

GENERAL WOLFE SCHOOL

COMMUNITY REPORT

2024-2025



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ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

BELONG. BELIEVE. ACHIEVE.

Located in Winnipeg's West End, General Wolfe School is a vibrant community serving students in grades 7-9. Our student body represents over 20 nationalities from around the world! This diversity fosters understanding, promotes inclusivity, and cultivates global awareness among our students. We are proud of our commitment to creating an inviting, safe, welcoming, and supportive learning environment for all.

At General Wolfe School, we offer a comprehensive and holistic education that nurtures students' academic, social, and personal growth. Our students receive engaging and enriching educational programming that incorporates interdisciplinary projects and real-world applications. We strive to cultivate well-rounded individuals who thrive not only in the classroom but also in their personal and civic lives.

This year, the school offered a variety of optional classes, including Visual Arts, Dance, and Band, alongside integrated core subject areas - Humanities & STEAM, and Physical Education. We provide support for our EAL learners and have an off/on-campus program. Additionally, students participate in shops programming (e.g., Graphic Arts, Foods & Nutrition, Electronics) at neighboring schools.

Our middle years education philosophy emphasizes a holistic and student-centered approach. This includes project-based and inquiry learning, where students engage in hands-on projects, research, and problem-solving. This method helps develop critical 21st-century skills such as creativity, collaboration, communication, and critical thinking. Additionally, we have a daily advisory group for learners to connect with a teacher, providing a supportive environment to discuss academic progress, social-emotional well-being, and set personal goals. This comprehensive approach ensures that students receive a well-rounded education that prepares them for future success both inside and outside the classroom. Our commitment extends to providing clubs, sports, and academic competitions (e.g., Science Fair, Heritage Fair). From the chess club to the Indigenous Youth Leadership Group and percussion club, there's something for everyone!

As we bid farewell to this academic year, we eagerly anticipate the next chapter. New faces will join us, and familiar ones will continue their journey. Thank you for being part of our story. Here's to the memories we've made and the ones waiting to unfold!

SCHOOL BELIEFS

Education is the compass that guides us toward a brighter future.

OUR VISION

General Wolfe School is dedicated to creating an inclusive and safe community where all students are empowered to reach their unique potential and are inspired to become engaged global citizens.

OUR MISSION



Safe & Caring

We are dedicated to creating inclusive spaces that are safe, encouraging and supportive, ensuring that every student feels welcomed and valued.



Equity & Diversity

We believe in fostering a culturally responsive and equitable learning environment where all students thrive, while actively engaging in Truth and Reconciliation initiatives, promoting Indigenous knowledge, and building bridges between communities.



Student Success

We are committed to nurturing a holistic learning environment that honours student curiosity through an inquiry-based, multi-modal approach, fostering exploration and active learning to deepen global competencies.

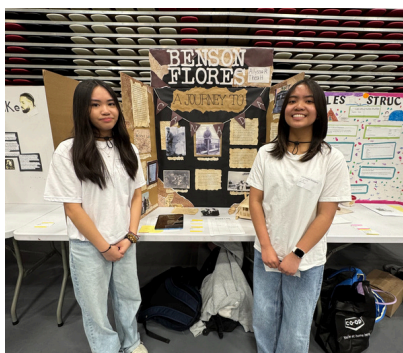
School Profile

28 Teachers – 12 Educational Assistants – 2 Front Office Staff – 0.5 Community Support Worker – 0.5 Intercultural Support Worker – 3 Learning Support Teachers (Resource, Guidance) – 4 Custodians – 390 REMARKABLE STUDENTS!

HIGHLIGHTS

Nurturing curiosity and igniting a passion for lifelong learning.

- Truth & Reconciliation Day
- Terry Fox Run
- Indigenous Grandmother Mentorship
- Winter Arts Showcase
- Talent Show
- Community Dinner & Multicultural Fashion Show
- E-Sports Expo
- Sports – Volleyball, Basketball, Badminton, Soccer, Track & Field, Cross Country, Lacrosse & Cheer
- General Chaos - Competitive Dance Team
- Student Council Events – Spirit Weeks, School Dances, Water Fun Day
- Clubs – Chess, GSA, Art, Percussion, Board Games, Newcomer, Multicultural, Beading, Moccasin Making, Homework Hub
- Indigenous Youth Leadership Group
- Career Fairs
- Indigenous Day
- Math Competition - Gauss
- “Be that Leader” Program with Aurora Family Centre
- Student led monthly Assemblies celebrating cultures & heritages



GOALS FOR 2025-2026

Establishing a dynamic learning environment where students flourish.

Student Success

- Instruction across all grade levels will incorporate questioning, research skills and roles in group work into Project Based and Inquiry learning to deepen global competencies.
- Students will meet grade level expectations in their comprehension (reading, listening & viewing), communication (writing, speaking & representing) & critical thinking skills.
- Students will be at grade level and beyond in their mathematical skills (knowledge and understanding of mathematical concepts, mental math & estimation, problem solving)

Safe & Caring

- Improve the overall sense of physical, social-emotional, and psychological safety among students at school by creating a sense of community and belonging.
- Increase opportunities for positive interactions among staff, students, and families to further enhance our supportive and inclusive environment and strengthen community bonds.

Equity & Diversity

- Increase student engagement by integrating culturally responsive teaching practices and Indigenous knowledge across the curriculum and schoolwide events.



PARENTAL / GUARDIAN & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Celebrating our school's collective impact.

Connecting with Community

- Monthly Community, Conversation and Coffee meetings (formerly Parent Advisory Council)
- Meet the Staff Evening, Tri-Conferences
- Participation in the Inner City Advisory Council
- Monthly newsletters and Safe Arrival Telephone Call Back Program
- Family Equity Audit
- Schoolwide events (details in Highlights section)



General Wolfe School's **Community Support Worker & Intercultural Support Worker** provide numerous resources and support for our families, including:

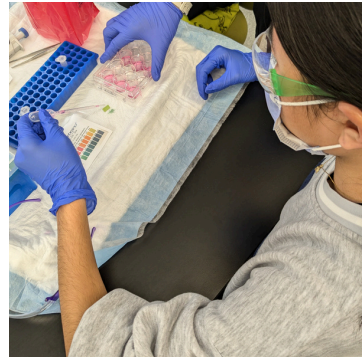
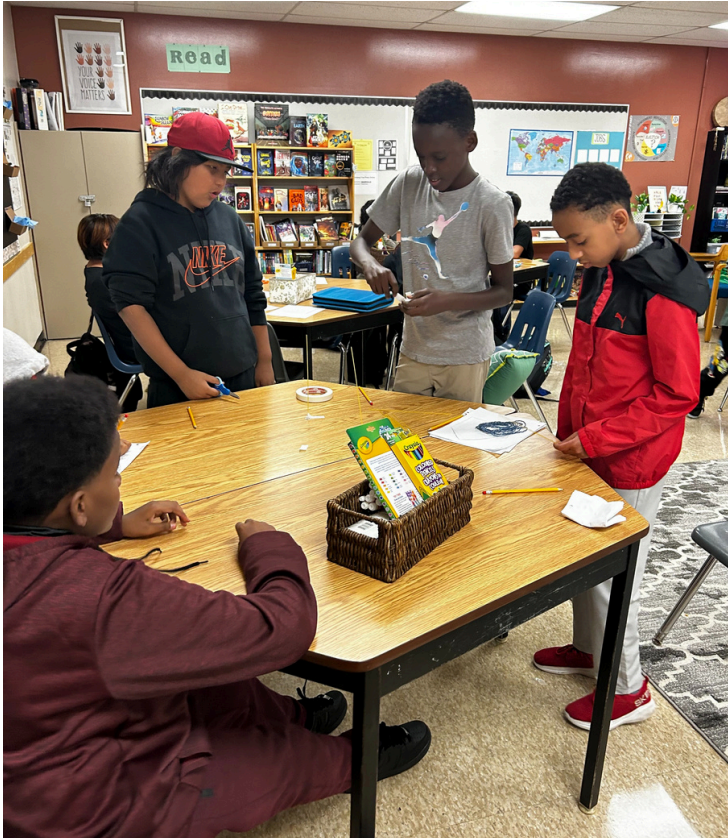
- Home visits to strengthen school and community connection
- Networking with other agencies to provide additional supports and referrals
- Support with attendance, family concerns and other barriers to education
- Coordinating vision screening, dental care and immunizations
- Writing letters of support for families accessing Jordan's Principle
- Assistance with translators
- Accessible Family Room
- Nutrition Bingo
- Partnerships with West End Biz, Winnipeg Harvest, Child Nutrition Council, Aurora Family Therapy Centre, N.E.E.D.S.



SNAPSHOT STORIES: REFLECTIONS OF THE PAST YEAR



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Wolfpack Pride!