

September 26, 2025

Good evening parents and guardians of the LTJH community,

Please take some time to read and review:

NS Lunch Program

On **Monday, October 6th**, the Nova Scotia School Lunch Program is starting in our school! You can start ordering lunches on September 26th.

Ordering Lunches

The ordering site is now open for orders!

You can go to www.NSLunch.ca, click "Order Now" and select **Halifax Regional Centre for Education** to order lunches.

You will be able to log into the system using your My NS Account or a student GNSPES account. If you do not have a My NS Account, the system can guide you in creating one.

You can then create or modify diner profiles. To do this, you will need to select your school and input your child's name.

Once the diner profile is complete, you will be able to choose between two daily lunch options, place your order and access the confidential payment system.

If you experience any issues when ordering, you can reach out to lunch@hrce.ca or your region's School Food Lead by creating a [Support Request](#) in the ordering system.

Thank you for taking part in the Nova Scotia School Lunch Program!

Grade 6 Provincial Assessments

The **Nova Scotia Assessment: Reading, Writing, and Mathematics/Mathématiques in Grade 6** is administered over 4-days in October our dates at Leslie Thomas are listed below.

Attached is the parent information sheet:

RWM6 Dates at LTJH:

Wednesday Oct 8: Reading and Writing Day 1

Thursday Oct 9: Reading and Writing Day 2

Friday Oct 10: Make Up Day

Wednesday Oct 15: Mathematics Day 1

Thursday Oct 16: Mathematics Day 2

Friday Oct 17: Make Up Day

Public Transit

If your student is taking the metro transit bus after school, please have a conversation around lining up on the gravel shoulder and not waiting on the paved street. It is very busy on Metropolitan after school and students should try their best to safely wait for the bus.

Lunch Supervision

- Lunch Supervision Form must be on file with homeroom teacher.
- If registered but occasionally leaving school → signed, dated note from parent/guardian must be handed to the office *before lunch hour begins*
- Written notes should be occasional only, not a regular practice
- No calls home at lunch to request permission

Early Pick-Up

- Early pick-up should be before 3:00 pm
- Email office with notice: (ltjh@hrce.ca and sonja.moore@hrce.ca)
- Only PowerSchool contacts can pick up (photo ID if not recognized).
- Students may be sent out the front doors to a parent/guardian waiting in a parked vehicle, or given permission to walk home
- In some cases, the parent/guardian may be required to come into the office to show photo ID
- Students are called to the office only once the authorized person has arrived

PowerSchool Parent Portal Access

- Trouble logging in or resetting your Parent Portal account?
- Please email sonja.moore@hrce.ca and the office will help troubleshoot
- District Code: WRPB
- Username: always the email address on file in PowerSchool

Thanks for helping us keep things safe & efficient!

Important Dates

1. September 29 – PD Day (no school)
2. September 30 - National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (no school)
3. October 3rd – Terry Fox
4. October 16th – Dance
5. October 17th – Immunization Clinic
6. October 27th – Picture ReTakes

Have a great weekend!

LTJH Administration and Staff