

PSA

Time to start thinking about return-to-school!

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It's exactly two weeks until the first day of school – is your family ready? Here are some things to be thinking about in the lead-up to returning to the classroom.

REMINDERS:

- **Registration:** You need to register your child if they'll be attending a school for the first time. You can register online at www.spsd.sk.ca or in-person/by phone through the division's central office. We also offer in-person registration at all Saskatoon public elementary schools on Aug. 28 between 1 and 3 p.m.
- **School Calendar:** Our elementary and secondary school calendars are available now. You can find them on our division website or on any of our school websites. We recommend saving or printing them for easy reference.
- **FAQs:** If you're looking for information on things like transportation, before and after care, school supply lists, etc., this information is available: on our website or inperson/by phone via our central office.

TIPS:

- Adjusting your child's sleep schedule in the 1-2 weeks leading up to school can make this transition gentler.
- Reintroduce an evening routine that includes getting organized for the next day;
 picking out an outfit and putting things together you'll need.
- Depending on the age of the student, consider setting up a study space with homework supplies ready to go.
- Talk about what to expect and how your child is feeling.

The first day of school, for both elementary and secondary school, is Sept. 2. The first day of elementary school is a half day—morning only.

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