



York Catholic District School Board
ST. EDWARD CES IN MARKHAM
IS OFFERING BOTH
ENGLISH AND FRENCH IMMERSION CLASSES

In addition to an excellent English program, St. Edward Catholic Elementary School offers an Early French Immersion program. The school is now accepting applications for September 2012 regular English classes and for Grade 1 French Immersion.

French Immersion programs are designed to provide non-francophone children with a high degree of proficiency in the French language. While any exposure to a second language is beneficial, French Immersion broadens and deepens that exposure.

Students in grades JK to 3 residing 1.2 km beyond the school will receive transportation. As well, students in grades 4 to 8, who live beyond 1.6 km and live within the French Immersion transportation boundary will receive transportation. Students are required to walk a short distance to and from these centralized bus stops.

Transportation will be provided for siblings of students registered in the French Immersion program, effective September 2012. This busing privilege exists as long as one child in the family remains in the French Immersion program.

A PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

Parents considering French Immersion are welcome to attend a meeting on

Nov. 29th - 7:00 p.m.

at St. Edward CES

33 Cairns Drive, Markham, ON, L3P 7M8 (North of Hwy #7, East of McCowan)

ONLINE APPLICATION DUE: JANUARY 13, 2012 AT WWW.YCDSB.CA

Please note: Where the number of applicants exceeds the number of available placements in the program, a public lottery will be held on **January 26, 2012 at 5:00 p.m.** at St. Edward CES. Please check the Board website if a lottery is required.

For more information contact the principal at St. Edward CES at 905-471-1445