



June 28, 2023

Notice Regarding Overflow Designation for Kindergarten to Grade 9 Regular Program Students Attending Elboya School

Dear Students and Parents/Guardians,

This letter is to inform you that Elboya School is projected to be over capacity for the 2023-24 school year. The school will not be able to accommodate all students who live within the school boundary. Immediate short-term adjustments are needed to ensure that the Calgary Board of Education (CBE) can continue to offer strong learning opportunities to all students.

The regular program is seeing high enrolment for the 2023-24 school year. Consequently, we must designate overflow schools for all **new** regular program registrations for elementary and junior high grades at Elboya School for the 2023-24 school year.

Effective immediately, **new** registrations that cannot be accommodated in the regular program at Elboya School for the 2023-24 school year will be overflowed to:

- Chinook Park School for kindergarten to Grade 6 - located at 1312 75 Ave SW
- Woodman School for Grades 7 to 9 - located at 8706 Elbow Dr. SW

Regular program students who are overflowed to Chinook Park School and Woodman School will be placed on a call-back list and if space becomes available, they will be given an opportunity to transfer back to Elboya School.

No Changes for Current Students at Elboya School

Current kindergarten to Grade 9 students registered or attending Elboya School will remain at the school for the 2023-24 school year, provided they do not move out of the school boundary.

Why is this change happening?

Over the course of the 2022-23 school year, regular program registrations for Elboya School continued to increase. To relieve the pressure at the school we must introduce this temporary overflow to keep student enrolment at capacity for the 2023-24 school year.

Establishing an overflow for the regular program will balance enrolment between Elboya School and the overflow schools. It will also keep students at schools that are as close to home as possible, while we explore long-term solutions.

What is a call-back list?

If space becomes available in Elboya School for the regular program during the school year, that space will be offered to students on the call-back list who are currently attending their designated overflow school, Chinook Park School or Woodman School.

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Важное замечание:

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Students remain on the call-back list while they attend the designated overflow school. Students will be removed from the call-back list if they move out of the Elboya School boundary, transfer from the designated overflow school(s) or decline the offer to attend Elboya School.

Any new registrations received for the 2023-24 school year will be added to the call-back list based on priority designation and the date and time of their registration.

Transportation for students attending the designated overflow schools

Students are eligible for transportation to their designated school or overflow school if they live beyond the walk zone. Overflowed students will receive transportation to and from Chinook Park School or Woodman School. Transportation registrations will still be accepted after June 30, 2023. However, there may be a processing delay in adding students to routes due to volume, so families should have an alternate transportation plan in place for the start of the school year. The transportation fees will be applicable to students who use the yellow bus service.

In the CBE and across the city, we are experiencing a school bus driver shortage that may impact the mode of service provided. Please be assured that we are doing everything possible and working with our partners to restore reliability to transportation services. Visit [Busing & Transportation](#) for more information, or register for transportation, visit [MyCBE](#). Alternatively, families may use a paper form that is available on our [website](#).

How do I register for the 2023-24 school year?

Any **new regular program** registrations after the date of this notice (June 28, 2023) from students living in the Elboya School boundary must still register for Elboya School through SchoolEngage. Once these registrations have been received, the school will determine if there is space and resources available. If the student cannot be accommodated at Elboya School, the student's information is transferred to their new overflow designation, Chinook Park School or Woodman School, depending on their grade. The student will be added to the call-back list based on priority. For more information on how to register, please visit [our website](#).

Will there be any changes to the French Immersion Program?

Currently, there are no changes to the French Immersion Program. Although limited, some spaces exist in the French Immersion Program. We are continuing to monitor the enrolment numbers in the program closely.

What if I have more questions?

If you still have questions or require additional information, please contact the Area 7 office at Area7@cbe.ab.ca or 403-777-8750 (extension 0) or Area6@cbe.ab.ca or 403-777-8780 (extension 0).



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