



## Auburn Bay School

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

I am thrilled to introduce myself as the principal of the new school that's being built in Auburn Bay.

As a born and raised Calgarian, it is truly a privilege to have the opportunity to support the education of our young learners. My career has been dedicated to supporting elementary students by focussing on academic and social development. Together, we will build an amazing school that will offer a strong foundation for success. Truly, I could not be more excited to meet the new Auburn Bay students and families. We have so much to learn about each other!

Over the next several weeks I will focus my responsibilities on my current position at the Education Center downtown. At the beginning of April, I will be dedicated to the work of opening Auburn Bay School. In the months leading up to the new school's opening, I will be doing many things to prepare. Some of that work will include meeting with parents and students, hiring staff, determining the organization of the school and preparing the school budget for the 2016-17 school year.

As you may already know, the Calgary Board of Education has 21 new school construction projects underway in communities throughout Calgary to support its growing student population. The new school in Auburn Bay is expected to open in September and will offer regular programming to students in kindergarten to grade 3 in the first year. I am very excited to work with parents, students and staff to build a new school community that reflects the unique qualities of Auburn Bay and is a supportive and positive place for your children to learn.

I am interested in having your input on the organization of the new school in your community. Please fill out this brief survey at

[https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Auburn\\_Bay](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Auburn_Bay) before April 4, 2016.

For information on the new school and answers to some of your questions, visit [cbe.ab.ca/schools](http://cbe.ab.ca/schools), click on Building and Modernizing Schools and then click on the link for the new school in your community. Please check back regularly for updates as new information is posted when it becomes available. You can also e-mail [cbecommunications@cbe.ab.ca](mailto:cbecommunications@cbe.ab.ca) with any questions related to new school construction and accommodation.

I am very much looking forward to meeting you and beginning this exciting journey together.

Sincerely,

Lori Cullen  
Principal, Auburn Bay School