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NEWSLETTER

Important Dates

- February 1- 5 - French as a Second Language Week
- February 10 - School Spirit Day - wear your blue and white!
- February 15 - 19 - February Break - No Classes
- February 22 - 100 Days of School
- February 23 - SCC Meeting
- February 24 - Pink Shirt Day

School Community Council

Our next meeting will be held on February 23 at 6:30 p.m. via Zoom. A link will be provided to all members of the SCC. If you are looking to join our group, please contact Erin at erin.hidlebaugh@hotmail.ca.



Admin Message

Firstly, we would like to once again thank our parents and our community for their continued support and cooperation throughout these challenging times. Your child's attendance at school is just as important as ever, but we understand the many factors that can influence attendance during this time. We invite any family with questions or needs surrounding your child's attendance and learning to please contact us. We will do our best to work with you to create the best possible solution for your child and your family. At the end of the day, we know that your children will learn best when we are able to work with them in our classroom settings. We are remaining diligent in our routines of handwashing, masking and cleaning to ensure that we give all of our students the best opportunity to remain in school!

February is always an exciting month with lots for our students to look forward to. We begin with French As A Second Language Week and roll into spirit days and our big 100th Day Celebrations! We want all families to enjoy a healthy and relaxing February Break. This time may also provide a great opportunity to dive into some of the Family Literacy Activities that we have shared. Whether it's in French or English, these activities will benefit all our learners and provide a fun format for additional learning. If there is one silver lining in all of this, spending more time with our immediate family has to be it! If you are ever looking for further ideas and ways to support learning, don't hesitate to reach out to our staff for ideas to match the needs of your child.

With Groundhog Day to start the month, we know that everyone is looking forward to the warm weather and the promise that spring can bring!

Mrs. C & Mr. McLean

FRENCH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE WEEK

This year French as a Second Language week runs from February 1 through 5. This years theme is From a Safe Distance, Celebrate French...Here, There and Everywhere!

Family Literacy Challenge

We would like to encourage our families to participate in our literacy challenges. The contest runs until February 26. Please email your one photo collage of your family completing all of the challenges to school.ph@prairiesouth.ca Make sure that your child's names and grades are included with the photos. A big thank you to the Moose Jaw Literacy Network for providing a grant to the school to purchase prizes.



Please help keep our school yard and community clean by properly disposing of your masks!

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

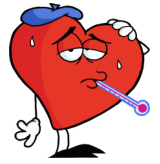
Registration for Kindergarten is **now open**. Please visit the Prairie South website and you will find the online registration form under the School Tab. There will be a drop down menu where you choose Student Registration. From there you are able to choose French or English Kindergarten.

Please ensure when filling out the application that you write your child's **FULL LEGAL NAME** and correct birthdate as this is very important information. It is also important to fill out the previous school attended section if your child attended preschool at another location. Your child must be 5 years old at the end of December 2021.



Reporting Student Absences

Please make sure you call the school to report when your child is absent or going to be late. Because of COVID-19 you will be asked what your child's symptoms are. If your child is ill, you will be advised to call 811 and follow the instructions given if your child's symptoms are related to COVID-19. Your child will be required to stay home until symptom free for 48 hours.



Leaving Messages on the Machine



If you call outside of office hours and are leaving a message about your child being away from school, please make sure you leave the reason. If your child is sick, please make sure you state your child's symptoms. **This is very important information and needs to be recorded!**

Front Entrance

The front entrance will remain locked to control traffic into the building. Should you need to pick-up your child or drop off an item, please contact the office when you arrive or knock on the office window. Any parents invited in for meetings or other reasons, must sign-in, sanitize and wear a mask while in the building.

Spirit Day



On February 10 wear blue and white to support your school colors!

Pink Shirt Day

We are asking all students to support Pink Shirt Day on February 24. Please wear anything pink!



Joke of the Month

What do you call a bear with no teeth?



- A gummy bear





FEBRUARY 2021



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1 Day 4	2 Day 5	3 Day 6	4 Day 1	5 Day 2
FRENCH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE WEEK				
8 Day 3	9 Day 4	10 Day 5  Spirit Day - wear blue and white!	11 Day 6	12 Day 1
15	16	17	18	19
FEBRUARY BREAK				
22 Day 2 100 Days of School	23 Day 3 SCC Meeting @ 6:30 p.m. via ZOOM	24 Day 4  Pink Shirt Day	25 Day 5	26 Day 6

Making Mental Wellness Mainstream

This FOUR-PART series teaches girls about one of the most pressing lessons of their time: mental health.

Girls will learn about what wellness is and how it looks for different people through lenses of mental, physical, spiritual and emotional wellbeing. They will have the opportunity to network and participate in breakout rooms and activities.

The mental health and wellness series will have participants reflect what mental health means in their life, and equip them with the tools to help themselves and others in times of distress.

The program will run on FEBRUARY 6, 13, 20 AND 27. AGES 8-11 will take place from 3:00 - 4:00, and AGES 12-14 will run from 4:30 - 5:30.

There is *no fee* to attend.



SCAN HERE to register or use the link below:
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Uo7oDcVUF-WMs6SSCaT1HSBWswEAhI1MIktawOo7fd0o/edit>

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