CONNECTING TO GOOGLE DRIVE

Hello!

So you would like to connect with RHS through Google Drive. With access to our shared folder "Parent Information" you won't ever miss important letters sent home (field trip permission forms, vaccination notices, meet the teacher dates & times, etc). You'll be notified by e-mail when a document has been placed in the folder and you'll be able to view the document on your home or work computer, or even your mobile device if you have the application.

Below you will find a step-by-step tutorial explaining how to go about connecting with the RHS Google Drive for Parents:

*For best results, use Google Chrome as your internet browser (or Firefox or Safari); there are performance issues with Internet Explorer.

1. Here's the best part: If you already have a Gmail account, you already have access to your OWN Google Drive; and you are just 1 step away from accessing the RHS Google Drive for Parents.

If you do have your own Gmail account, please skip to step 4.

- 2. If you do not have a Gmail account already, go to this link and create an account: <u>https://accounts.google.com/SignUp?service=oz&continue=https%3A%2F%2Fplus.google.com%</u> <u>2F%3Fhl%3Den%26gpsrc%3Dgplp0&hl=en</u>
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- 4. Now that you have a Gmail account, simply send an e-mail, from your Gmail account to: <u>icavanagh@swlauriersb.qc.ca</u> with the subject line "RHS Google Drive for Parents" and you will be granted access to the file, where you will be able to view the documents that will be distributed to parents for the 2014-2015 school year, as they become available.
- 5. To access your own Google Drive, use this link: https://drive.google.com
- 6. Enter your username and password.
- 7. To access the RHS Google Drive for Parents, click on the "shared with me" option (blue arrow).

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10. If you would like to connect to the RHS - Parent Information folder on Google Drive via your mobile device or tablet, simply download the Google Drive app (it's free!) from your app store, enter your username and password and you are ready to go