

## **REGINA HUDA SCHOOL**

Gaining the Best of Canadian Culture while Preserving the Islamic Identity

February 14, 2017

Dear Parents,

We are asking all parents on the waiting list with children currently in Kindergarten to Grade 7 (they are enrolled in these grades this year) to sign up for entrance exams in March. If you know a family waiting for admission to Regina Huda School for 2017-18, please ask them to come to the school to pick up a letter or share this copy with them.

We are hopeful that the completion of the expansion will be ready for September 2017. To prepare for the opening of the expansion we are inviting all parents with children in Kindergarten to Grade 7 on the waiting list to come to write the entrance exam in March. We ask that you bring a copy of your child's most recent report card. Please provide a copy as we will have 50 - 100 students writing an exam each day and we cannot provide a copy for you. The report cards will be given directly to Mrs. Nistor, principal, or Mrs. Spock, vice principal. Mrs. Nistor and Mrs. Spock will be supervising the exams.

Interested high school students will meet with Mrs. Spock later in the spring to discuss admission.

The following dates are provided for your child/children to write the exam. Choose one that fits your schedule.

Please use Signup.com to register your child/children for an assessment on one of the dates by following these steps:

- 1. Visit <u>http://signup.com/go/1wYmTT</u> (note: you must use this exact URL).
- 2. Review the dates and times listed and choose a spot for each of your children.
- 3. Enter your name, email address, telephone number, child's full name, and current grade.
- 4. We will see you and your child/children at the day and time you selected at Regina Huda School.

The link will be open at 5:00 p.m. March 8<sup>th</sup>. We will only be able to accommodate a certain number on each date/time, so sign up early.

Below are a few informational items regarding Regina Huda School:

- Please see our Regina Huda School website and read the parent manual.
- School Fees A \$125.00 fee is required for all students to register for each school year.

- Payment is by cheque, postdated cheques for the year or cash. Monthly fees are as follow:
  - $\circ$  1<sup>st</sup> child 250.00
  - $\circ$  2<sup>nd</sup> child 200.00
  - $\circ$  3<sup>rd</sup> or more 150.00 each
- All students are expected to purchase uniforms from the school. The uniform is worn every day.
- Students are required to be at school from 8:25 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- Students are expected to be on time and attend every day (unless sick).
- Parents must contact the school and meet with the principal or vice principal if a student will be away from school for a period of time.
- In addition to Saskatchewan curriculum, students learn Islamic Studies, Qur'an, and Arabic. All subjects are important and parents need to ensure that students are prepared to work hard in every subject.
- Homework is expected to be completed. Parents please ensure that your child has a designated place for homework and read and sign the agenda every day.
- All students stay for lunch and parents pack lunch for their child/children every day
- Bussing: We do provide bussing for a fee one way \$120.00 and both ways \$180.00. Currently our bussing is for south and south east only, but we are hoping to add to the north and north west if we have enough students in those areas.
- Behavior Students are required to be respectful and follow Islamic manners/values at all times. Disrespect is not tolerated. Students who do not comply to the behavior expectations as outlined in the parent manual may be asked to leave the school. The Regina Huda Board and school administration determine who is enrolled in the school.
- All new students are on a 3 month probation, but if there are any concerns with a student in the first year, the probation time may be extended or the student may be dismissed from attending the school.

We are excited to see the opening of our expansion, but increased enrolment will only occur if it is completed by September 2017. We will not contact any parents until we are guaranteed that the expansion will be completed. Once we are sure the expansion is completed we will contact you by phone or email to inform you if your child/children will be joining us in the upcoming 2017/18 school year.

We thank you for your interest in Regina Huda School and look forward to possibly having your children join us in the fall.

Sincerely,

Starla Nistor Principal Pam Spock Vice Principal