevant documentation regarding your child's special needs. This information will help us plan together for any specialized supports and services your child may require.

Please visit [www.peelschools.org/parents/register](http://www.peelschools.org/parents/register) to register your child online and upload a completed Planning for entry to School form with a copy of the diagnosis by March 8, 2021 (or as soon as possible thereafter). The school will then forward this form to the Special Programs Department. Please note that schools will not be processing registrations in person, they will continue to be completed electronically through the Board's web site [www.peelschools.org/parents/register](http://www.peelschools.org/parents/register)

Once the Planning for Entry to School form is received a Coordinator/Itinerant Teacher will contact you. With your permission, Special Programs Staff from the Peel District School Board will contact your child's pre-school to discuss any special needs with your child's teacher. If your child is not attending pre-school, we will endeavour to make alternative arrangements.

Following the initial contact the coordinator will determine the most appropriate way to share information with the school, which may include a meeting at the school. If there is a family member or friend you would like to include, please have them join you at this meeting.

If you have any questions, please contact Anna De Andrade at 905-890-1010 ext. 2315, or Emilia Fernandes at 905-890-1010 ext. 2198.

We look forward to talking to you and to commence planning for your child's entry to school.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "M. Echlin".

Meghan Echlin  
Co-ordinating Principal  
Special Programs – Special Needs

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Katina Paleologos".

Katina Paleologos  
Co-ordinating Principal  
Special Programs - Autism Spectrum Disorder