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Parents and Guardians,

Every spring, the Calgary Board of Education produces the Three-Year System Student Accommodation Plan (SSAP) report. This report helps identify schools that are facing student accommodation challenges, such as overcrowding, a decline in enrollment, or a shift in the demographic makeup of the student body. These challenges may affect one or more schools and require careful consideration. Bayside School has been identified in the CBE's 2023-26 SSAP.

In developing the SSAP each year, CBE examines current trends of enrolment growth and decline in programs (including regular and alternative programs), the demographic composition of new and established communities, community growth/decline, birth data, student enrolment projections and other contextual factors. This allows us to analyse the educational opportunities for students in relation to where they live.

Why is our school part of the 2023-2026 SSAP?

Bayside School has been included on the 2023-26 SSAP because it is part of a solution that will help address the growing student population and balance kindergarten to Grade 9 enrolment between schools in Auburn Bay and Mahogany. Because we will be introducing a change to your school and with the growing enrolment in your community, we will continue to monitor Bayside School closely to ensure that it is within its student capacity.

How will you communicate with us when you know more?

We understand how important it is for you to stay informed about any changes that may affect your child's education. When more information is available, we will email you directly. Any updates will also be posted to your school website through news stories and on the How-to-Register page on Bayside School's website.

How can I learn more about the SSAP and how the CBE manages space for students?

Visit our [Managing Space for Students page](#) on the CBE website. If that information doesn't answer your questions, please email accommodation@cbe.ab.ca.

What if I have other questions specific to my school?

Please get in touch with your school principal for questions about your child or about Bayside School.

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