

Snack & Water – Please pack at least two nut-free snacks for the day. Please send a reusable water bottle for your child. We have a refill station in the hallway. Bottles will be sent home at the end of the week to be cleaned.

Shoes- Please ensure your child has separate indoor and outdoor shoes. If your child is unable to tie laces, Velcro is much appreciated. Their indoor shoes must be suitable for Phys Ed and should be non-marking.

School Times

Entry Bell 8:50 am
Recess 10:30 – 10:45am
Lunch Begins 11:45pm
Lunch Ends 12:40 pm
Recess 2:15 – 2:30 pm
Dismissal 3:30 pm

Free Apps to download

Raz Kids Reading

<http://www.raz-kids.com>

Teacher name: Luxton13

Dreambox

School URL

<https://play.dreambox.com/login/d7qd/luxton>

School Code: d7qd/luxton

Classroom Code: 96364

Prodigy

Prodigy is a free app/website and you do not have to purchase accounts for your child, though some families have chosen to do so, it is not required to use the app. Logins will be sent home.

Communication between home and school is important.

Please contact me at any point throughout the year via Class Dojo (a free app) where I will post pictures and important class messages. You can also email, phone, or communicate through See Saw. Log in codes will be sent home and emailed to you.

Homework

Home reading for 20 minutes each evening is strongly recommended. If you would like levelled books from the school, please let me know and they will be sent home daily or weekly, depending on your child's needs. Raz Kids can also be used.

Word Work spelling words will come home every two weeks and practicing at home is recommended. We will have a spelling test after each two-week set of words.

This Week at School (TWAS) will be sent home most Fridays. Please have your child read their work to you and if you'd like, write them a note on the back of the page. Please send back on Mondays.

Show and Share: Most Fridays, we will have Show and Share. A given theme will be posted on Class Dojo and told to your child in class (e.g., something red; something soft). Show and Share is a good opportunity for your child to practice speaking aloud to their peers. Sending expensive toys, breakable items, or electronics is not encouraged.



Grade 2/3

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Together We Are Better!

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Term 1
September - November

Balanced Literacy Program

Communication, comprehension, and critical thinking skills will be taught with the following core foundations throughout the year:

- Speaking and Listening
- Reading and Writing
- Viewing and Representing

Math

Problem solving, Mental Math strategies and Understanding of Number (addition, multiplication, etc...) will be taught throughout the year.

- Patterns and Data Management

Social Studies

Our Local Community
Truth and Reconciliation
Remembrance Day

Science

Needs of Living Things

Health

Kids in the Know
Internet Safety

Term 2
December - March

Balanced Literacy Program

Ask your children about the following routines throughout the year:

- Novel Study
- Read to Others, Read to Self
- Reading Responses
- Word Work (spelling program)
- Poetry
- Genius Hour / Inquiry Project

Math

- Geometry and Data Management
- Estimation

Social Studies

Communities in Canada
Black History Month
Festival du Voyageur

Science

Growth and Changes in Animals

Health

Personal and Social Management

Term 3
April - June

Balanced Literacy Program

Look for growth in your child's writing and reading by noticing:

- Sentence or Paragraph Structure
- Patterns in Words
- Informational Book Strategies
- Reader's Theatre

Math

- Measurement and Data Management

Social Studies

The Canadian Community
Indigenous History Month
Indigenous Peoples Day
Pride Month

Science

Soils in the Environment
Growth and Changes in Plants

Health

Healthy Lifestyles
Mind Up Education