

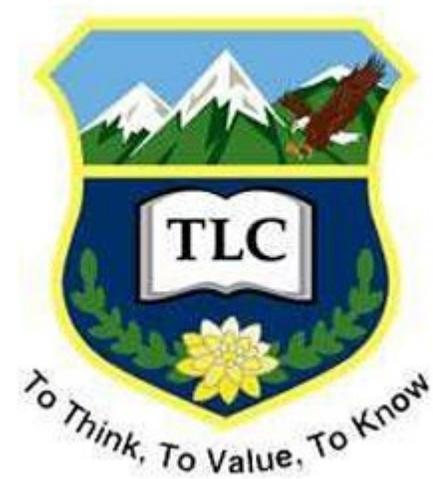


Alternative Programs



# Chief Justice Milvain

## Traditional Learning Centre (TLC)



learning | as unique | as every student

## Traditional Learning Centre



# Chief Justice Milvain School

- CJM is a dual track school serving Whitehorn, Coral Springs and Taradale
- 585 Students
- TLC: Kindergarten – Gr 5
- Community Program: Kindergarten – Gr 6
- TLC Students attend Annie Gale for Gr 6
- Community Program Students attend Annie Gale for Gr 7
- Currently 48 Staff Members

## Alternative Programs



## Choice | Alternative Programs

- Indigenous Education
- Arts-Centred
- All Boys
- All Girls
- Languages (French, German, Mandarin, Spanish)
- Montessori
- Science
- Traditional Learning Centre (TLC)

## Alternative Programs



## Why Alternative Programs?

- Providing families choices to meet the unique learning needs of each student
- Programs focus on a particular language, culture, subject (Arts, Science), or teaching philosophy
- Informed choice is essential – what is THIS particular program about and how does it meet MY child's needs?

## Alternative Programs



## Inform | Key Messages

- Each program has unique features
- Integrity of the program remains the same across sites
- All sites follow Alberta Curriculum and Programs of Study with ATA certificated teachers
- All schools requiring a lottery follow the CBE lottery process
- Aligned with system timeframe for registration
- There is a designated Alternative Program school for each home address

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## Inform | Transportation

- K-5 yellow bus transportation provided following CBE congregated stop guidelines for alternative programs
- parents pay an annual fee for CBE yellow bus service
- congregated stops reviewed annually and informed by pre-registration for transportation: [MyCBE/PowerSchool](#)

## Traditional Learning Centre



## Elements of the TLC Program:

- character education
- whole group instruction
- academic enrichment (vertical and horizontal as appropriate and possible in the school setting)
- mandatory French as a Second Language from grade 1
- singing of *O Canada* beginning of the week
- mandatory school uniform
- TLC Program ends in Grade 9
- daily homework expectations in grades 1-9 (Google Classroom)

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# The TLC classroom

- utilizes the gradual release of responsibility model

## The Gradual Release Model

### TEACHER RESPONSIBILITY

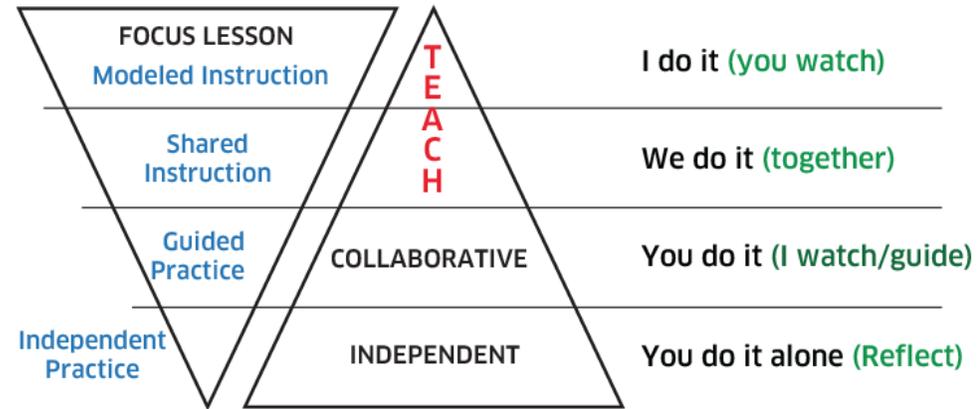


Figure 1: The Gradual Release Model

[responsibility.html](#)

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## A TLC student demonstrates...

- participation in positive social interactions and takes an active role when engaging in problem solving, acts of citizenship and service
- acceptance of a rigorous academic environment
- willingness to pursue excellence across all disciplines of the Alberta Curriculum
- a willingness to work independently
- a commitment to daily homework as guided by Administrative Regulation 3060

## Traditional Learning Centre



## Family Supports | Commitments

- partners in education
- daily uniform compliance
- participation in French instruction
- actively support with homework
- regular communication with the school through email, phone calls and conferences
- support a welcoming, safe, respectful learning environment
- regular attendance in accordance with the Education Act
- volunteering

## Traditional Learning Centre



## Uniform Guidelines:

- Elementary school uniform colour – green (TLC cardigan and vest)
- all students wear the TLC tartan plaid. Either the plaid tie, tartan dress must be worn on formal days.  
formal uniform required Mondays & special occasions
- informal uniform may be worn on all other days.  
all uniform pieces must be clean, tidy, in good repair and fit appropriately.
- all uniform pieces should be clearly and permanently labelled
- further information about purchase is available when acceptance into TLC is confirmed and child is registered. Do NOT purchase a uniform until this time.

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## Uniform Purchase

TLC Uniform pieces are available online through McCarthy Uniforms

5911 3 St SE 403-252-9342

[mccarthyuniforms.ca](http://mccarthyuniforms.ca)

### 2026-2027 Uniform Purchasing Windows

July 2, 2026 - October 31, 2026

December 15, 2026 - January 31, 2027

April 15, 2027 - May 31, 2027

## Traditional Learning Centre



## Calendar and Bell times

Current bell times are subject to change.

An updated calendar with all finalized dates and times will be shared with all parents as soon as it is available.





# Online Registration for All Students



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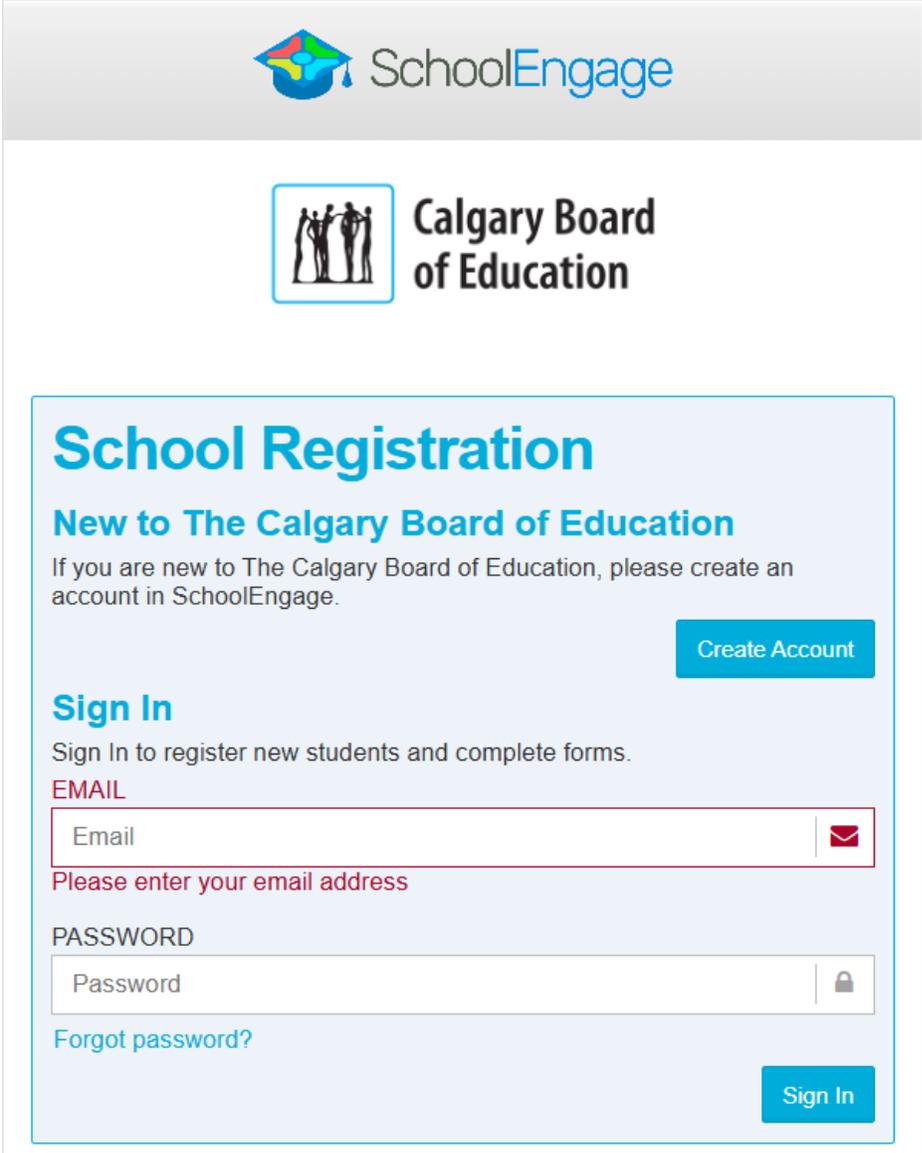
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# Registration is Online with School Engage

- The registration form is approximately 16 tabs
- You may SAVE and return to the form
- Collect required documents prior to beginning your forms



The screenshot shows the School Engage registration interface. At the top, there is a header with the School Engage logo and the Calgary Board of Education logo. Below the logos, the page title is "School Registration" and the subtitle is "New to The Calgary Board of Education". A message states: "If you are new to The Calgary Board of Education, please create an account in SchoolEngage." There is a "Create Account" button. Below this, there is a "Sign In" section with the text "Sign In to register new students and complete forms." There are two input fields: "EMAIL" and "PASSWORD". The "EMAIL" field has a red border and a red error message: "Please enter your email address". The "PASSWORD" field has a lock icon. There is a "Forgot password?" link and a "Sign In" button at the bottom right.

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# Registration Documentation

## WHAT YOU WILL NEED

Prior to starting the registration process you will require the following information:

- **Proof of primary address:**

Where the child resides. It must include the parent / legal guardian / independent student name.

Examples include: bank statement, driver's licence, GST rebate, utility bill, home or renters insurance, income tax statement, mortgage statement, property tax assessment or the Canada Revenue Agency letter

- **Child's proof of age, citizenship and legal name:**

Examples include: Alberta Birth Certificate, Canadian Birth Certificate, Canadian passport, Canadian Citizenship Card, Canadian Citizenship Certificate, Confirmation of Permanent Residence or the Canadian Certificate of Indian Status

- A **selfie** with the legal guardian / parent government issued photo identification

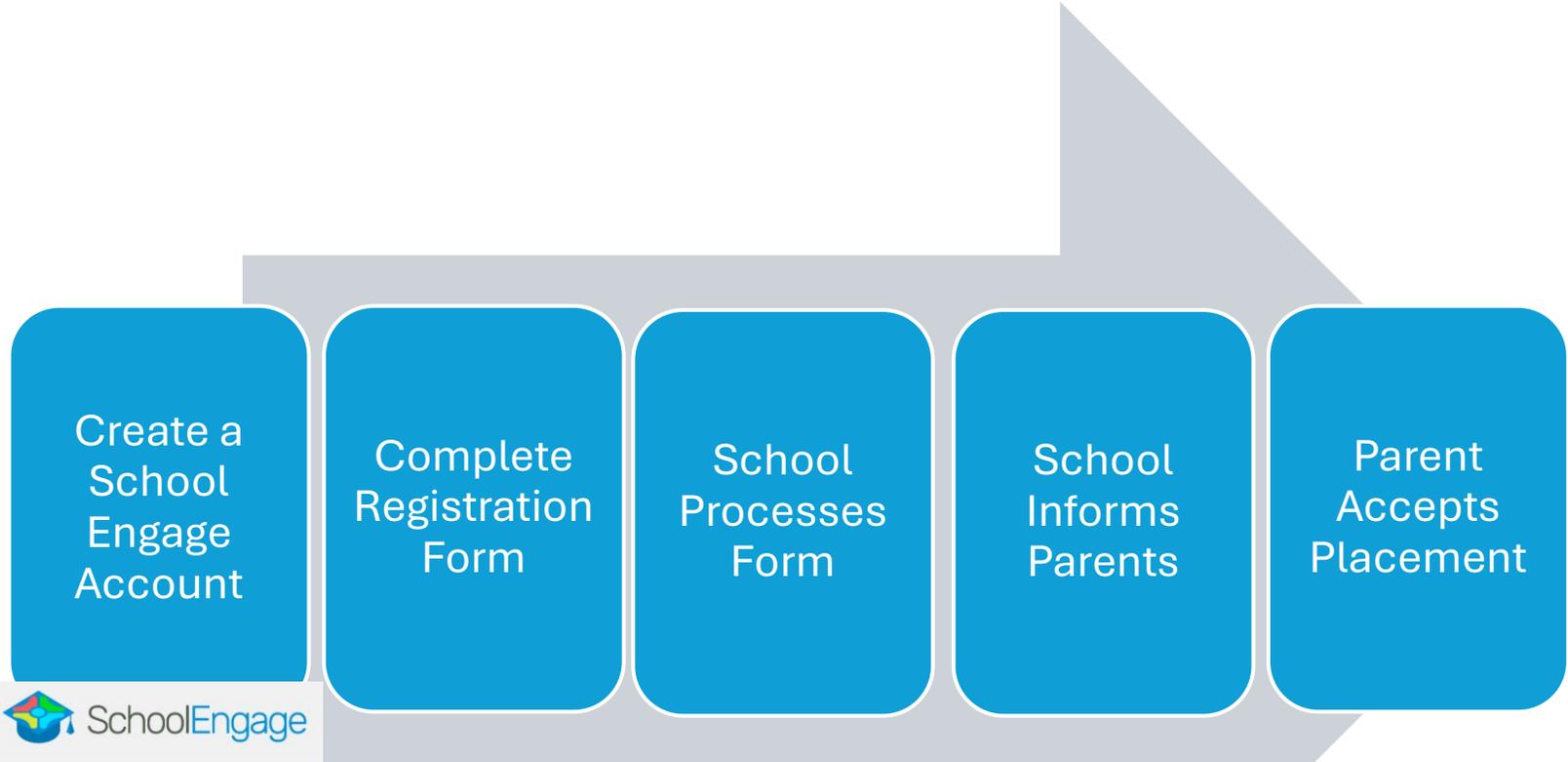
Additional documentation may be required:

- [Custody / Guardianship](#)

- [Student Health Form](#)
- [Student Assessment](#)

Students who are not Canadian citizens will be contacted after registration by the [CBE Welcome Centre](#).

# Alternative Programs | Schools in Lottery Registration Process





## Lottery Process

Designed to equitably enroll students when a school, program, or grade has more students than the capacity of the building will allow





## Lottery Timeline

- Feb 10, 2026 12:00 PM
  - Registration/Expression of interest **must be completed**
- February 11, 2026 12:00 PM
  - Schools hold lottery
  - School Council member is there to witness the draw
- Results of the lottery will be communicated to families within **10 business days**
- Families will have **10 business days** from the date the offer of placement was sent to respond.





## Communication from the school(s)

- Please wait to hear from all schools that you expressed interest in before accepting an offer for placement
- Once you accept a placement, **you may not receive any further offers**
- Results of the lottery will be communicated through email
  - You will login to SchoolEngage to accept the offer



# Lottery Student Priority

## Priority 1

- Students living within the lottery zone who have a sibling (brother/sister) that will be attending the same program in the same school concurrently

## Priority 2

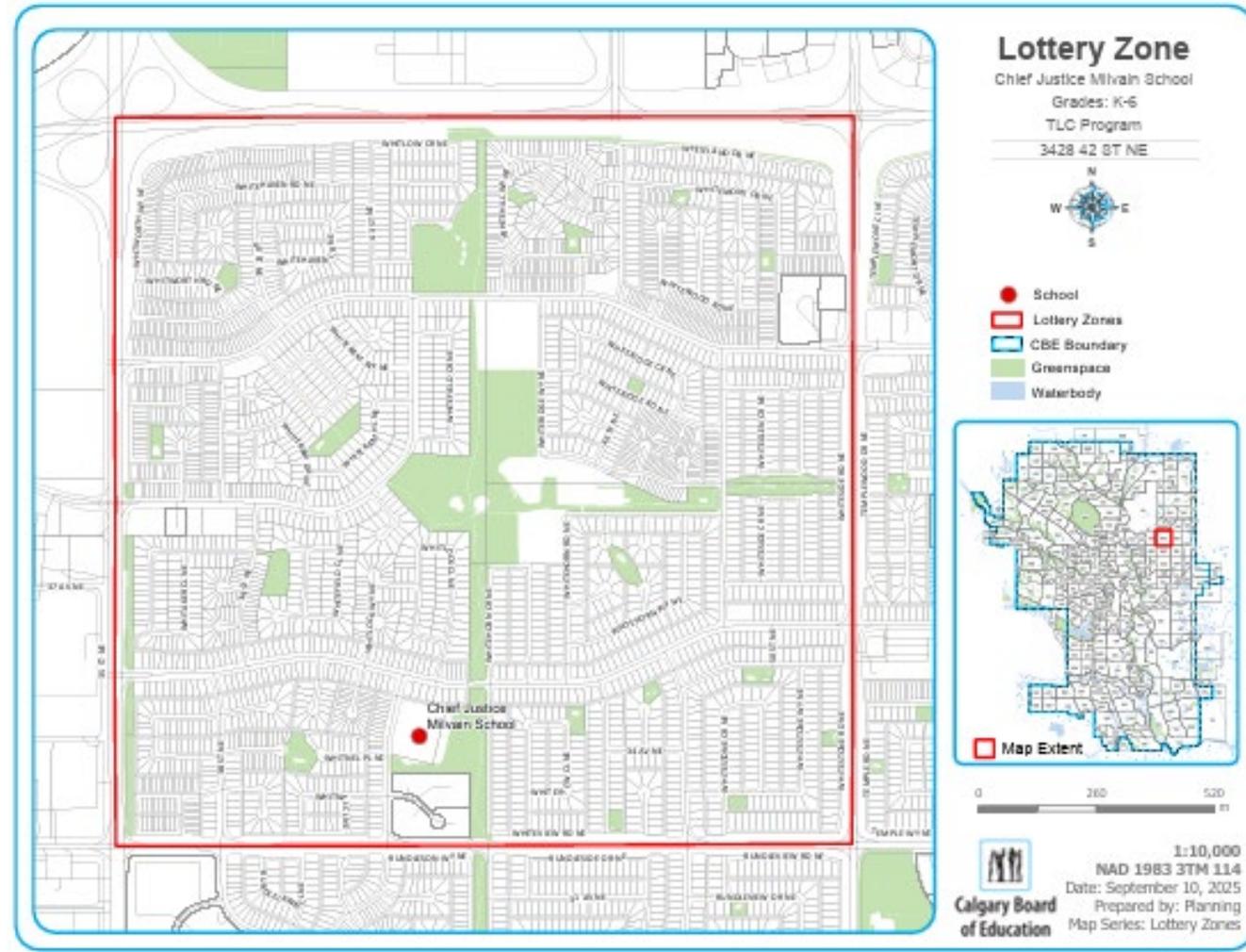
- Students living outside the lottery zone but in the designated area for the school, who will have a sibling in the same program at the same school concurrently; or
- Students living in the lottery zone who do not have a sibling in the school

## Priority 3

- All other students living in the designated attendance area



# Lottery Zone Map



[Click here to find school lottery zone maps](#)



## When a Student's Name is Not Drawn in the Lottery:

- If more than one alternative program was selected, each school will notify you of the lottery result
- Student's not drawn in the lottery will attend their **designated regular program school**



## Registrations received after Lottery

Students registering for an **alternative program** after the lottery draw must register for their designated regular program school, as no additional spaces will be available for the next school year.

## TLC Wait List - Eligibility

Students who are not drawn in the lottery are placed on the waitlist

### Sibling Priority

If one student is accepted into an Alternative Program and their siblings were not offered a space, those siblings are placed at the top of the Priority 2 waitlist for their grade



## Wait List - Callbacks

Callbacks take place between March and the beginning of September

Callbacks occur when:

- Students move
- Parents decline an offer of placement





# Thank You

Please contact the school if you have  
any further questions

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