



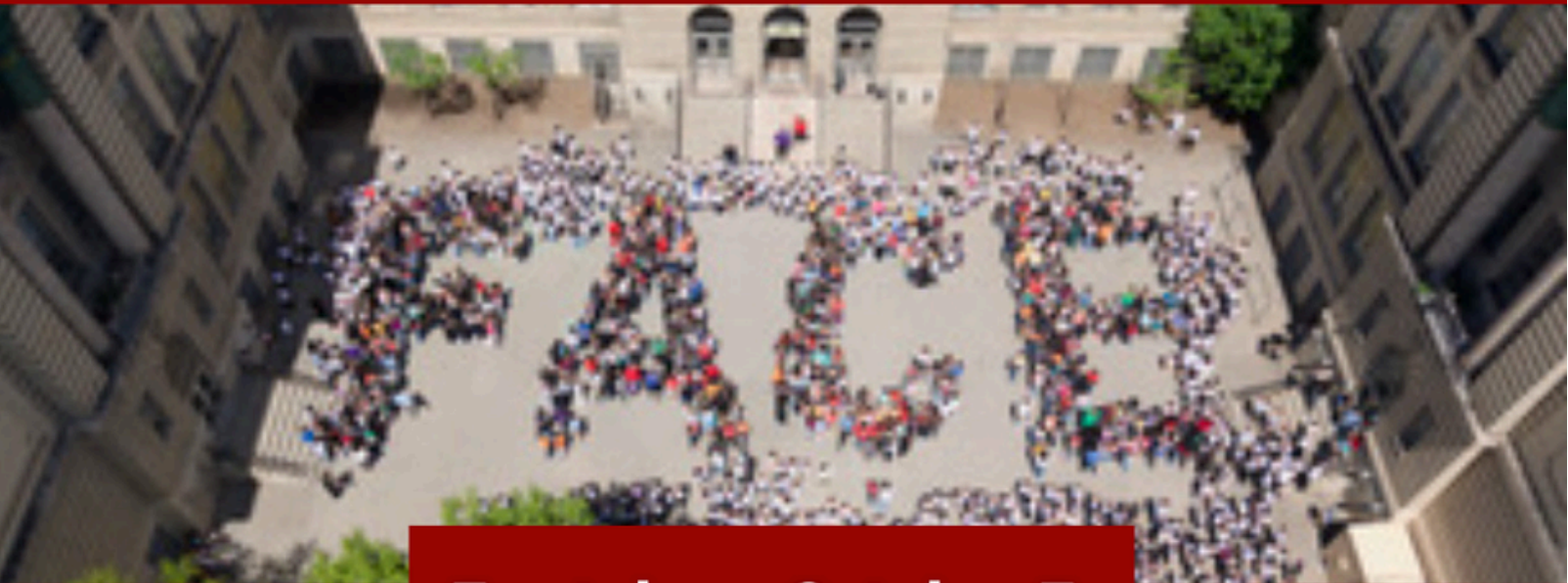
FACE PARENT NEWSLETTER

SEPT. 29, 2025



Commission scolaire English-Montréal
English Montreal School Board

OPEN HOUSE



7 octobre • October 7

Primaire • Elementary

4835 Christophe - Colomb



Secondaire • High School

3449 University

ELEMENTARY: 4835 AV. CHRISTOPHE COLOMB, MONTRÉAL, QC H2J 3G8
HIGH SCHOOL: 3449 RUE UNIVERSITY, MONTRÉAL, QC H3A 2A8

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

September - October

September 30 - National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
Attestation Day

October 2 - Vaccination Day for Grade 9

October 6 - Milk Program Begins in Elementary

October 7 - Open House

October 10 - Pedagogical Day

October 13 - Holiday no school

October 17 - Cross-Country Day (for select grades)

October 22 - EMSB Career Fair

INFORMATION FROM THE ADMINISTRATION

STUDENT ABSENCE DECLARATION:

If your child is absent, you must notify your child's secretary as soon as possible. Please note that we do not use the Mozaik Attendance Functions. We review all absences during the first period of the morning.

- For Elementary students, please contact Mme Amrani (ext.8009) or by email at face.primaire@cssdm.gouv.qc.ca
- For High School students, please contact (Mme Durez) (ext.8735) or by email at face.reception@cssdm.gouv.qc.ca.

DAYCARE SERVICES FOR ELEMENTARY

For any questions or inquiries for daycare, please contact our daycare technician, Mme Naima Mahiou at 514-350-8899 ext.8897 or by email at face.sdg@cssdm.gouv.qc.ca.

All daycare fees must be settled directly with our daycare provider.

SEPTEMBER 30: NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

On September 30, our school will observe the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, a day to honour the children who never returned home and the Survivors of residential schools, their families, and communities.

This day is a vital part of our commitment to learning about the history and ongoing impacts of residential schools and to fostering reconciliation through education and reflection.

We invite all students and staff to wear **orange** as a symbol of remembrance and support, in connection with Orange Shirt Day, which shares this date.

STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES

All standards and procedures are now posted on our website.

Link: <https://face.emsb.qc.ca/face/programs/stand-pro>

These documents provide parents and guardians further information about your child's classes, subject matter, and evaluation guidelines and methods for this school year.

MEET OUR YOUTH COUNSELLOR (HIGH SCHOOL SECTOR)

Hello everyone, my name is Madeline Crist. I am a social worker who works at FACE as a youth counsellor. My role is to support students' mental health and work towards substance use prevention. I meet with students on an individual basis to offer supportive counselling services tailored to their unique needs. My goal is to help students improve their overall functioning to help them reach their full potential. I am present every Wednesday and can be reached at mcrist2@emsb.qc.ca and 514-483-7200, ext 7696.

MEET OUR COUNSELLOR IN REEDUCATION (HIGH SCHOOL SECTOR)

My name is Christelle Akl, and I am the counsellor in reeducation at FACE High School. In my role, I support students in developing their social-emotional learning skills, with a focus on building emotional intelligence. This includes helping them better understand and express their feelings, develop empathy, and find positive ways to manage challenges. I also work closely with teachers and technicians to support the implementation of strategies and accommodations outlined in students' IEPs, ensuring that every child has the tools they need to learn and thrive.

I am at FACE on Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays.

Email: cakl@emsb.qc.ca

Phone: 514-350-8899 ext. 8011

SCHOOL CELL PHONE AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE POLICY

In accordance with the Ministry of Education's directives, the use of cell phones and electronic devices in school and school grounds is strictly prohibited during the school day.

We invite parents to contact the school secretary if they need to reach their child during school hours to help students with this new policy.

STUDENT LIFE NEWSLETTER- 2ND EDITION

Please find below the link to our second High School student life Newsletter on behalf of Erick Ung, our recreational technician.

https://www.canva.com/design/DAGzpLt4sLM/a-qWSxR3UTF9SeUMlsiGBA/edit?utm_content=DAGzpLt4sLM&utm_campaign=designshare&utm_medium=link2&utm_source=sharebutton

PROGRESS REPORTS

Progress reports are the first communication on behalf of the school to advise parents how their child is doing. A comment about their learning and behaviour will be included. Please note that progress reports will be posted on October 15, 2025 on Mozaik.

HIGH SCHOOL HOMEWORK CLUB

We are excited to introduce our **Homework Club**, a supportive and structured environment where students can complete their homework, receive guidance, and build good study habits.

Details:

- **Days:** Mondays (for now)
- **Time:** 3:45 to 5:00 p.m.
- **Location:** School Library
- **Cost:** Free

The Homework Club is supervised by our tutors who are available to help students with their assignments and encourage independent learning. It's a great opportunity for children to stay on top of their schoolwork and develop confidence in their abilities.

REMINDERS

If you are not sure who to contact or you would like to contact a teacher, please email us at face@emsb.qc.ca and your email will be directed to the right person. Please allow us 24-48 hours to respond to your emails.

- To avoid unfortunate events such as loss or theft, we strongly recommend that your child does not bring any personal items to school (stuffed animals, Pokémon cards, toys, etc.).
- Don't forget to review and read our school's code of conduct in your child's agenda. We encourage you to do this with your child. We would be very appreciative if you would sign the first page of the agenda and fill in the child identification form.
- FACE school broadcast platform in collaboration with Tandem studio and our School Board policy to use images on our website and social media require that the photo, audio and video authorization form be completed annually by all parents for all students.

Link to authorization form: <https://forms.office.com/r/pHzHbpqgWN>

- We are still look for volunteers for this school year. Your implication can be small or big, but nevertheless important to help enrich our school community. Should you wish to have more information or want to get involved, please contact Mme Vachon, our community organizer at face.michelle.g.vachon@gmail.com

SIBLING REGISTRATION 2026-2027

Our registration period for the next school year will start on October 8th until October 31st. Siblings must have a certificate of eligibility submitted with the application. Parents who wish to register a sibling for the next year are not required to attend open house, but of course welcome!

Please complete the following form to receive more details and the application package:

<https://forms.office.com/r/U8nMzJEdZH>

PARENT RESOURCES

- **Allô prof - free student resources and virtual homework assistance**
<https://www.alloprof.qc.ca/en/students>
- **LEARN Québec - free online tutoring (Registration starts Sept. 29)**
<https://students.learnquebec.ca/learn-tutoring/>

