

Dear Hadley and Philemon Wright Family,

I am Mrs. Dodie Payne, the Principal of Hadley Junior High School and Philemon Wright High School. Ms. Terri McPhail is the Vice-Principal responsible for Grade 7s, 8s and 9s. Mr. Rosseel is no longer working at Hadley/Philemon. He is now the Principal of Buckingham Elementary School. I would like to introduce you to Ms. Kate Smith. She is the Vice-Principal responsible for Grade 10s, 11s and Special Education. As an Administration team, we would like to welcome all of our students, family members and staff back who are returning to us for the 2019/2020 school year. I would like to extend a big welcome to any new members who are joining our school for this year. Happy New Year!

We had a very successful 2018/2019 school year at Hadley and Philemon Wright. Our Ministry of Education results were very positive, our musical won Best Musical at the Cappies, we had many sports/athletics successes and we accomplished our goal to listen to student voice. Please see our 2019 Flyer on the back. I hope everyone has had a restful summer and will join us in looking forward to another successful school year as we continue to focus on our school mission; To Achieve Success Through Education and Community. At the heart of our community is our strong emphasis on Teaching and Learning. The staff at Hadley and Philemon play a very important role in your child's life and we have a huge impact on their success. We cannot provide the best education for your child alone. We believe that parents are the most important teachers children will ever have and their homes are their most important school. As partners, we share the responsibility for our children's success and we will work hard at carrying out that responsibility.

Open House/General Assembly: All parents/guardians and students are invited to our Open House/General Assembly on September 19th from 5:30 – 8:00 pm. We look forward to seeing everyone and to share our plans for the upcoming school year. We will have our General Assembly to introduce our Governing Board members and nominate new Governing Board members for the vacant positions.

School Expenses: Your child's school fees will be mailed home after September 30th when courses are finalized. We review our school fees every year and charge the amount used by the students. All fees must be paid to ensure a smooth start and full participation in school life. The following are a list of the base fees. **Please note that there are workbook fees for different courses that will be added onto the base fee.** Fees can be paid by coming into the school and paying at the finance office or call and make arrangements.

Photocopy/Paper/Printer Fees	\$ 25.00
Student Supervision Fee	\$ 50.00
Agenda	\$ 7.70

Communication:

Portal: Last April we launched a new software called Moziak Portail, where parents were able to re-register their children and view their report cards. We will be continuing to use the Portal and adding more information as the year progresses. It is important to create your child's profile on the portal. The website is <https://portailparents.ca/accueil/en/>. If you have already created your child's profile, there is no need to create another one. Additional family members can be added. If you are new to our school board, please contact the school (Mrs. Miljour) for assistance should there be difficulty creating your child's profile. Your child's permanent code can be found on any Quebec issued report card.

Website: Visit our website and watch the student created video on the front page if you have not seen it already. It captures what Hadley and Philemon is all about. You can also view our daily announcements and receive important information on our website. <http://hadleypwhs.com/>

Facebook and Twitter: Visit, like and follow our Hadley-PWHS Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/HadleyPWHS/> for news, updates and photos from the Hadley-PWHS school community. You can also follow us on twitter at @WQSB_PWHS

Remind: Sign up for the Hadley-PWHS Remind service to receive news and updates from the school on your cell phone. This one-way communication service is a great way to easily stay up-to-date on school events and information. You can download the Remind app for free and search for @hpwnews. If you prefer to receive notifications by email, go to www.remind.com/join and use the class code @hpwnews. If you previously signed up to receive text messages from Remind without the app, please note that some carriers no longer support remind updates.

School Supplies: There is a basic school supplies list on our school website (hadleypwhs.com). Teachers will provide students with subject specific material lists once school starts.

Attendance: If your child is absent from school, please contact our Attendance Secretary. You may contact her by phone (819-776-3158 extension 439009) or by email attendancehadleypw@wqsb.qc.ca. Please ensure that you include your child's name, grade level, parent/guardian's name, date and reason for absence.

Forms: Students will be sent home with the Emergency Health form, Email communication form, Consent for Publication form and Technology Consent form (Office 365) on the first day of school. The forms are very important, so please fill them out ASAP and have your child return them to their homeroom teachers.

Start Dates:

August 29th – Only Grade 7, 9, MAP Year 1 and Entrepreneurship students attend school

August 30th – Only Grade 8, 10, 11, MAP Year 2, Pre-Work and Semi-skilled students attend school

September 3rd - All students attend school

*** Sport-études, Lindsay Place, CASP and Challenges program begin classes on August 29th and can attend everyday thereafter***

September 18th – Photo day

October 21st – Photo retakes

We look forward to working with you throughout the 2019/2020 school year.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Payne

Principal

We are Hadley Junior & Philemon Wright High School 2019

**WORK HARD
BE YOURSELF**

Fraser Report

**PHILEMON WRIGHT
HIGH SCHOOL TOP 5
SCHOOL IN THE
OUTAOUAIS
(#1 PUBLIC SCHOOL)**



ACADEMICALLY RANKED THE
TOP SCHOOL
IN THE REGION

Some of the many reasons to be proud of the Hadley/PWHS community:

EXCELLENCE IN FRENCH LANGUAGE ENRICHMENT

- ✓ Concours d'Art Oratoire
- ✓ Poetry in Voice
- ✓ Creative Writing & Reading Buddies Partnership

OUTSTANDING ACADEMICS

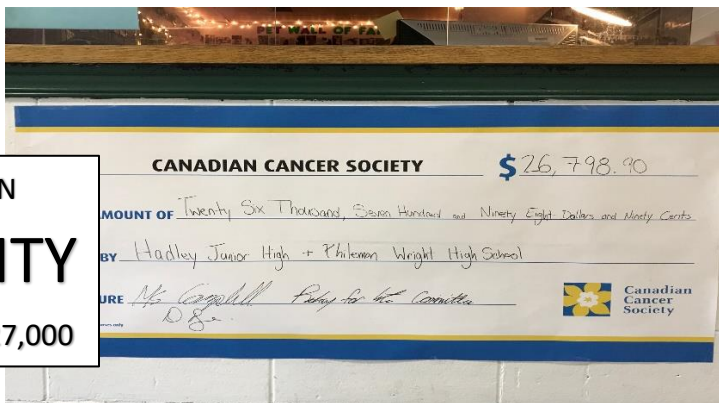
Students participating in Math and Science challenges and ranking at the top both provincially and nationally

ATHLETICS PROGRAM

A community of over 40 teams competing in 12 different sports at the RSEQ & NCSSAA levels, with a network of dedicated coaches and multi-sport athletes focused on skill development and success

FOCUS ON STUDENT VOICE

Student voice has been a school focus with a Student Government that includes representatives from all programs & clubs, and students taking on leadership roles within the school community



STRONG FOCUS ON
COMMUNITY

Relay for Life raised \$27,000

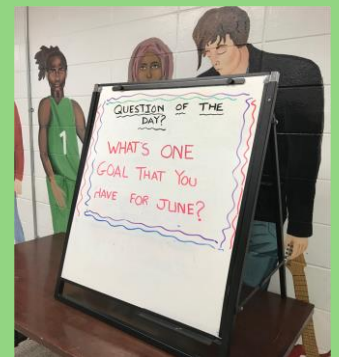
SPORT. ÉDUCATION. FIERTÉ.

RSEQ

REGIONAL

CHAMPIONS

RUGBY (D2), BASKETBALL (D3),
TRACK, AND FLAG FOOTBALL (D2b)



SCHOOL BAND

They won a \$15000 MusiCounts grant for several new instruments. Playing to over 3000 people this season, the 53-member band hosted the Holiday Merriment and Rhythms concerts, and played Musicmakers & the Elementary school tour, bringing music across WQSB. They also placed silver at the Festival des harmonies et orchestres symphoniques Québec

Won 5 CAPIES AWARDS including

BEST MUSICAL

for the 3rd year in a row



DIVERSITY OF

CULTURAL

ARTISTS IN SCHOOL

OUR MISSION:

To achieve success through education & community

ENRICHMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Mini-University, Destination Imagination, the NOMAD project (performed at the NAC this year), WOTP Canoe Camping Trip