

RRM Email Blast Sept. 7, 2019:

1. We have had a very positive first week at Ross R. MacKay. It was lovely to see all of our returning students back with smiling faces as well as our three new Gr. 1 – 6 students and our 16 new JK students.
*note – we will find out by Monday if we are getting an additional Kindergarten class due to our current class sitting at 31 students (fingers crossed)
2. Back Pack Check. Your child should have come home with a BIG package of paperwork, including their Student Verification Sheet. Please use the checklist on the front to ensure you return all of your parent/guardian homework. Thanks!
3. Our September Newsletter has been posted on our Website. Please visit <https://www.ugdsb.ca/RossRMacKay/>.
4. Thanks to all of our students who participated in our first Spirit Day at RRM on Friday, for the School Assembly – wearing blue & white and/or school clothing. We will be having LOTS of Spirit Days so keep checking our social media accounts and your child's Agenda so be sure they don't miss out. Go Hawks Go!
5. Thanks to all parents/guardians who supported their child's Student Leadership Application that were due on Friday. 32 out of 35 students in Grade 4 – 6 have applied to be helpers around the school in some manner or another (i.e, Kindergarten Lunch Helpers, Announcement Readers & Assembly Crew). These opportunities help our students build confidence and take on responsibility...preparing themselves to be better citizens in the future.
6. A reminder that our school day begins at 8:55. We'd appreciate if all students were here on time and not straggle in late, even by a few minutes.
7. We appreciate parents/guardians following our new guidelines or waiting OUTSIDE of our entry and exit doors in the morning and after school. We are really working on building independence and your support in this area is helpful.
8. Please find attached the Hillsburgh Library events coming up in September.

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