



# Chris Hadfield Public School

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Dear Parents / Guardians,

Chris Hadfield Public School's Grade 8 Graduation will be held on Wednesday, June 19, 2019. We are looking forward to celebrating this significant educational milestone with all of our 2019 graduates and their families. The grade 8 teachers have been reflecting on the successes and challenges of our past graduations, while also exploring successful traditions from other DDSB schools and polling our own graduates. We are committed to ensuring this special event will be a memorable one for our students. It is with the students in mind that we have planned a fun-filled 2019 graduation celebration.

The graduation ceremony will once again be held at Brooklin High School, where graduates and guests can enjoy an air-conditioned atmosphere. Due to our large graduating class, there will be limited seating available at the ceremony. Each graduate is therefore asked to invite a maximum of four guests. Parents will have the opportunity to share a traditional first dance with their graduates after the ceremony and light refreshments will also be available, courtesy of our grade 7 families.

In lieu of a dance in our gymnasium, students are invited to NEB's Fun World in Oshawa following the graduation ceremony. Students voted overwhelmingly in favour of this option. Transportation will be provided and each student will be given credits for rides and/or the arcade, one game of bowling, and snacks. We are very happy to share that this fun evening is being offered at no additional cost to students. **Upon returning from NEBs, parents will need to pick up their graduates at our school.** We cannot permit students to walk home or to leave with anyone other than their own parent at the end of the night without prior written consent.

Below is an overview of the itinerary for the evening:

### Wednesday, June 19, 2019

5:00 pm	Graduation Ceremony at Brooklin High School
7:30 pm	Bus to NEB's Fun World
10:00 pm	Bus leaves NEB's Fun World
10:15 pm	Pick up at Chris Hadfield Public School

Please contact your child's homeroom teacher with any questions or concerns regarding graduation.

Yours in education,

The Grade 8 Team