



# Welcome to Room 16!

## 2023-2024 School Year Information

- I am excited to be teaching grade 2/3 French Immersion at École Luxton this year! My name is Adriana Litardi, (I go by Mme. Adriana with the students).

### Things to expect this year:

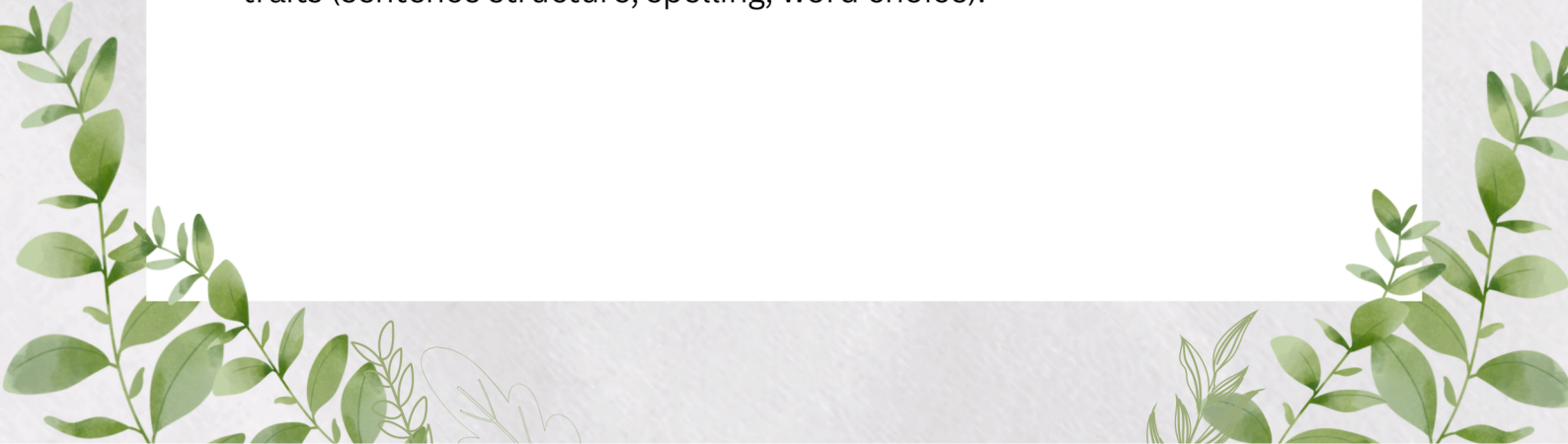
- Each morning we will have a snack around recess time. Please send a small snack to school with your child for this time.
- Student fees are \$40 this year. Cheques can be made payable to “École Luxton School”. Cash is also accepted. All school supplies are included with these student fees.
- Please send your child with a pair of indoor shoes (runners) to be kept at the school. Please make sure to send your child with shoes they can do up independently.
- Lastly, if you are able, please send your child with a box of tissues for the class!

### Seesaw

- Seesaw is the main system of communication for Room 16 this year. I can also be reached by email at [alitardi@wsd1.org](mailto:alitardi@wsd1.org) with any additional questions you may have.

### Areas of focus:

#### French Language Arts (le français):

- In French we will learn using a combination of whole-group lessons, daily vocabulary and communication activities, and small-group centre-based literacy learning. The main focuses are: Reading progression and comprehension, vocabulary, communicating simple ideas, and writing traits (sentence structure, spelling, word choice).
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## English Language Arts (l'anglais):

- In English we will learn in a variety of ways, including whole-group lessons and writing activities as well as small-group based literacy learning. The main focuses are: Communication, comprehension and reading progression. We will also learn about how to use a variety of writing traits (such as our spelling, our voice, our ideas and how we organize them). We will use language to share our ideas, ask questions, and think about experiences, stories, and new ideas.

## Math (les mathématiques):

**Grade 2:** In grade 2 we begin working with numbers up to 100.

- Focuses include, representing numbers up to 100, learning place value for 2-digit numerals, addition and subtraction to 100, as well as patterns to 100, 2D and 3D shapes, mental math strategies, measurement, etc.

**Grade 3:** In grade 3 we begin working with numbers up to 1000.

- Focuses include, representing numbers up to 1000, learning place value for 3-digit numerals, addition and subtraction with 3-digit numerals, number patterns up to 1000, multiplication up to  $5 \times 5$  and related division facts, telling time, mental math strategies, beginning understanding of fractions, etc.

## Sciences (Sciences naturelles):

In Science this year we will be studying the following units:

- Air and Water in the Environment
- Growth and Changes in Plants/Soils in the Environment
- Materials and Structures

## Social Studies (Sciences humaines):

In Social Studies this year we will be studying the following units:

- Connecting with Canada
- Communities of the World
- Ancient Societies

## Art (l'art)

- Students will explore visual arts, dance and performing arts.