

Grosvenor School

Community Report

2025-2026

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Moral Purpose

Winnipeg School Division provides a learning environment that fosters the growth of every learner's potential and provides equitable opportunity to develop the knowledge, skills, and ways of being necessary for nurturing a just, sustainable and democratic society where everyone belongs, thrives and is included.

Our Vision

To engage in the most powerful actions we can, to ignite and cultivate paths to the good life, Mino-Pimatisiwin, for all learners.

Grosvenor's Mission

At Grosvenor School everyone is valued and loved. We work together to create a rigorous learning environment that is respectful, inclusive and collaborative (Love, Joy & Rigor). Our learners are engaged in critical and innovative thinking through connections to the land, the arts, inquiry and creative problem solving. With the building of strong leadership and communication skills, our students are developing as responsible and generous global citizens.



About our school

Grosvenor is nestled in the Crescentwood community of Winnipeg. Built in 1922, Grosvenor has established itself as a Nursery-Grade 6 community of learners characterized by strong academic programming, environmental stewardship and its support of learning through the arts.

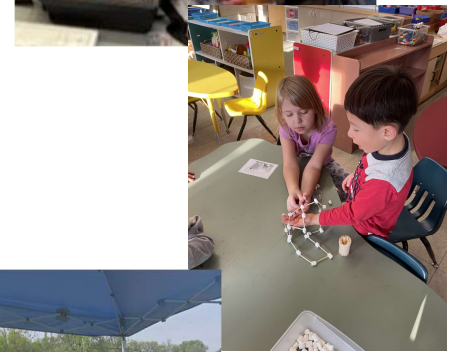
Grosvenor is home to 127 students, 8 full time Teachers, 2 half time Itinerant Teachers, 6 Educational Assistants, one half-time Librarian and one Administrative Clerk. We are proud to be one of the few elementary schools in the province recognized as an "Eco- Globe" school at the Transformational Level for our work on environmental sustainability. We are also proud to be one of the few Manitoban schools to work with Amigos Alados (partnering with a school in Mexico, studying migratory patterns in 'bird teams'). At Grosvenor, we always use the world around us 'to notice & to wonder' and thus use the outdoors for provocations to spark curiosity and to connect student questions and interests to the curriculum.

As we value the building of citizenship, our children have opportunities to mentor younger students. We like to tell people that we are a small school, but a big family! At Grosvenor School we celebrate the unique gifts of all students, and work in partnership with our families to build a strong learning community.

Highlights

We've had an action-packed year at Grosvenor. Some of our special initiatives & activities include;

- Teaching Mindfulness (Gr. 1-6)
- Teaching acceptance, belonging and celebration of neurodiversity
- Intentional teaching on positive self-image, inclusion, sense of belonging and cultural identity
- Commitment to Truth and Reconciliation
- National Indigenous Peoples Day ~ Field Day focused on learning with traditional Indigenous games/activities
- Grade 3/4 migratory bird inquiry project in partnership with a class in Mexico (Amigos Alados)
- Teaching empathy through school pets (bearded dragon, hatching ducklings, therapy dogs etc...)
- Gold Medal accreditation for both our Grade 1-2 and our Grade 3-6 Choir at Winnipeg Music Festival
- Recipients of Grade 6 Maelen Squair Compassion Award
- Recipients of Grade 6 Award for Excellence in Music
- Recipients of Grade 6 Citizenship Award
- French (Grades 1-6)
- French mini-plays (Grade 4-6)
- School based Festival Day (outdoors)
- STEM/Coding (Grades 1-6)
- STEAM Fair
- Grade 6 Robotics
- Grade 6 Winter Camp
- Fine Arts Evening-performance of 'My Many Coloured Days ~ Belonging in a Neurodiverse World'
- MTYP performances
- Grosvenor's Got Talent--Talent Show (Grades 1-6)
- Rainbow Club
- Art Club
- Zumba Club
- Dance Club
- Drama Club
- MYRCA Club
- French Culture Club
- Volleyball (Grd 6)
- Speed Skating
- Running club – multiple track meets
- Intramurals
- Student Council (Grades 4, 5 & 6)
- Student run composting program
- Gardening
- Canada Day Parade



Priorities from 2025-26

School priorities from the past school year:

- Literacy- continue to strengthen Reading and Writing through the workshop model with the Units of Study Professional Resource. N-2 will implement phonics unit of study by Lucy Caulkins
- Numeracy: Engage & build confidence in problem solving, using BThinking Classrooms in Mathematics (Peter Liljedahl)
- TRC- Reconciliation in relationships with Drums
- Multiage Learning Communities
- Outdoor Education/Inquiry Based Learning
- ESD Greening Curriculum
- Learning about Neurodiversity through the lens of Student-Led Inquiry



Priorities for 2026-27

- Literacy: Continue to strengthen Reading and Writing through the workshop model with the Units of Study Professional Resource. K-2 will implement phonics Unit of Study by Lucy Caulkins. Grades 4-6 focus on Reading Workshop
- Numeracy: Engage and build confidence in problem solving, using *Building Thinking Classrooms in Mathematics* (Peter Liljedahl).
- Truth & Reconciliation: Continue to support students to discover how we are all related, interconnected and belong through the lens of Mino-Pimatisiwin.
- Community Building through stewardship, collaboration, citizenship and valuing neurodiversity within our community
- ESD ~ Greening Curriculum, Composting, Land-based Learning
- Multiage Learning Communities

Parent and community involvement

Something that characterizes our Grosvenor School Community is the commitment and engagement of our parents and guardians. Our parent council, Grosvenor School Association (GSA), plays a vital role in the daily life in the school. From planning events to spearheading fundraising efforts, our parents are strong supporters of the learning and programming at Grosvenor.

Throughout the course of the year, we have had parents (and grandparents) volunteer their time in classroom, support learning through the teaching of a concept or sharing of their work life, dream up themes for Staff Appreciation Week and the Grade 6 Farewell, donate items for raffle baskets, run our Fun Lunches...the list goes on and on.

Here is a glimpse into the tremendous efforts of our GSA:

- Monthly meetings with a warm and welcoming atmosphere
- New Family Orientation Night
- September Kick-Off: Meet the Teacher Potluck dinner
- Harvest Fundraisers
- Caroling in the Community
- Winter Extravaganza
- Organizing 'Fun Lunches' throughout the year
- Subsidizing of Grade 6 Winter Camp
- Staff Appreciation
- Grade 6 Farewell Celebrations
- Summer Fun Fair BBQ

Our strong partnership supports our children in so many ways ~ thank you to our parents!

