

update

Auburn Bay School

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Principal Update

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We are excited to announce the trustees have now approved the name “Auburn Bay School” for the new K-4 school in Auburn Bay. Thank you to everyone who submitted their feedback and to the School Naming Committee who have worked so hard. Welcome to Auburn Bay School!

School Start and End Times Update

At a recent meeting, tentative bell times for Auburn Bay School were shared by transportation services. It is important to note that the Auburn Bay School will have two buses and therefore it is necessary to look at bus routes for both our school and the other schools these buses will transport students to. In other words, the buses will run several routes each day by picking up and delivering Auburn Bay students then going on to do the same for two more schools.

To this end, in order to facilitate these routes, our morning start time proposal is 8:05 am. We feel this is a great time to start and because families live closer to the school, it will likely not mean a big change in morning routines at home.

Our end time is currently proposed for Monday – Thursday 3:10 pm and Fridays 1:00 pm. Please note we have some flexibility to adjust these times to an earlier dismissal. Depending on the lunch bells, and our instructional days, these times could be up to 30 minutes earlier.

Additionally, we have looked at these times in comparison to Nickle School and Andrew Sibbald School as Auburn Bay families may have grade 4-9 students attending these schools. We are aware of the need to coordinate these times to make it easier for parents with students to arrange drop off and pick up schedules.

As additional updates are received, we will continue to share information with families in Auburn Bay.

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