

WILLIAM WHYTE COMMUNITY SCHOOL



Report to the Community 2022-2023

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

William Whyte
Community School is a
place where students,
families, community and
staff are appreciated and
respected. We provide
an inclusive and safe
learning environment
where every student can
reach their full potential.

At William Whyte School we believe that everyone can be: K.I.N.D.

- · Keep safe
- · I am a learner
- Nurture our environment
- · **D**o my best



ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

William Whyte School is a Nursery to Grade 8 School situated in the heart of Winnipeg School Division. Academic programming takes place in a safe, positive learning environment and focuses on the acquisition of skills that will support life-long learning. The home-school partnership is an essential component of academic success at William Whyte.

School Complement:

Principal: Wendy Verbong

Acting Vice Principal: Lindsey Trudeau

Staff: 11 Classroom Teachers, 7 Support Teachers, 16 Educational Assistants, 2 Clerks, 3 Custodians, 2 Community Support Workers,

1 Food Coordinator, 1 Crossing Guard

HIGHLIGHTS

Academic Support

- Talk to Me Program (Nursery / kindergarten, and grades 1-2)
- Dental, Vision, and Hearing Screening
- ❖ Read to Me Framework for grades 1–2 and 2-3
- ❖ Reading Recovery
- Literacy Intervention Support Teacher (LIST)
- Literacy Support Teacher
- Resource Support
- CEDA After School Tutoring for Grade 8 students
- ❖ Frontier College Reading Tent
- ❖ Inner City Science Lab
- UofW Stem Day











Social Emotional Learning

- PBIS Positive Behavioural Intervention Strategies
- ❖ Weekly K.I.N.D. Prize Draws
- Kind Zone Classroom
- Pink Shirt Day Taking a Stand Against Bullying
- Spirit Week
- Cool 2B Kind
- Camp Stephens
- Winter Wonderland

Indigenous Education

- ♣ Land-based Learning (Gr. N 8)
 - Assiniboine Zoo
 - Community Walks
 - Outdoor Classroom
 - Whiteshell Petroforms Trip
- Every Child Matters Orange Shirt Day
- Divisional Pow Wow
- Daily Cree word sharing
- Land Acknowledgement/
- Commitment to Action
- Buffalo Riders
- Mamàhtawisiwin: The Wonder We are Born With









Arts Education Programming

- ❖ Visual Arts N 8
- Manitoba Conservatory of Music and Arts
 - O Music Equals Piano Gr 5 6
 - Music Equals Fiddle Gr 6 8
- Royal Winnipeg Ballet School of Dance
 - Sharing Dance Grades 2 4
- Manitoba Chamber Orchestra –
 Education Outreach
- Textiles Club



Education for Sustainable Development

- School Mosaic (Divisional ESD Grant)
- Hampers
- Take Pride Winnipeg Team Up to Clean Up
- Outdoor Classroom
- ❖ Caterpillar → Butterfly Habitat





Priorities for 2022-2023

Academic: To continue to Strengthen instructional and assessment strategies for all students using the Principles of Learning, Inclusive Education, and the infusion of Information Communication Technology.

Safe and Healthy Schools:

To further improve school attendance through the exploration of additional programs and strategies.

Education for Sustainable
Development: To strengthen
and enhance Education for
Sustainable Development
Initiatives that address
environment, social, and
economic issues worldwide.

Indigenous Education: To continue to support the integration of Indigenous perspectives in all areas.













Physical Education Programming

- Field Day with Indigenous Games
- Badminton Team
- Todd McCulloch Hoop School
- After School Basketball Program with Dan West
- Terry Fox Run
- Inner-City Soccer
- Football Club

Our Community Partners

William Whyte Community School is honored to have the support of a number of partners:

- Bear Clan Patrol
- CanU
- CEDA Pathways
- Child Nutrition Council
- FedEx (Winnipeg Office) / Operation Warm
- Johnston Family Foundation, Inc.
- Manitoba Conservatory of Music and Arts
- Manitoba Education and Early Learning (Arts Grant)
- Moore Group RE/Max
- PC Child Nutrition
- Private Donors
- Pajama Project, Inc.
- Royal Winnipeg Ballet School of Dance
- United Way
- Variety Club
- Winnipeg Foundation (Moffatt)
- Winnipeg Harvest
- Winnipeg Regional Health Authority

