

HYLAND HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Sean Singh
Principal
Jaime Wouters
Vice Principal

200 Fourth Avenue
Shelburne, Ontario L9V 3R9
(519) 925-3745 Fax (519) 925-1241

November 10, 2022

Dear Parents & Guardians,

Enclosed you will find a copy of your child's 2021-2022 EQAO results.

EQAO has shared the following information to support parents and guardians in understanding their child's EQAO results. You may view your school and Upper Grand District School Board results on eqao.com, click this link to go directly to the ['Find My School'](#) page.

The Education Quality and Accountability Office (EQAO) tests students' skills in reading, writing and mathematics at key points in their elementary-school education. Students are tested twice:

- at the end of Grade 3, to assess what they've learned throughout the Primary Division (Grades 1–3) and
- at the end of Grade 6, to assess what they've learned throughout the Junior Division (Grades 4–6).

What do EQAO results tell me about my child?

EQAO test results provide a snapshot of your child's achievement in relation to the provincial standard. Students meeting or exceeding the standard (Levels 3 and 4) have demonstrated most or all of the required reading, writing and mathematics knowledge and skills expected at this stage in their education. However, no single test can offer a complete or definitive picture of what your child has learned. In the end, no one better understands the true measure of your child's abilities and knowledge—or is in a better position to assess them—than his or her classroom teacher. When used together, the results of EQAO and classroom tests provide a more complete picture of your child's knowledge.

How do I make the best use of the results?

The best thing to do with your child's EQAO results is to discuss them with his or her teacher. Together you can review how the EQAO results compare with those from classroom and other evaluations. You can also discuss the broader issue of your child's overall progress. Here are a few specific questions you may wish to ask your child's teacher at the next parent/teacher interview:

- How does my child's performance on the EQAO test compare with what you observe in the classroom?
- How can I offer additional support to my child at home?

Where can I get more information?

More Questions and Answers have been developed specifically for parents and can be found in 21 different languages, along with other useful information, at www.eqao.com.

Sincerely,

Jaime Wouters (she, her)
Vice Principal

Sean Singh (he, him)
Principal