Dear Families of the International and Indigenous Languages Program,

Welcome and Happy fall! We hope the school year is off to a smooth start for all of you. We are looking forward to a new year together and we are happy to be welcoming you all in person.

Currently our registration numbers are lower than past years so we have had to limit the classes to three sites in Kitchener, Waterloo and Cambridge; <u>Forest Heights</u>, <u>Laurel Heights</u> and <u>Woodland Park</u>.

Elementary teachers will be starting their first day on Sat. Sept. 24th with online mandatory training. On Sat. Oct. 1st, students will have their first day in person with their class. All classes begin at 9 a.m. and end at 11:30 a.m. (October 1, 2022 - June 3, 2023)

Parking is provided onsite for drop off and pick up. We do ask that grown ups do not remain onsite during classes.

Here is the detailed list of languages by the site.

Site: Waterloo <u>Laurel</u> <u>Heights Secondary</u> Supervisor: Melissa Stacey and Bobbie Jo Lovell	Site: Kitchener: Forest Heights Collegiate Institute Supervisor: Meenu Bakhru	Site: Woodland Park Supervisor: Amanpreet Dhaul
Mandarin	Hindi	Farsi
Korean	Bengali	Gujarati
German	Hungarian JK-8	Punjabi
Arabic (Waterloo)	Malayalam	Tamil
Greek	Amharic JK-8	Urdu
Vietnamese	Serbian	
Romanian		

Teachers may reach out ahead of time but if you do not hear from your teacher, please arrive on the first day at the site listed above and we will ensure your student is connected with their teacher. More details about the weeks ahead will be provided by your student's teacher on the first day.

Thank you for your ongoing commitment to the International and Indigenous Languages Program.

The IILP Elementary Supervisors, Amanpreet Dhaul, Meenu Bakhru, Bobbie Jo Lovell and Melissa Stacey