



Lord Selkirk Elementary School

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September 2, 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are so excited to meet new students and families, as well as welcome back our returning families. We look forward to collaborating with families and making the 2022-2023 a fantastic year of learning. We hope to see everyone at our Meet the Staff Event on September 6, 2022 from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Come meet the staff, explore the school, register for lunch program or to volunteer in the school, pay for school supply fees and check out our school merchandise. Students will be receiving a free back pack, kindly donated by Costco Canada.

We would like to introduce our 2022-2023 School Staff.

Teaching Staff:

Ms. Sarah Murray	Nursery/Kindergarten	Room 1
Mr. John-Alan Thiessen	Grade One	Room 8
Mrs. Joan Gonzales	Grade One/Two – am, Literacy Support - pm	Room 4
Ms. Madison Heget-Schmidt	Grade One/Two – pm	Room 4
Mrs. Janis Stern	Grade Two	Room 7
Mrs. Teresa Lubarski-Bailey	Grade Two	Room 15
Ms. Colleen Tien	Grade Three	Room 33
Mr. Duncan Telford	Grade Three/Four	Room 35
Ms. Meera Balkaran	Grade Four	Room 34
Mr. Dean Kojima	Grade Four/Five	Room 40
Ms. Lannea Millar	Grade Five	Room 36
Mr. Dexter Frank	Grade Five	Room 25
Mrs. Kaila Ladouceur	Grade Six	Room 30
Mr. Lucas Rodrigues	Grade Six	Room 27
Ms. Cristina Almeida	Guidance	Conf. Rm. C
Mr. Shawn Kozarchuk	Primary IERT (Nursery-Grade Two)	Room 28
Mrs. Pat Atkinson	Intermediate IERT (Grades Three-Six)	Room 28
Mr. Dillon McMahon	Learning Support Teacher	Room 31
Ms. Charlotte Cook-Dowsett	Arts – Music, Drama, Dance (Grades One-Six)	Arts Room
Mr. Jon Gurniak	Physical Education	Gymnasium
Ms. Cheryl Ottenbreit	Reading Recovery Support	Room 10

Educational Assistants: Ms. Brenna Beauregard, Mr. Brennan Bochinski, Ms. Katelyn Bozynski, Ms. Marifer Cal Ortez, Ms. Julie Duplak, Ms. Carlee Hawryluk, Ms. Darlene Hornick, Ms. Marilyn Isaac, Ms. Cindy James, Ms. Fatima Neto, Ms. Debbie Oliveira, Ms. Comfort Oloruntoba, Ms. Joy Oseghale, Ms. Bianca Sawatzky, Ms. Theresa Tougas, Ms. Maryann Silva

Community Support Worker: Mrs. Mandi Jacobson

Crossing Guard: Ms. Cindy James

Secretarial Staff: Ms. Monika Rempel and Ms. Kaitlin Hourd

Custodial Staff: Mr. Glen Sutherland, Mr. JP Mager, Mr. Joel Lado, Mr. Ferdinand Ortega

Students in Grades 1-6 are welcome to attend our breakfast program every morning starting at 8:30 a.m. in our nutrition room. We will begin serving breakfast on our first day of school! Students will enter through the playground doors, eat breakfast and return back outside until the bell rings at 8:50 a.m. Grade 1-6 students will line up at their designated cones on the playground when the bell rings and wait for their teacher to escort them into the school.

We encourage families to get involved in the school by attending Parent Council Meetings, registering to volunteer, assisting with fundraising and participating in school events. Stay tuned for more information.

Ms. Amie Johnston
Principal

YEAR AT A GLANCE 2022-2023

September 6	NO SCHOOL – Admin. Day
September 7	First Day for Gr.1-6 students, N/K interviews – all day
September 7-9	N/K interviews and staggered start
September 12	Nursery & Kindergarten begin full days
September 19	NO SCHOOL – P.D. Day
September 23	Terry Fox Run
September 29	Orange Shirt Day
September 30	NO SCHOOL – National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
October 5	Welcome to Kindergarten, 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.
October 7	Picture Day, 9:10 a.m.
October 10	NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving
October 21	NO SCHOOL – MTS P.D. Day
October 31	Halloween Parade p.m.
November 3	Grade 6 Immunizations, p.m.
November 7	School Photo retakes
November 10	Remembrance Day Assembly, 11:00 a.m.
November 11	NO SCHOOL – Remembrance Day
November 18	NO SCHOOL – P.D. Day
November 29	Report Cards Sent Home
December 1	Student – Led Conferences, 4:00 – 8:00 p.m.
December 2	NO SCHOOL – Admin. Day
December 20	N – Gr.3 Winter Concert, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
December 21	Last day of classes before Winter Break – Enjoy!
January 5	School reopens – Welcome Back!
January 23	NO SCHOOL – P.D. Day
February 3	NO SCHOOL – P.D. Day
February 14	Valentine Parties, p.m.
February 20	NO SCHOOL – Louis Riel Day
March 14	Report Cards Sent Home
March 16	Student – Led Conferences, 4:00 – 8:00 p.m.
March 17	NO SCHOOL – Admin. Day
March 20-24	Spirit Week
March 22	Grade 4 – 6 Music Showcase, 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.
March 24	Last day of classes before Spring Break – Happy Break!
April 3	School reopens – Welcome Back!
April 7	NO SCHOOL – Good Friday
April 12	International Day of Pink
April 14	NO SCHOOL – P.D. Day
May 1	NO SCHOOL – Admin. Day
May 18	Roots and Shoots Celebrations
May 22	NO SCHOOL – Victoria Day
June 19	Grade 4 – 6 Recognition Assembly, 11 a.m.
June 20	Grade 6 Farewell, 10:30 a.m.
June 22	Grade 1 – 6 Dance Showcase
June 27	Report Cards Sent Home
June 30	Last Day of Classes –11:30 Dismissal for students. Staff Luncheon 11:45 a.m.