

École River Heights School

Community Report 2022-2023

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Our Purpose

École River Heights School is a middle school in the Winnipeg School Division. We provide a learning environment that fosters the growth of each student's potential and provides equitable opportunities to develop the knowledge, skills, and values necessary for meaningful participation in a global and diverse society.

Our Vision

Our vision is for current and future people learning and working at École River Heights School to be: Engaged, Confident, Inspired, and Successful Learners.



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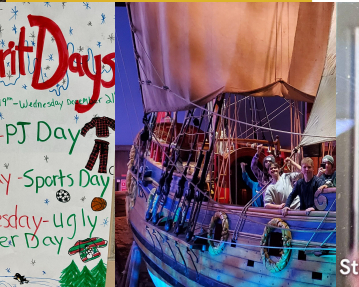
École River Heights School is a Grade 7 & 8 Middle School in Winnipeg, Manitoba, that features both English and French Immersion programs as well as a Late French Immersion option. ÉRHS is the first and only school in Manitoba to be authorized in the Middle Years Programme of the International Baccalaureate.

There are 460 students in grade 7 & 8 and ÉRHS is one of 79 schools within the Winnipeg School Division. Along with Academic courses, RH provides students with options such as visual arts, dance, drama, band, musical theatre production, design, Spanish and Truth & Reconciliation.

The staff are committed to a learning environment that promotes growth mindset and strong values for social justice. They provide opportunities for students to develop knowledge, critical thinking skills that are necessary in the global world.

Highlights

- Second year as an authorised International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme School.
- Hawk-Eye-View weekly newsletter to celebrate our school and students with our community
- Early and Late Immersion student participation in Concours d'art oratoire
- Spirit Week
- Dance Show / Band Festival
- Virtual Meeting with Astronaut - Steve Smith
- Development of Grade 7 Climate Science Unit for Manitoba Department of Education
- Destination Imagination returns live at ÉRHS
- Grade 8 Camp Arnes
- Winter Concert / End of Year Concert
- Winter Spirit Days
- Walkathon Fundraiser - CancerCare Donation
- Ski Trip
- Manitoba Museum
- Canadian Human Rights Museum
- Festival du Voyageur
- Into The Woods Jr. School Production
- Composting Campaign
- Project 11 Moose Game - Mental Health
- French Film Festival
- Truth & Reconciliation Month (September)
- Amazing Race Celebration



Priorities for 2022-2023

1. Continue to grow our learning in the International Baccalaureate Middle Years program.
2. Increase student literacy by building teacher teams for collaboration.
3. Increase student numeracy by building teacher teams for collaboration and capacity.
4. Increase students' sense of belonging to the school.

Priorities for 2022-23

School goals and priorities are established on a yearly basis following consultation with Manitoba Education, the Winnipeg School Division and with input from our school community (staff, students and parents).



Parent and Community Involvement

- **Parent Advisory Council** members met monthly in meetings. Meetings continue to be an opportunity to share information, plan forward and celebrate accomplishments. Our Parent Advisory Council is constantly praising, appreciating and motivating our staff by their kind words of support, lunches, treats and coffee!
- Our PAC was able to fundraise enough to provide ÉRHS with a new water bottle filling station.
- Open House
- Updated School Website
- Create a School Instagram/ Twitter Account
- Grade 8 Farewell & Awards Ceremony
- Grade 8 Dinner & Dance
- Volunteer at Christmas Cheer Board
- WPS Online Safety and Awareness
- Destination Imagination
- Hawk-Eye-View weekly newsletter to celebrate our school and students with our community
- Mars Habitat Design Project



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