



September 2015

Class 3-2 Newsletter

YOUR TEACHER

My name is Mr. Brodie and I will be your grade 3 teacher. This is my seventh year at MSB and I can't wait to get started again.

Welcome back to school!

Students,

We are going to have fun this year! There are so many great things to learn in grade 3 and I am so excited to be there with you. I will do my best to make our lessons fun and engaging so that you enjoy your time in grade 3. Sometimes, though, we're going to have to work when you'd rather be playing. I will encourage you to participate, ask questions, and set goals for yourself. You will take responsibility for your own learning, but I will show you how to do it.

Parents,

The year will be filled with discovery, exploration, application, and fun for your child. We will be focusing a lot on independence and self-regulation this year, which begins with students being responsible for the use of their agenda and sharing it with you. Throughout the year, you'll be able to stand back and enjoy watching your child blossom. With your continued support, your child will grow to their fullest potential. Play together, learn together, be together. And always know, that while at school, your child will be cared for.



Communication

Communication between home and school is essential. The easiest way to communicate with me is through your child's agenda. I will be checking agendas on a daily basis for notes from home. Please initial the agenda nightly so that I am aware assignments and reminders have been shared with you. I can also be reached by email at brodiemi@hdsb.ca or by calling the school at (519) 853-3800. If you have questions, please feel free to get in touch with me to discuss them before they become concerns. I will communicate with you through monthly newsletters, our classroom website, your child's agenda, phone calls, and, if you wish, emails. I look forward to speaking with you all shortly.

First Week Fun!

The first week of school will be filled with cooperative activities and the establishment of routines and expectations. We will get to know each other and learn to work together. We will get our agenda, fill out lots of forms, and find out more details about the new school year.

Important Dates

Sept. 3 – P.A. Day

Sept. 7 – Labour Day

Sept. 8 – First Day of School

Classroom Website

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www.mrmichaelbrodie.ca

Please take the time to visit and bookmark our classroom website.

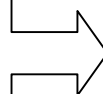


Students can access subject-based links, as well as safe and fun activities. Parents can access curriculum documents, newsletters, our weekly schedule, and much more.

Absence phone line (24 hour):

1-877-409-6310

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Quote
of the
Month



"A person who never made a mistake never tried anything new."
- Albert Einstein