

Weekly Update November 12, 2021

Good afternoon Greendale families.

We had a very nice Remembrance Day ceremony yesterday. We were able to broadcast into every classroom via our TEAMS platform. Many of our students/classes were involved and they all did a wonderful job.

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REMEMBRANCE DAY

*Lest we forget*



There are a few things to bring to your attention:



- Progress Report Cards will be coming home next Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup>
- Next Friday, November 19<sup>th</sup> is a PD Day for all DSBN Schools
- Later today, you will be receiving an on-line link via email, that will enable you to book an interview time with your child's teacher. Please note that these interviews will still be done virtually or via phone calls again this year. I would recommend booking your times as soon as you can in order to get your preferred time slot.



- ◇ Interviews will take place the week of November 22 – 26<sup>th</sup>
- ◇ Picture Day is coming up on November 25<sup>th</sup>



For those of you that have children who take the bus to and from school, there is an option through the NSTS.ca website whereby you can receive notifications regarding your child's routes. Some of you have done this already, but if you haven't I would highly recommend it. This will be helpful for you as we head into the winter season as you will get notification if there are delays or any issues with your child's specific bus run. Attached is information on how to create an account with NSTS in case you haven't done that yet.


In a previous weekly message, I had mentioned a parent session that we would like to run with our School Social Worker. At this time that session is on hold as there wasn't a great response. However, we will probably run a parent session in the new year as we do feel that there may still be some interest.

Have a safe and happy weekend.

C. Glauser

## To Create or Log into a NSTS Account:

Step 1 – Please visit the [www.nsts.ca](http://www.nsts.ca) and select Parent Portal tab located at the top of the NSTS.ca page home page



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**2021-22 Back to School**

Please sign-in to the secure parent portal to view preliminary transportation arrangements made for your child(ren) and complete the Opt-In to Transportation form notify NSTS if you intend to have your child(ren) ride the bus this school year. If you Opt-In, your child(ren) will be assigned a seat on the bus.

More back to school information for the 2021-22 school year will be posted soon.

To contact NSTS, please email [nsts@nsts.ca](mailto:nsts@nsts.ca) or call 905-357-6787.

Step 2A– If you have already created an account, please enter your email address in the User Name area and your Password when prompted.

### Log In

User Name

Password

☐ Remember me

Log In

[Forgot Your Password?](#)

[Create Account](#)

- If you don't remember your password, you can select "Forgot your Password?".

### Password Reset

User Name

Cancel

Submit

- This will allow you to reset the password. A confirmation email will be sent to your email account advising that a change has been made and you will need to follow the email instruction to activate this new password.
- If you do not see a confirmation email, please remember to check your Spam/Junk mail folder as it may have been directed to that location.

Step 2B - If you do not already have an account, please select **"Create Account"**

- Please enter the email address that your wish to use
- Please select a password for this account using the security format

## Log In

User Name

Password

☐ Remember me

Log In

[Forgot Your Password?](#)

[Create Account](#)

You will be directed to a new page that looks like this: NOTE – Password needs to be 8 letters then add the Special character, number etc. For example Elephant4%

### Create Account

✕

**Password Requirements**

Length : 8

At least one number or special character

At least one number

At least one lower case letter


At least one upper-case letter

**Email**

**Password**

**Confirm Password**

☐ I'm not a robot

  
reCAPTCHA  
[Privacy](#) - [Terms](#)

Submit

Close

Enter your email address and create a password that follows the Password Requirements. Check off “I am not a robot” and select Submit.

You should receive a message that says.

An email has been sent to this address. Please check your email and confirm your account. ✕

- Please check your email account for the confirmation email. If you do not see this in your inbox, please check to see if it was directed into your junk /spam folder.
- Follow the directions in this email to confirm your nsts.ca parent account was created.

**You are now ready to add your child's student profile to your account.**

- At the bottom of this page please select the Add student icon



**Add Student**



**My Students**



**My Subscriptions**

- This will bring you to the following screen
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Add Student ✕

**Student OEN**

**Birth Date (YYYY-MM-DD)**

**School**

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**Grade**

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**Add Student**

**Close**

- **Student OEN**

Is the child's Ontario Education Number which is the number that the province assigns to each student and will follow the student to any school that they may attend in the province of Ontario. This number is located on the student's report card and is a 9 digit number.

Please enter this number WITHOUT dashes or spaces

- **Birth Date (yyyy-mm-dd)**

Please enter the child's birth date USING the dashes between the year and month and month and day as noted above or use the calendar to select the year, month and day.

- **School**

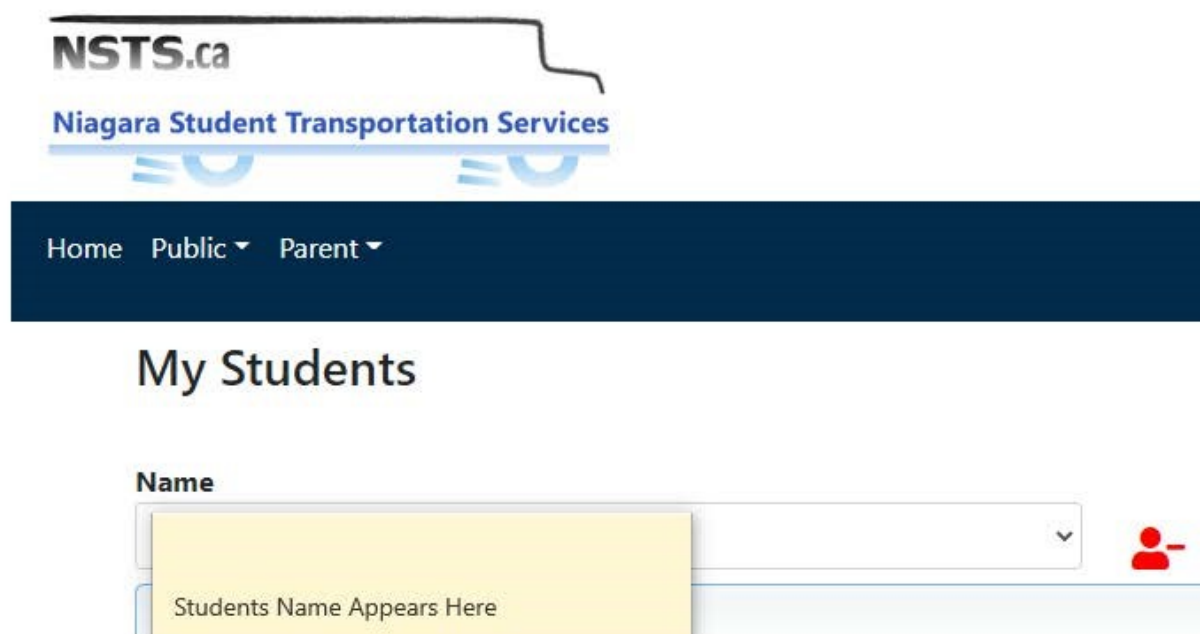
Enter the school that the student will be attending

- **Grade**

Enter the grade the student is registered in

Click the blue button at the bottom of the screen that indicates Add Student.

This will now take you to the next screen to view the transportation details for this student.



**NSTS.ca**  
Niagara Student Transportation Services

Home Public Parent

## My Students

**Name**

Students Name Appears Here

- Please note that if you have entered more than one student to your profile you can use the drop-down arrow to the right of the name to view the other children's names and their bussing details.
- The red icon to the right that displays a student's name with a dash is there to remove a student from your profile.

Once you see the transportation details you can then click on the Link to complete Opt-In/Opt-Out Form (yellow page icon) as seen below to declare if you require bus service for your child or if you wish to not use the bus service.

| Transportation   |       |             |             |            |
|--|-------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| School   | Grade | Eligibility | Travel Code | Met at Bus |
| Transportation details will appear here for your child |       |             |             |            |
| <a href="#">Link to complete Opt-In/Opt-Out Form</a>   |       |             |             |            |