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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Re: Kindergarten and Grade 1 Mandarin Bilingual Program at Midnapore School

The Calgary Board of Education is pleased to confirm the opening of a new Mandarin Bilingual program for Kindergarten and grade one students living in south Calgary. The program will open effective September 2011 and will be located at Midnapore School. Midnapore School is located in SE Calgary, in the community of Midnapore at 55 Midpark Rise SE; phone 403-777-8680.

Midnapore School currently offers a Kindergarten to grade 6 regular program for students residing in Midnapore. Previously, Midnapore School was a bus receiver for the community of Bridlewood but with the opening of the Bridlewood School in September 2010, there is space available at Midnapore School to accommodate this new Mandarin Bilingual program.

Effective September 2011, all Kindergarten and grade one students living in Area IV (south of 17th Avenue) and Area V who wish to enroll in Mandarin Bilingual will be designated to Midnapore School (map attached). Students in grades two to six residing in Area IV (south of 17th Avenue) and Area V will continue to be designated to King George School. The Mandarin Bilingual program at Midnapore School is anticipated to expand by one grade per year until the program accommodates students in Kindergarten to grade six.

Students are eligible for subsidized transportation to their designated school if they live beyond the walk zone. Information regarding transportation services and fees is available on the CBE website www.cbe.ab.ca and at the schools. All students accessing subsidized transportation are required to pay Board approved transportation fees.

If you have questions, concerns, or require additional information, please contact the Area IV office at 403-777-8750 (extension 0) or the Area V office at 403-777-8780 (extension 0).

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