Good Morning Glen Allan families,

Welcome back to another school year. For those of you that I haven’t had the opportunity to connect with yet, my name is Judy Anderson and I am very excited to be the new principal of Glen Allan Elementary. This week has been amazing, and we are so happy to have students back in school! I have been blown away with level of dedication, commitment and passion shown by the entire staff as we prepared to open the doors to our students. The staggered start has been a wonderful way to have smaller groups settle into the routines and ease back into school. Thank you for your support, understanding, feedback and positivity as we implement procedures and protocols to support our re-entry plan.

Tomorrow will be much busier as we welcome back all students in grades 1-6. Please remember that the north staff parking lot is strictly a drop off loop for parents. There is no parking permitted in this lot or along the center meridian between 8:15 – 8:30. If you are planning on walking your child up towards their designated door, please park in the visitor parking across Georgian Way and use the crosswalk. We really appreciate your cooperation for us to keep the traffic flowing and all the students safe! If you would like to see a map, please visit [www.glenallanelementary.ca](http://www.glenallanelementary.ca) under the Parent Information tab.

The "Correction and Verification Form" is now available online through your [PowerSchool Parent Portal](https://powerschool.eips.ca/public/home.html). Families can use the form to access and update their child’s information—including address, parent and guardian information, emergency contacts and any medical information. Reviewing and updating the form ensures the school has the most up-to-date information regarding your child. In particular, please pay close attention to all phone numbers, email addresses and emergency contact information. We will undoubtedly continue to have important information to communicate with families throughout this school year—whether your child is registered in in-school or out-of-school learning—and we want to ensure you receive this information. If you haven't already done so, we ask all **families to** review their child’s PowerSchool information by **Sept. 20, 2020**.

If you have any difficulties, please do not hesitate to contact us at the school office as we would be happy to assist you.

I will send out a regular school messenger to Glen Allan families as one way to connect and keep you up to date and informed. In addition, please follow us on Twitter @GlenAllanElem and access our school website which we are in the process of revamping!

If you have any questions, concerns or feedback, please contact us anytime. If you would like to reach your child’s teacher or a specific staff member directly, there is a Staff Directory tab on our website with an email link. There is also a new attendance post that allows you to report your child’s absence with one easy click!

Thank you again for your support and have a wonderful day!

Sincerely,

Judy Anderson, M. Ed

Principal

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