

MUSIC BY THE LAKE 2018
PRE-CAMP SWIM TEST INFORMATION & LOCATIONS

This camp offers the following water-based activities: swimming, canoeing, kayaking. As safety is always our first priority, all students going to camp who wish to take part in any water-based activity, are required to take a 2017-18 TDSB swim test, prior to camp, to determine their ability to participate in these activities. In order to pass the swim test, students must demonstrate that they can:

- Conduct a roll entry (backwards or forward) into deep water at 2.75m minimum depth
- Tread water for one minute
- Swim 50m continuously using any stroke.

Please note that students who do not pass the swim test, or do not attempt the swim test, may still attend the camp, however, they will not be allowed to take part in any of the above water-based activities. Alternate activities are available during recreation periods for those students. Also note, a second swim test will be done at the camp as per Ontario Camp Association guidelines. If a child successfully passes the swim test at the school but is unsuccessful performing the swim test at the camp, parents will be immediately informed of the unsuccessful swim test and the child will not be allowed to participate in any water-based activities but will participate in alternative programming. **ALL** students will be required to wear a personal floatation device (PFD) while participating in all waterfront activities.

Pre-Camp TDSB Swim Tests will be occurring on the following dates and times:

Tuesday, April 3rd	4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Humberside CI
Thursday, April 5th	4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Stephen Leacock CI
Tuesday, April 10	4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Earl Grey Sr PS
Tuesday, April 24	4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Stephen Leacock CI

Registration for each of these locations is limited, and students will be registered for their test on a first come, first served basis. Swim tests will be allocated in half-hour blocks of time (4:00 - 4:30 p.m., 4:30 - 5:00 p.m., 5:00 - 5:30 p.m., 5:30 - 6:00 p.m.). Please email Catherine McPherson at catherine.mcpherson@tdsb.on.ca indicating the date and time slot you wish to book for your child.

If your child has successfully completed their 2017-18 TDSB swim test at their school, or they have successfully completed their Bronze Medallion (or higher), they are exempt from this test. Proof of their successful completion must be provided to Catherine McPherson for our files in the form of the sign-off from their school Principal (for TDSB swim tests) or a photocopy of the Bronze Medallion (or higher) Certificate.

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School Locations:

Humberside CI

280 Quebec Avenue
(Southwest of Runnymede Road and Annette Street)

[Map to Humberside CI](#)

Stephen Leacock CI

2450 Birchmount Road
(North of Birchmount Road and Sheppard Avenue East)

[Map to Stephen Leacock CI](#)

Earl Grey Sr PS

100 Strathcona Avenue
(South of Danforth Avenue and Jones Avenue)

[Map to Earl Grey Sr PS](#)

If you have any questions, please Catherine McPherson at catherine.mcpherson@tdsb.on.ca or (416) 396-6970.