

Champlain School

Community Report

2023-2024

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School Mission Statement

Champlain School is an intercultural school that provides a safe, respectful, caring and inclusive environment for learning. We are committed to providing students with opportunities to develop their potential in order to become productive and responsible citizens.

Our guiding beliefs include:

Be Safe

Be Respectful

Be Ready to Learn

To do this we provide students with opportunities to develop:

Personal management skills

Active participation skills

Social responsibility



WINNIPEG SCHOOL DIVISION



About Our School

Champlain School is a Nursery to Grade 6 elementary school nestled in the heart of the North End of Winnipeg.

Home to 210 students, 35 staff, and many parent and community volunteers, Champlain offers engaging and quality academic programming, a Family Room open to parents and volunteers, and many extra-curricular sports and clubs.

At Champlain, we work together to create a safe and caring learning community. Children have many opportunities to learn and thrive by participating in lunch hour and after school clubs.

Champlain Daycare is attached to our school and is available to parents of children that attend. We offer a free breakfast program and daily morning and afternoon school-wide snack.

At Champlain School, we strive to achieve our mission through the implementation of the Manitoba Provincial Curriculum. We believe in developing the capabilities of each and every one of our students for the future.

Priorities for 2023-2024

Priority Committees target our school goals:

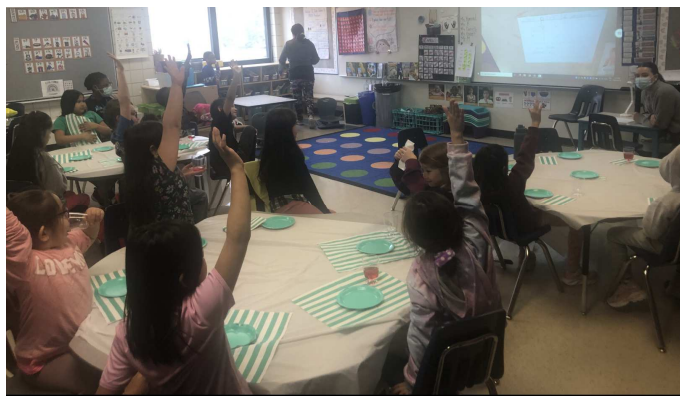
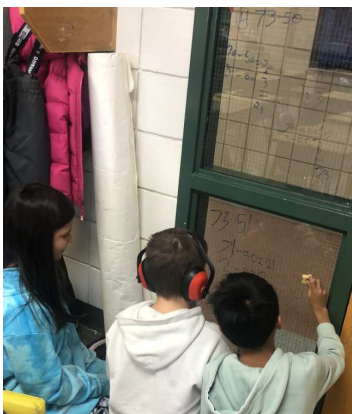
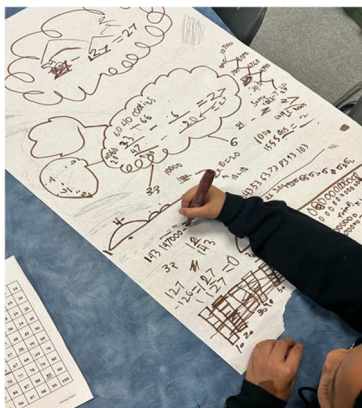
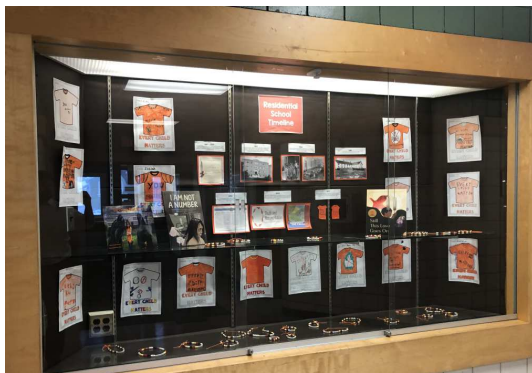
Academic The implementation of a comprehensive Literacy Action Plan to target instruction, assessment, professional learning, and intervention strategies.

Safe and Caring Schools

The implementation of a School Code of Conduct using the Provincial Mamahtawisiwin Document and feedback from stakeholders in our school community.

ESD/Indigenous Education

The development of Land based learning and community voice opportunities.



Priorities for 2024-2025

Academic – To develop and implement a numeracy action plan to target instruction, assessment, and staff professional development to improve student learning outcomes.

Safe and Caring Schools – Revitalize School Code of Conduct, 3 We's, and Circle of Courage using the Provincial Mamahtawisiwin Document to improve the sense of belonging for everyone at Champlain.

ESD and Indigenous Education – To continue learning around the 4 guiding questions (Who am I? Where do I come from? Why am I here? Where am I going?) with community voices and land-based education initiatives.

Parent and Community Involvement

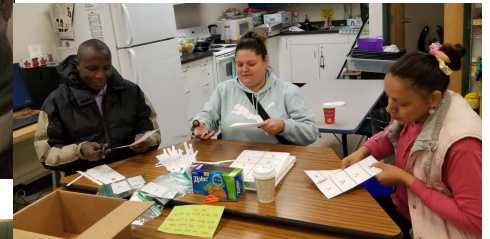
Ms. Elizabeth, our Community Support Worker, maintains the Parent Room and coordinates programs and activities that assist our families at Champlain School in a variety of ways. Community support and resources are provided to families as needed. Some of the events and activities that were completed this past year were:

- Sewing Ribbon Skirts
- Art Journaling
- Beading
- Grandmother's Breakfasts
- Medical Presentations
- Food security
- Volunteer orientation
- Resume writing and job applications

The Parent Room is open mornings Monday to Thursday during the school year and continues to be an active place at Champlain school. Family resource information is available such as housing, food support, parenting, and mental health supports. Its purpose is to encourage parental involvement, to develop positive on-going relationships between school, parents and community members.

Parental and community involvement along with volunteers are very important at Champlain School. The Parent Council is active in supporting field trips and classroom programs. We greatly appreciate their hard work and contributions to Champlain School. The Parent Council also runs the school Lunch Program, fundraising like bake sales, family nights as well as other events that take place during the school year.

At Champlain School we work together – parents, students and staff- to create a safe and caring learning community.



Highlights of 2022-2023

- Fall and End of Year Gatherin
- Orange Shirt Day
- Roots of Empathy Program
- Morning & afternoon - Daily snack
- Field Trips to the Zoo, Children's Museum, Fort Whyte, Manitoba Theatre for Young people, and Morning Sound Farm, Transcona Waterpark
- Winter Concert
- Santa Breakfast
- Pow Wow Circle
- Drumming Group
- I Love to Read Month
- I Love to Read evening with families
- Read to Me & Talk to Me
- Patrols – CAA Reward Trip
- Robots with WISE Kid-Netic
- School wide community clean up
- Gr 6 Bear Clan walk – Cool 2 Be Kind
- Bird Sanctuary
- Swimming Counts Program- Gr 4
- See Spot Read
- CSI and Wasak
- City of Wpg After-School Program
- Clubs → Choir, Running Club, Arts & Crafts Club, Chess Club, Knitting Club, Mindfulness club, Board games club, Intramurals, Garden Club, Karaoke Club
- Hockey Heroes
- Identity Project
- Guest Readers: Michael Redhead Champagne

