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Principal's Message

February 2026

Dear Parents and Guardians,

February is I Love to Read Month and we are excited to celebrate the joy of reading at John M. King School. To kick off the month, we are pleased to invite families to our Pancakes, Pyjamas and Picture Books Breakfast on Tuesday, February 3, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. Following breakfast, families will have the opportunity to sit with their child(ren) and enjoy reading some of their favourite books together.

Throughout February, students will participate in a variety of engaging literacy activities, including special guest readers, book challenges, and read-alouds. We encourage families to support their child's reading journey by setting aside time to read together, talking about favourite books and fostering a love of stories at home. Let's make this month full of imagination, discovery and a shared love of reading.

February is also Black History Month. During this time, students will be learning about the achievements, contributions and experiences of Black individuals and communities and the important role they play in shaping our society.

We would like to extend warm wishes to all families celebrating Chinese New Year on February 17, marking the beginning of the Year of the Fire Horse.

On February 25, we will recognize Pink Shirt Day. Students are encouraged to wear pink as we learn about kindness, inclusion and standing up for one another.

Please note that the school will be closed on Monday, February 16, in observance of Louis Riel Day.

Thank you to our families for ensuring students arrive at school on time and attend regularly. Even with changing weather conditions, consistent attendance is essential to student success.

A special thank you to our Safety Patrols and our crossing guard, Ms. Thabit, who are outside every day in the cold weather, helping keep our students safe. We would also like to welcome Ms. Sandra Miles, our new crossing guard at Agnes Street and Ellice Avenue.

Families are invited to attend our I Love to Read Month wrap-up assembly on Friday, February 27, at 9:30 a.m., featuring a performance by Al Simmons. We hope you can join us for this special celebration.

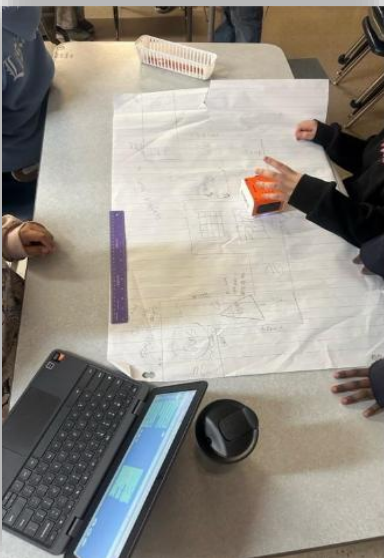
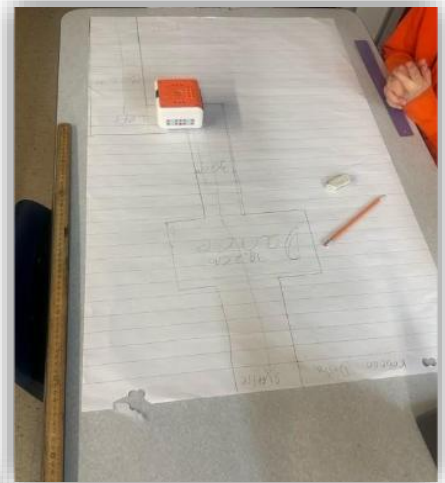
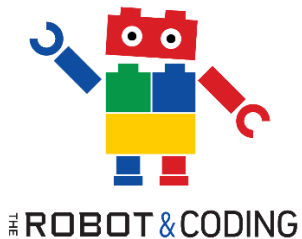
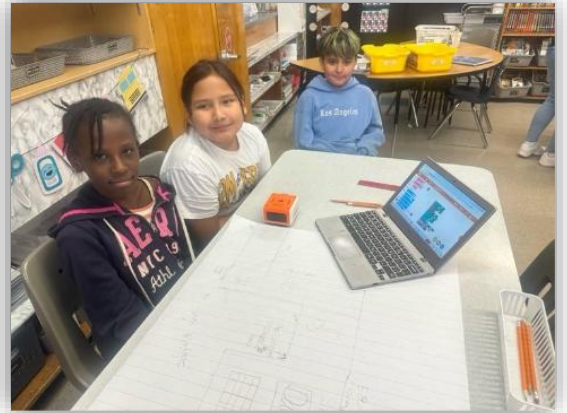
Warm regards,

Mrs. Karagainnis Bell
Principal

Ms. Chambers
Vice-Principal

CODING IN ROOM 209

Our Grade 5 students had a blast exploring coding and robotics with **Vidic Bots**! They designed maps for their robots to follow, wrote programs to guide them and worked together to troubleshoot and improve their designs. Through this project, they strengthened problem-solving, critical thinking and collaboration skills, while learning how to plan, test and adjust solutions—just like real-world scientists and engineers. It was amazing to see their collaboration and excitement as their robots came to life!



HAPPY I LOVE TO READ MONTH!!

Mrs. Main's Grade 5/6 students have had a busy and exciting start to the year. In January, we greatly enjoyed our trip to Camp Manitou, where they built teamwork skills, resilience and just enjoyed the last of the mild winter weather!

Students are also participating in daily Math Power Hour and ELA Power Hour, working collaboratively with Ms. Fast's class to strengthen skills, build confidence and engage in focused learning. Pink Shirt Day is February 25, promoting kindness, inclusion and anti-bullying awareness. Students are encouraged to wear pink as we continue to build a respectful and caring school community. Although it has been incredibly cold outside, our class is full of warmth as we work together learning and growing. We are enjoying that warmer weather and longer days are just around the corner!!



NURSERY & KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATIONS

Starting February 17th, the school will be accepting Nursery & Kindergarten Registrations for the 2026/27 School Year

**Children born in 2022 will be eligible to apply for our half day Nursery program
Children born in 2021 will be eligible for our half day Kindergarten program (if your child is already registered in our Nursery program you will not need to re-register)**

For more information, please see our school website at www.winnipegssd.ca/johnmking



**It's
Book Fair
Time!**

On

Thursday, February 26th

3:30—5:00 PM

Friday, February 27th

9:00 AM—12:00 PM

In our school library

Please come and check it out!



REMINDER:

IN ORDER TO REPORT YOUR CHILDREN'S
ABSENCE, PLEASE USE OUR AUTOMATED
SYSTEM



WINNIPEG SCHOOL DIVISION

SAFE ARRIVAL

Before the bell time of the current day,
call 1-855-278-4513
or visit <https://go.schoolmessenger.ca>
to report your student's absence



Housing and I.D. Resource Event

February 12, 2026, 3:30 to 6:00 p.m.
R. B. Russell Vocational High School
364 Dufferin Avenue

Winnipeg School Division and End Homelessness Winnipeg are hosting events to help our community members get income and housing supports they qualify for. Join us to receive on-site sign-up services and information on available resources for individuals and families.

To sign up for services you will need some ID such as:

- Manitoba Health Card
- Government Issued Photo ID
- Proof of Income/Option C
- Current Tenancy Agreement
- Direct Deposit/Banking Information
- EIA Budget Letter
- Proof of Status/Residency
- Completed Guarantor Form

If you are unsure of which documents you will need to bring, or if you require assistance in filling out forms please contact:

Kasia (Katarzyna) Guzzi
Community Support Program
Coordinator
kguzzi@wsd1.org
204-788-0203



WINNIPEG SCHOOL DIVISION

Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) Clinic

This CRA clinic offers one-on-one help. Register to reserve a spot. You can register by phone, online or at any Winnipeg Public Library.

This clinic helps with the following services only:

- Applying for benefits (CCB, GST, DTC)
- Answering personal tax questions (no trusts, business or farming)
- Updating information (address, direct deposit, contact information)
- Printing letters or Proof of Income Statements (Option C)

Registration opens 2 weeks prior to event date at 10 a.m. You can register for one CRA clinic only at a time. On the day of the CRA Clinic, the order of when you are seen will depend on when you check in at the branch. Check in starts 30 minutes prior to the clinic start time. Limited walk-ins will be taken if time allows, or if spots are not yet filled.

St. Boniface Library 204-986-4331
Thursday, Jan. 15 from 1-4 p.m.

Charleswood Library 204-986-3072
Friday, Jan. 23 from 1-4 p.m.

Henderson Library 204-986-4314
Friday, Jan. 30 from 1-4 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 24 from 1-4 p.m.

Louis Riel Library 204-986-4573
Wednesday, Jan. 21 from 1-4 p.m.

Millennium Library 204-986-6489
Wednesday, Jan. 7 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 4 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
*Drop-in only. No registration.

Osborne Library 204-986-4775
Monday, Feb. 2 from 1-4 p.m.

Pembina Trail Library 204-986-4369
Tuesday, Jan. 20 from 1-4 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 25 from 1-4 p.m.

St. James-Assiniboia Library 204-986-3424
Friday, Jan. 9 from 1-4 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 13 from 1-4 p.m.

St. John's Library 204-986-4689
Wednesday, Jan. 7 from 1-4 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 4 from 1-4 p.m.

Sir William Stephenson Library 204-986-7070
Monday, Feb. 9 from 1-4 p.m.

Transcona Library 204-986-3950
Thursday, Jan. 8 from 1-4 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 20 from 1-4 p.m.

Unable to register or have an urgent need? CRA offers services by phone.

- General Enquiries: 1-800-959-8281 (for general questions)
- Benefits Enquiries: 1-800-387-1193 (for questions related to GST and CCB)
- Business Enquiries: 1-800-959-5525 (for questions related to businesses)
- canada.ca/taxes-help (to find someone to get your taxes done for free)



Scan to
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EVERMORE FEBRUARY 2026

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>2</p> <p>NO AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM</p> <p>EVENING DROP-IN 6:00PM - 8:00PM EVERMORE HQ 532 ELLICE</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p> <p>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM - JMK 3:30PM - 5:00PM</p> <p>GYM DAY</p>	<p>5</p> <p>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM - JMK 3:30PM - 5:00PM</p> <p>PERLER BEADS EVENING DROP-IN 6:00PM - 8:00PM AT EVERMORE HQ</p>	<p>6</p>
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<p>16</p> <p>NO PROGRAMS (LOUIS RIEL DAY)</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18</p> <p>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM - JMK 3:30PM - 5:00PM</p> <p>GYM DAY</p>	<p>19</p> <p>AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM - JMK 3:30PM - 5:00PM</p> <p>PERLER BEADS EVENING DROP-IN 6:00PM - 8:00PM AT EVERMORE HQ</p>	<p>20</p>
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TO REGISTER

<-USE THE QR CODE
OR FOLLOW THE LINK ON OUR
WEBSITE: evermoreggl.com

FOR A PAPER COPY
SEE THE OFFICE OR CONTACT US
INFO@EVERMOREGGL.COM
204-772-9315
WWW.EVERMOREGGL.COM

WEEKLY PROGRAM SCHEDULE

GREENWAY SCHOOL
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, & THURSDAY
3:30PM-5:00PM

JOHN M KING SCHOOL
MONDAY 3:30PM-5:30PM
WEDNESDAY 3:30PM-5:00PM
THURSDAY 3:30PM-5:00PM

WELLINGTON SCHOOL
MONDAY, TUESDAY & THURSDAY
3:30PM-5:00PM

EVENING DROP-IN (EVERMORE HQ)
MONDAYS & THURSDAYS
6:00PM-8:00PM

February

2026

Family Room Calendar

Hello Families!

February is here and we're driving into some creative projects this month! We'd love to see more people here for beading and coloring. Looking ahead, we're also planning a zoo trip in March. If you're interested, come see me in the family room for more details and to sign up. We also have a Self-Care and Stress Management workshop put on by Klinik on February 24th. We'd love to see you there! A quick reminder that second harvest is now taking place at 1:30 pm on Wednesdays. Have a great month and stay warm!



- **Chantel**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 No School	3 Preschool Play Group 1:00pm	4 Second Harvest 1:30pm	5 Sewing 1:00pm	6 Banana Bread Baking 1:30pm
9 Beading and Colouring 1:00pm	10 Preschool Play Group 1:00pm	11 Second Harvest 1:30pm	12 Sewing 1:00pm	13 Nutrition Bingo 1:30pm
16 No School Louis Riel Day	17 Preschool Play Group 1:00pm	18 Second Harvest 1:30pm	19 Sewing 1:00pm	20 Master Chef on a Budget 1:30pm
23 Beading and Colouring 1:00pm	24 Self Care and Stress Management 9:30 am	25 Second Harvest 1:30pm	26 Sewing 1:00pm	27 Nutrition Trivia 1:30pm

School Calendar – February 2026



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Day 1 Non-Instructional Day No School	3 Day 2 Pancakes, Pajamas & Picture Book Day 8:00—9:15 AM I Love to Read Club 12:00 – 1:00 PM IYMP 3:30—5:00	4 Day 3	5 Day 4 Mamahtawisiwin 12:00--1:00 PM	6 Day 5 Gr. 5/6 Soccer at U of W 11:30--1:30 PM
9 Day 6 Basketball Gr. 5/6 11:00 AM-2:00 PM Sport Manitoba Drawing Club Gr. 4/6 12:25--12:55 PM	10 Day 1 I love to Read Club 12:00 – 1:00 PM IYMP 3:30—5:00	11 Day 2 I Love to Read Firefighter, NK 1:00 – 2:00 PM	12 Day 3 Mamahtawisiwin 12:00--1:00 PM	13 Day 4
16 Day Louis Riel Day No School	17 Day 5 I Love to Read Club 12:00 – 1:00 PM IYMP 3:30—5:00	18 Day 6 Contemporary Dancers Gr. 1/6 2:00 – 2:30 PM	19 Day 1 Mamahtawisiwin 12:00-1:00 PM Room 203 & 204 at Manitoba Museum 9:30 -1:45 PM	20 Day 2 Grade 5/6 Soccer at U of W 11:30–1:30 PM
23 Day 3 Drawing Club Gr. 4/6 12:25--12:55 PM	24 Day 4 Basketball Gr. 5/6 11:00--2:00 PM Soccer at U of W Gr 5/6 11:30 – 1:30 PM I love to Read Club 12:00 – 1:00 PM IYMP 3:30—5:00	25 Day 5 Pink Shirt Day 	26 Day 1 Mamahtawisiwin 12:00-1:00 pm Primary Team at the Fort Whyte 10:00 – 2:30 PM	27 Day 1 I Love to Read Wrap Up Assembly 1:15–1:45 PM