

**High School Open Houses - Grade 8 parent information sessions**

These High School Open Houses focus on the student transition process from grade 8 to 9 (e.g., course selection process, in-school student supports, extracurricular activities). The table below provides the date and start time, of grade 8 parent information sessions, for the high schools that our students will attend or magnet programs they may apply to attend.

School	Date	Time
Bluevale C.I.	Wednesday, December 7, 2016	6:30 pm
Kitchener C.I. (including all magnet programs)	Wednesday, January 18, 2017	7:00 pm
Cameron C.I., for information on the International Baccalaureate Program Information	Tuesday, November 29, 2016	7:00 pm
Eastwood C.I., (including Integrated Arts Program Information)	Wednesday, November 30, 2016	6:00 pm
Waterloo C.I., (Magnet Programs - Instrumental Strings, ELL, Extended French, Geotechnology Information)	Wednesday, November 23, 2016	7:00 pm

**Important deadlines to remember regarding Magnet Programs:**

- applications to magnet programs are due January 16
- students who apply to magnet programs will be informed of their application status by January 30
- students who are successful in their application to a magnet program must declare their intent regarding admission to the magnet program by February 6

**Important deadlines to remember regarding course selection for all high school programs:**

- elementary Term 1 report cards are distributed February 17
- Grade 8 students may begin to select Grade 9 courses using the web-based MyWay course selection software February 21
- all student access to web-based MyWay course selection closes at 4:00 pm February 27
- students receive their confirmed course selection term schedule in mid June