

Irvine Elementary Update: March 15, 2019

I will periodically (as information comes to me) update you on the progress of the building of our new school. Here is the latest information:

As you are probably aware, as a part of the Ministry of Education's Seismic Mitigation Program, École Irvine Elementary School is going to be replaced with a new building. The new school will incorporate a modernized learning environment for the students and staff as well as child care space for the community.

The planning for the new school is well underway. The architects are working on the final set of drawings and the school district is looking forward to submitting the Environmental Development Permit to the City imminently and submitting the application for the Building Permit in the late spring. Construction will follow as soon as the permits are approved.

In the meantime, there are two playgrounds (the ones closest to the gravel field) that need to be relocated prior to construction. The playgrounds are anticipated to be relocated further south on the property during the summer so there is no disruption at the school during the spring.

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