Dear Parkway parents and caregivers, Mon. Feb. 3, 2020

I am very excited to announce my transfer and new appointment as Principal to Parkway Public School. Effective Monday, February 10, 2020 I will be filling in the shoes of an incredible leader, Mr. Stere.

I have had the privilege of working at many different schools in our region as an Educational Assistant, Teacher, Learning Support Teacher and Vice Principal. Most recently I have spent the past six months at William G Davis. Prior to that I spent two years as Vice Principal at Elgin Street Public School.

As a leader that is working in partnership with the parents of our students, I see the importance in having students and parents initiate conversations around what helps them feel valued in our schools. Student and parent voices are critical to our families and caregivers being valued partners in their childrens’ learning journey. I look forward to meeting you all over the next five months.

I have heard many positive and heart filled stories about the amazing staff at Parkway Public School and I have had the opportunity to get to know our grade 7 William G Davis students who are former Dolphins; commitment to learning, caring and compassionate are just a few qualities that the Parkway family seem to share.

I believe that student needs are first and foremost. Our students are unique. As educators it is important to acknowledge this but also to nurture this uniqueness. I am dedicated to getting to know the students at Parkway Public School and supporting them each in their learning journey.

Kind regards,

Melissa Stacey

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