

Inquiry from TLDSB Website

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I/we (the parents) want to see the empirical data supporting the statement from YOUR Initial report which states "Honey Harbour Public School is unable to provide a suitable and equitable range of learning opportunities."

Where is the empirical data confirming Larry Hope's statement "It's very difficult for teachers and support staff to provide an adequate program for four or five grades in one classroom". Published Thursday, November 3, 2016, CTV NEWS Barrie.

I would like to know if anyone within your school board can answer the above question for me, as I was given the answer on February 27/17 from Catherine Sheddon that there is no data supporting both of these claims. As a parent I feel lied to since the above statements are untrue, Is this the type of teaching you provide our children within your board? Are they being taught to lie to get their desired outcome?

If you believe that "Honey Harbour Public School is unable to provide a suitable and equitable range of learning opportunities", plus "It's very difficult for teachers and support staff to provide an adequate program for four or five grades in one classroom", then WHY WAS I NOT INFORMED of this information when I transferred my child from another school board to yours a few years ago?

There are currently 37 students enrolled in Honey Harbour School, so why does your website state only 29?

Why are we receiving newsletters about public ARC meetings only 1-2 weeks prior? This is not enough time for those of us who work and have to arrange the time off.

Interesting how I was told yesterday by Catherine Sheddon that public input was accepted until today, which to me meant by 5pm February 28th, yet it is now closed at 12:45pm, so the above information is not included in your Accommodation Review. Again I am being told false information, WHY IS THIS?

I would also like to know how much money does this entire ARC process cost us? Including hiring Michael Ash?

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