

King Edward Community School



Dear King Edward Families,

Welcome to the month of December. We are looking forward to connecting with all of our families to celebrate student learning and to make plans for next steps. If you are not able to meet with your child's teacher in person or by phone, please call and we would be happy to set up a time for you to meet with them.

Reminder: As the temperatures are getting colder, please send your children to school for 8:50 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. Pick-ups are at 12:00 P.M. and 3:30 P.M.

Students go outside for recess and need to be dressed for the weather. If you need support in getting winter supplies, please let us know. Jo-Anne Britton our CSW can connect you with Koats for Kids (please contact the school).

Thank-you to all our patrols, the Adult Crossing Guard and supervising teachers for their hard work in keeping our students safe while crossing the busy streets when they are on their way to and from school. They are out on their posts regardless of the weather. It helps when families are good role models and cross these busy streets at the appropriate crosswalks. We thank you all for your support!

Our Winter Concert will be in the gym on Thursday, December 12th at 6:30pm Families are invited to come out for a celebration of music. The Nursery Kindergarten concerts will be December 17th at 3:00pm for room 110. December 18th at 11:00am for room 111-am and December 18th at 3:00pm for room 111-pm.

The last day before the Winter Break is Friday, December 20th. Students will return to school on Monday, January 6th, 2025.

Our warmest thoughts and best wishes for a wonderful holiday and a very happy new year!

Kristin Melnyk Principal

Jaclyn Rivest Vice Principal

Upcoming Important Dates

December 5th Student Leds 4:00-6:00pm

December 6th Student Leds 9:00-12:00 No Classes

December 12thWinter Concert Gr1-6
6:30pm

December 15thWASAC Santa Breakfast
Sargeant Tommy Prince
10:00-12:00

December 16th
Sistema Winter Concert
Seven Oaks Performing Arts
Center
6:30pm

December 20th - January 3rd Winter Break

> **January 6th** Classes Resume

January 31 Inservice Day - No School or Sistema

825 Selkirk Ave 204-586-8381

SAFE ARRIVAL: 1-855-278-4513 https://www.winnipegsd.ca/KingEdward

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Winter	31	Winter	24	Triple Ball @ Lunch	17 Day 1		Human Rights Day	10 Day 2		Triple Ball Practice @ Lunch	3 Day 3	Tuesday
Break		Break	25	Gr 3/4 Intramurals @ Lunch Food Hub 3:00	18 Day 2		Food Hub 3:00	11 Day 3		Food Hub 3:00	4 Day 4	Wednesday
			26		19 Day 3	NO SISTEMA	Winter Concert Grade 1-6 6:30pm	12	NO SISTEMA	Student Leds 4:00-6:00 Parent Council Meeting 4:00	5 Day 5	Thursday
			27	Gr 5/6 Intramurals @ Lunch NO SISTEMA	20 Day 4			13 Day 5	NO SISTEMA	Student Leds 9:00- 12:00	0	Friday
			28		21			14			7	Saturday

Room 210 News

As part of our historical thinking project, Room 210 went on a field trip to the Manitoba Museum. We participated in various presentations that highlighted Indigenous culture in Manitoba as well as Winnipeg's history. We also got to participate in hands on activities such as building a tee pee together as a group. Overall, we learned a lot and we are excited to start our own historical thinking project aimed at researching the history of our neighbourhood, specifically Selkirk Avenue. Stay tuned!





Performing Arts

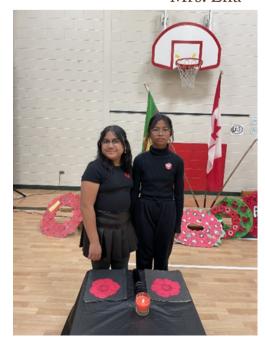
Dear Families,

I am thrilled to share the wonderful news about our school choir's outstanding performance at the Remembrance Day assembly. Their heartfelt singing truly captured the spirit of the occasion, honoring those who have served our country. The students showcased their dedication and talent, creating a touching atmosphere that left many in the audience moved. It was a beautiful reminder of the importance of remembrance and community.

I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to all the families for your support and encouragement, as it played a significant role in our children's success. If you missed the assembly, I encourage you to ask your child about their experience and the meaningful songs they performed.

Thank you for being an integral part of our school's community. We look forward to seeing you at future events!

Warm regards, Mrs. Ella









Dear King Edward families!

It's the season to be jolly! And a season for our famous Winter concerts!

We are IN THE SPIRIT!

This year our Winter concert "In The Spirit!" for grades 1-6 will take place on December 12th at 6:30 PM.

N/K classes will be having separate concerts in the music room on the following days:

R110PM – December 17th at 3:00 PM

RIIIAM – December 18th at 11:00 AM

R111PM – December 18th at 3:00 PM

Happy Holidays, everyone!

Wishing you a healthy and prosperous New year!

Mrs. Ella







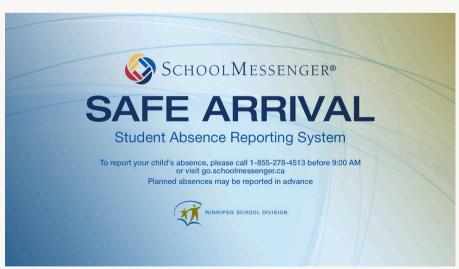
Friendly Reminders

• If you are interested in learning more about the Student Accident Insurance which can be purchased for your student(s) visit the WSD website for more information.

To purchase a plan visit https://manitobastudentinsurance.ca or call 1-800-463-5437.

- Families are always welcome in the building but we ask that only staff members take children to and from their classrooms.
- Please check the Lost & Found frequently
- Students should return from lunch NO EARLIER THAN 12:50 PM

Absence Reporting - Safe Arrival







Breakfast Program

Please come and join Sam for breakfast every school day. 8:30 – 9:15 AM



Lunch Program

Please remember to send your child with a fish, seafood, peanut and nut free lunch that does not need to be heated.

Family Room News

King Edward Welcomes Jo-Anne Britton, our new Community Support Worker!

Jo-Anne is able to support families in many different ways, some of these ways include,

- Food Security
- Clothing, shoes, boots
- Feminine Hygiene; Lice Products
- Applications for important documents such as birth certificates, Manitoba health cards
- Community resources such as, financial support, housing, adult education, referrals
- Advocacy
- Mediation
- Home Visits
- Jordan's Principle Support
- Accessing doctors/medical support
- Parent/Caregiver resources and parenting supports

Jo-Anne can be reached by phoning the school

204-586-8381



Family Food Hub

Date: Every Wednesday
Time: 3:00p.m. (No early entry please)
Where: Front foyer of the school

Please bring your own bags







Purchase a Plan Today!

Visitmanitobastudentinsurance@aall us at 1.800.463.5437

Who is Eligible?

Children are eligible for coverage if they are:

- a) more than 6 months old:
- b) less than 27 years old; and
- c) live in Canada, except the province of Quebec.

If a child is 14 years old or older at any time during the Coverage Period, they must be a full-time student within the 12 months prior to any claim. We define a full-time student as being enrolled in a minimum of 3 courses at the same time, during any 4-month period.

If you have children enrolled in different schools or school boards, they may all be insured under one policy. **Endorsed by:**



Program Arranged by: HUB International & Milnco Insurance

Underwritten by:



Protect your loved ones 24/7 with student accident insurance

Get the financial protection your family needs. If your child is involved in an accident, whether at school or during non-school hours, student accident insurance protects your family from the resulting expenses, which are not normally covered under your government health and group insurance plans.

The Platinum Plan - our best selling plan - only \$42/year

For only \$42.00 a year, the Platinum Plan offers our best value in 24/7 accident insurance coverage. Plus, it is our only plan to offer out-of-province emergency medical coverage (up to \$200,000) plus other travel benefits.

Are you sure your child is covered?

Government health plans and employment plans offer limited coverage.

We help to fill in the gaps.

How much of a difference can Student Accident Insurance really make?

Example: A 12 year-old was riding a bike.
The student fell over the handle bars, fractured
a wrist and cracked several teeth.

	Platinum Plan	Without Student Accident Insurance
Annual Premium Dental	\$42	\$0
Treatment Chiropractic	\$0	\$1,515
Treatment Prescription	\$0	\$361
Medication Expense	\$0	\$81
Reimbursement	\$0	\$250
Out of Pocket Expenses	\$42	\$2,207

Three Plans to Choose From! Benefits* Include:

	Platinum Plan	Gold Plan	Silver Plan
24 Hours/Day Coverage	*	*	*
Out-of-Province Emergency Medical & Other Travel Benefits	\$200,000	n/a	n/a
Total & Permanent Disability**	\$350,000	\$150,000	\$75,000
Loss of Limb/Loss of Sight, Hearing or Speech**	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$75,000
Accidental Death	\$30,000	\$20,000	\$15,000
Unlimited Accidental Dental	10 years	10 years	10 years
Per Tooth After 10 Years	\$1,650	\$1,400	\$1,250

^{*}Benefit limits vary based on plan chosen and the insured's age.
**Only one of these two benefits is payable per child in the
event of an accident. For complete descriptions of benefits,
benefit limits, conditions, limitations and exclusions, please
view the policy online at www.manitobastudentinsurance.ca.

3-Year & 5-Year Plans

Save time and money!

One quick purchase is all it takes to get multiple years of coverage!

Effective date of insurance

Coverage under the Policy begins on the date when we, Old Republic Insurance Company of Canada, or our authorized representative receive your completed application and the premium.

Termination of insurance

For all plans, coverage ends on the earlier of: a) the expiration date shown on the confirmation of coverage; or b) the date you no longer meet the Eligibility conditions.