Date: November 9, 2016

Dear Parents/Guardians;

I am pleased to inform you that the Toronto Foundation for Student Success (TFSS), a registered charitable foundation of TDSB is offering a vision and hearing screening at the school. The vision screening includes tests for visual acuity, colour blindness, depth perception and strabismus (eye turning in/out). The vision and hearing screenings are conducted by trained International Medical Graduates (IMG) and certified Communicative Disorder Assistant. A nominal fee is charged to cover the services administrative costs.

If a problem is detected at the screening, a note will be sent home to direct you to health care professionals for further evaluation, proper care and follow through.

The vision and hearing screening services are optional. If you are interested in having your child screened, please complete and sign the registration form attached herewith and return to school the soonest possible time. Please note that for a clinic to run at the school, a minimum of 25 students registered is required. Pending the required number of registered students, our vision and hearing screening is scheduled on December 6, 2016.

For your additional information, for children 19 years and below, OHIP covers the cost of the eye examination by the Optometrist once a year.

Please note that forms are due to your child’s teacher by Nov. 22, 2016.

Sincerely,

Nancy Keenan
Principal