



École Brantford Elementary  
Kindergarten Gradual Entry ~ September 2024



Below you will find the schedule for our gradual entry process. We know how difficult it can be to arrange schedules during this time, so thank you for your support as your child adjusts to Kindergarten.

### **Week 1 of School and Family Meetings**

Wednesday September 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday September 5<sup>th</sup> Friday  
September 6<sup>th</sup>

**Welcome to Kindergarten! Please come to the grassy area outside your child's classroom to enter the school from the classroom outside doors.**

**Group A** 9:00-10:00am

**Group B** 10:30-11:30am

Ms. Grippo English: Room 113

Mme. Giugliani - French: Room 116

#### Welcome Conversations

Welcoming conversations with kindergarten teachers will take place online via Zoom. We ask that you are in a quiet environment and check your connection ahead of time so we can use the entire time to discuss how to best support your child. Feel free to bring an interpreter.

Meetings will take place Wednesday Sept 4<sup>th</sup> –  
Friday Sept 6<sup>th</sup>

**Please fill out the [Kindergarten Questionnaire](#) sent in the "Welcome to Our School" email in April prior to intake meetings.**

## Week 2 Gradual Entry & Family Meetings Online

Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup>

**Both group A & B attend together 9:00am - 11:00am**

Ms Grippo's room: 113

Mme. Giugliani's room: 116

*Please bring: backpack, snack & full water bottle, and pay supply fee online*

Tuesday, September 10<sup>th</sup>

**School at 9:00am-11:00am**

*Please bring: backpack, snack & full water bottle*

Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup>

**School at 9:00am-12:00pm**

*Please bring: backpack, snack & full water bottle*

Thursday, September 12<sup>th</sup>

**School at 9:00am-12:00pm**

*Please bring: backpack, snack & full water bottle*

Friday, September 13<sup>th</sup>

**School at 9:00-1:00pm**

*Please bring: backpack, snack, **LUNCH**, & full water bottle*

## Week 3 Full Time Attendance

Please note every Monday is an Early Dismissal at 1:55pm.

The morning warning bell goes at 8:45am, which reminds you to head to your classroom door. School starts at 8:49am.

Monday, September 16<sup>th</sup>

**School at 8:45am – 1:55pm**

*Please note that every Monday school ends at 1:55pm*

*Please bring: backpack, snack, lunch & full water bottle (These items are to be brought every day.)*

Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup>

**School at 8:45am-2:55pm**

*Please note that every Tuesday to Friday school ends at 2:55pm.*

Wednesday, September 18<sup>th</sup>

**School at 8:45am – 2:55pm**

Thursday, September 19<sup>th</sup>

**School at 8:45am – 2:55pm**

Friday, September 20<sup>th</sup>

**School at 8:45am – 2:55pm**

**Items/Supplies needed for**  
**Kindergarten Ecole Brantford Elementary**  
**2024-2025**

**Items needed by Monday September 9<sup>th</sup>**

- Kindergarten supply fee payable on the Brantford website via school cash online**
- Student Verification Form, Walking permission, Photo permission**
- Inside shoes – runners \*velcro, NO laces please** (to be kept at school)
- Change of clothes** (two pairs of socks, two pairs of underwear, a shirt, and a pair of pants. Please send in a ziplock bag labelled with their name)
- A family photo**
- A box of tissues**
- Full sized backpack** (large enough for a big library book once a week and lunch, snack, and water bottle everyday)
- Closable water bottle** (labelled with name) one that will not spill is preferable
- Weather appropriate clothes** (a coat they can put on and off themselves, gloves, rainboots, rain pants if you would like, rain jacket, layers such as a sweater. We go outside every day, twice a day.
- Healthy Snack & Lunch** in containers students can independently open and close – practice over summer. First day with snack **Monday September 9<sup>th</sup>** (and every day following) first day with lunch **Friday September 13<sup>th</sup>** (and every day following)