

Pearson Road Elementary



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Dear Beloved Pearson Road Community,

My heart is filled with a mixture of emotions as I share with you that after four incredible years of unforgettable memories, cherished relationships, and boundless growth, the time has come for me to say farewell to this wonderful school community in July.

It has been an honor beyond measure to serve as your principal, to walk alongside each of you through our challenges and successes, and to witness the remarkable transformations that continue to take place here daily. Each member of this school community has left a lasting mark on my heart.

To the students: You are the heartbeat of our school. It has been a privilege to watch you grow, learn, and evolve into the incredible individuals you are today. Your curiosity, resilience, and boundless potential inspire me, and I have no doubt that you will continue to shine brightly wherever your paths may lead. You will forever be a Pearson Panther!

To the staff: Your dedication, expertise, and unwavering love for children have been the cornerstone of our success as a school community. Together, we have worked tirelessly to create a culture of belonging, collaboration, and growth, and I am endlessly grateful for the opportunity to learn and grow alongside each of you. Your passion for education and commitment to our students' success will continue to shape the future long after my departure.

To the families: Your partnership and support have been instrumental in weaving together the strong sense of community and belonging within our school. Your trust and collaboration have not only enriched the educational experience for your children but have also strengthened the bonds that unite us as a school.

As I prepare to embark on the next chapter of my journey as the principal of École Dr Knox Middle School, I carry with me a profound sense of gratitude for all Pearson Panthers and our time together, the lessons we have learned, and the connections we have forged. While I may be leaving our beloved school community physically, please know that a piece of my heart will forever remain here with each of you.

I am confident that the spirit of resilience, excellence, and unity that defines our school community will continue to thrive in the hands of the dedicated staff, compassionate families, and extraordinary students and with the capable leadership of your new principal, Mrs. Jasmeet Virk. Mrs. Virk, has shared these words for you, "I am so excited. I am coming back full circle to Pearson. My first teaching contract was at Pearson in 2002. This is a homecoming for me!"

I urge you to embrace change with courage, continue to celebrate with pride, and remember the incredible impact you each have on this school community.

With deepest gratitude and warmest wishes,

Mrs. Nina Ferguson