STRATHCONA SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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January 2024

Dear Strathcona Families,

Happy New Year! Staff and students are excited to be back at school in January to kick off 2024 with learning! As the temperatures finally begin to look and feel like winter, please remember to dress your child for the lower temperatures. Throughout the day students will continue to have recess and occasional outdoor learning opportunities during the month of January. A winter jacket, toque, mitts, and winter boots are essential to keeping students and staff warm and safe during these colder months of the year.

If you need any assistance with providing winter clothing Strathcona is always happy to help. We receive donations from a variety of charitible organizations and often have extra hats, mitts, and boots at school. Our community support worker Lee Tavares is happy to assist families, as well as your child's classroom teacher.

Let's continue to work together to provide opportunities for your child to learn, grow, and dream big! Attending school every day (when healthy) is so important to your child's development and success in the future.

Take care and see you soon!

Jeremy Midford Helen Sabater-Fixe

Principal Vice Principal



IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Outdoors at Strathcona



Need winter gear? Please contact your child's teacher regarding winter jackets, hats, mitts, and winter boots. These items are essential for daily outdoor recess and activities at Strathcona. If the core temperature and wind chill is not below -27 Celcius, your child will be headed outside!

Arrival at School

Drop Off at School:

Supervision outdoors in the morning starts at 8:40 am.

At lunch, please bring students no earlier than 12:50 pm, as supervision is limited due to our lunch program.

Student Pick Up: Important Info

Students will be walked outside with their teacher into their pick up and drop off line on the hard top. Parents/guardians and older siblings will pick up students from their designated line. Please do not double park or stop along Alfred Avenue for pickup. Students will not be dismissed from their line to a parent in a vehicle. This is for safety! Please park, exit your vehicle, and pick up your child from their classroom line. Thank you for keeping everyone safe!



Thank you for your continued support in making our entry and exit times safe for all of our Strathcona families!

WINTER CONCERT

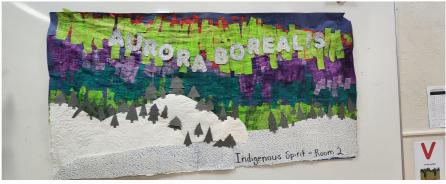
Our nursery to grade four students were so excited to perform for their families at our winter concert! What a magical night to celebrate the arts and honour the tradition of a winter concert at Strathcona School.

Stay tuned for more information regarding our grade 5/6 students performing for you in the spring.













HOW SICK IS TOO SICK FOR SCHOOL?

Cold and flu season is here. See our tips for parents and caregivers:



KEEP ME HOME:

Fever

(higher than 38°C or 100°F)

Sore Throat

Persistent Cough

Strep Throat

Vomiting or Diarrhea

Abdominal Pain

(severe or long-lasting)

Illness

(prevents from participating comfortably in activities)



SEND ME TO SCHOOL:

No Fever

(without fever-reducing medicine for 24 hours)

Occasional Cough

(but no other symptoms)

Strep Throat

(after 24 hours of treatment)

No Vomiting or Diarrhea

(for 48 hours)





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January 2024

MONDAY	Tuesday	WEDNESDAY	Thursday	FRIDAY
1 2 3 4 5 **Yinter** **Break**				
8 Day 1 Welcome Back!	9 Day 2	10 Day 3	11 Day 4	12 Day 5 Room 2 Field Trip to The Leaf @ Assiniboine Park
15 Day 6	16 Day 1	17 Day 2 Young Designers Program 3:00-5:30 pm	18 Day 3	19 Day 4
22 Day 5 Lighthouses Basketball Program 3:30—4:45 pm	23 Day 6	24 Day 1 Young Designers Program 3:30-5:30 pm Lighthouses Basketball Program 3:30—4:45 pm	25 Day 2	26 Day 3
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