



# John Henderson Junior High School

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Dear Parents of our returning Grade 7 and 8 Students at John Henderson School

We would like to welcome your son/daughter to John Henderson School for the 2019-2020 school year.

We thank you for your support and encouragement throughout this past year. We hope that you enjoy your summer vacation and please note that our students will not be returning to classes until after the September long weekend on **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2019**. Office staff will be in school beginning Monday, August 26, 2019. The teachers will return to school on Tuesday, September 3 but this will be an Administration day.

Parents and students will be able to access their 2019-20 schedule on September 3, 2019 via the Parent Portal. Parents will login to the Parent Portal and click on the schedule tab. The class named ATT.PM is the students homeroom.

For school start up this September, we will have a staggered entrance to the school year. Our Grade 6 students will arrive to school for 8:45 a.m. They will be welcomed by the Student Leadership Team and then will have their orientation to the school, with their Home Room teacher, during that morning.

**We ask our returning Grade 7 and 8 students to arrive at 12:40 p.m. for a 12:47 p.m. start up.**

Our school operates with three reporting periods. Our first report card will be available on the Parent Portal **on Monday, November 25, 2019**. Our first Student Led Meeting will take place on the evening of **Thursday, November 28, 2019**.

We wish you all a wonderful year here at John Henderson School.

Sincerely,

Mr. B. Straub  
Principal

Mr. C. McDonald  
Vice-Principal



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## 2018-2019 STUDENT FEES

The student fees of \$40.00 are distributed as follows:

- \$6.00 Interactive Start
- \$4.00 Lock/Locker Maintenance
- \$10.00 House Team t-shirt
- \$20.00 Special Events
  
- \$40.00 TOTAL

For the school year 2019-2020, we are inviting our parents to include a purchase of the John Henderson yearbook, in the start-up fees. The yearbook may be purchased at a cost of \$30.00.

We would ask that parents indicate your wish to purchase on the tear off form and return the form with the payment to your son/daughter's Home Room teacher by Friday, September 6, 2019. Please make cheques payable to John Henderson School.

**Art Students Only** - There is an additional fee of \$40.00 for students in art to cover additional art supply costs for the year. These fees cover costs such as paint, papers, oil pastels, art kits and any other supplies needed for the year.

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Enclosed please find:

- \_\_\_ \$40.00 Student Fee Only
- \_\_\_ \$80.00 Student Fee & Art Fee
- \_\_\_ \$70.00 Student Fee & Yearbook
- \_\_\_ \$110.00 Student Fee, Art Fee & Yearbook



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## 2019-2020 SUPPLY LIST – GRADE 7

1	Twin pocket folder/portfolio
2	3" Binders – preferably zippered
1	Pencil case
2	Packages dividers for portfolios and subject areas
10	Duo-tangs
500	Loose-leaf (lined sheets)
1 package	Graph paper (4 squares per inch)
8	Hilroy exercise books (8 ½ x 11)
1 package	Clear page protectors
1	Geometry set
1	Scientific calculator
40	Pens (10 blue or black and 10 red)
40	Pencils and a pencil sharpener (pencil shavings container attached)
4	Highlighters – (different colours)
3	Erasers (one per term)
1	30 cm. ruler
1	Earbuds
1 set	Pencil crayons
2	White out (non liquid preferred)
1	Roll of paper towel (for homeroom)
3	Large Glue sticks (Uhu or Elmer's)
1 pair	Scissors
1 package	Recipe cards
3 packages	Post-It notes (light yellow preferred)
2 boxes	Kleenex (for homeroom)
1	USB memory stick (minimum 4G)
<b>Physical Education</b>	
1 gym bag	containing non-marking running shoes, shorts/sweats or leggings, t-shirt, deodorant *All clothing must adhere to school dress code ** <b>Please note</b> - skate shoes or fashion runners do not provide the proper amount of ankle support and cushion for activity levels of PE class
<b>Art Students</b>	
2 packages	Paper towels <i>(These are required solely for ART class, please label with ART)</i>
1	Duo-tang
1	Pencil sharpener that holds shavings
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<b>Band Students</b>	
Mrs. Zinn will provide information regarding instrument rentals. <b>Mandatory: Essential Elements 2000 Book 1 (from Grade 6)</b>	

**PLEASE NOTE:** During the first week of classes, subject area teachers will advise students of other special requirements.