

LESLIE THOMAS JUNIOR HIGH

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Dear Grade 6 Parents/Guardians:

LTJH offers students the option of participating in a late French Immersion program beginning in grade 7. *All students* may register for the late French Immersion program. It is worth noting that the students who experience the greatest success in the program tend to be confident learners who excel in language arts and are not afraid to take risks academically.

The deadline for registering in the late French Immersion program is March 1st / March 4th.

The school schedule for the 2024-2025 school year is developed and submitted to the school board in PowerSchool by the end of March. The number of registrants in French Immersion affects our staffing. This is why *it is critical that students/families need to make a decision about French Immersion and register for the program by the above deadline.*

Please give your child's participation in this program <u>careful</u> consideration as it is expected that **once a student has** registered for French Immersion in grade 7, they remain in that program for at least one full year.

We must have a response from *every* grade 6 student to ensure that we are clear about your choice when scheduling begins next month. Please indicate your child's choice on the form below and return this letter to your child's Grade 6 classroom teacher by <u>March 4th.</u>

For those families interested, there will be a meeting with current French Immersion teachers and administration in the School Library **Wednesday, February 7** at 6:00pm. There will be a slideshow about the program and opportunity to ask questions.

Sincerely,

Derek Ferguson, Principal, LTJH

French Immersion Registration 2024 - 2025

Student's name: _____

Student's current class: _____

I would like my child enrolled in the French Immersion program at LTJH for the 2024-2025 school year:

YES: _____ NO: _____

I understand that once my child has been enrolled for the grade 7 French Immersion program, they are committed to and must remain in that program for the full 2024 - 2025 school year.

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____