



École Sir William Osler

June 2026 Newsletter



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ADMINISTRATOR'S MESSAGE

It is hard to believe that the month of June is already rolling in and another year has come and gone! I guess it is true - time really does fly when you are having fun! It is that time of year when things begin to wind down but there are still many fun activities coming up. Please keep an eye on your email as permission slips are coming through School Day. Please continue to check your child's agenda and backpacks as well as our school website for important information. **Some important dates to note include: Community Picnic Tuesday, June 16 5:00-7:00 p.m., Volunteer Café Tuesday June 23, report cards go home Monday, June 22, no school Friday, June 26, last day of afternoon nursery & kindergarten classes Monday, June 29, and the last day of school for all other classes is Tuesday, June 30 (all students are dismissed at 11:00 a.m.).**

Good luck to our grade 6 students that are leaving as you embark on your next educational journey. It will be a very exciting time for you! You have been such great leaders in our school, and we will miss you. Believe in yourself! Remember that every day ends and brings a new tomorrow full of promise and exciting new experiences. Wishing each one of you many successes as you head off to your new school in September.

On behalf of our teachers, educational assistants, clerk, and our custodial team, we would like to take this opportunity to thank all our families for your amazing support throughout the year. Our students continue to rise to the occasion academically, behaviourally and socially.

Staff will be returning to school Tuesday, September 8 with grade 1-7 students returning Wednesday, September 9. Nursery/Kindergarten students will have gentle entry September 9-11 and will start regular classes on September 14. We look forward to having

our "Welcome Back, Meet the Staff" evening on Tuesday, September 8. More information will come out at the end of August. Our staffing is almost complete for next year! I will keep you posted as it gets finalized.

Room 9 AM & PM	Nursery/ Kindergarten	M. Robert Rozière
Room 7	Grade 1/2	Mme Nicole Ferraro
Room 5	Grade 1/2	Mme Evelyne Violy
Room 4	Grade 2/3	Mme Kaila Allegro
Room 2	Grade 3/4	Mme Melanie Farrage
Room 210	Grade 4/5	Mme Leianne Wood
Room 3	Grade 4/5	Mme Meredith McGuinnes
Room 108	Grade 6	Mme Amanda Toews
Room 110	Grade 6/7	TBD

Inclusive Education Resource Teacher & Guidance Counselor	TBD
Learning Support Teacher	Mme Hélène Constant-Ruest
Learning Support Teacher	Mme Anelise Poutes
Music/Band Teacher	M. David Betz
Physical Education Teacher	Mme Carissa Van Lieshout

Administrator's Message Continued

In closing, we would like to say thank you and on behalf of all the staff, wish you all a safe and healthy summer holiday. Thank you once again to all our current families for your wonderful support. We also welcome the new families that will be attending our school next year. Your children are certainly going to receive the best learning opportunities that we can provide as a school. Our school is committed to providing all children a safe and nurturing learning environment. ESWO "Inspiring a passion for learning in French!"

Mme Dominique Ostermann

Café Merci!

Thank you ÉSWO Volunteers!

Stop by at drop off for coffee, treats, and a small token of our appreciation.

Tuesday, June 23, 2026

7:45 - 8:45 a.m.

School Foyer

Please RSVP to Mme Sabrina by Wednesday, June 17, 2026 at sabsmith@wsd1.org.



Parent Advisory Council



Our École Sir William Osler Parent Advisory Council is always looking for new members! Please consider joining us to help support school events such as the École Sir William Osler Playground Enhancements, the Year-End Picnic, and other fundraisers.

At the AGM in May our executive positions were open and the new executives are as follows:

Chair: Carmen Baldes

Vice-Chair: Alisha Bradbury

Secretary: Katie Schriver

Treasurer: Angela Beer

These events and initiatives cannot happen without strong parent support and council!

First Meeting: Tuesday, September 16, 2026
6:00 p.m.



Happy Father's Day

Sunday, June 21, 2026

A Dad is a person
who is loving and kind,
And often he knows
what you have on your mind.
He's someone who listens,
suggests, and defends.

A dad can be one
of your very best friends!

He's proud of your triumphs,
but when things go wrong,
A dad can be patient
and helpful and strong
In all that you do,
a dad's love plays a part.

There's always a place for
him
deep in your heart.

And each year that passes,
you're even more glad,
More grateful and proud
just to call him your dad!

Thank you, Dad...
for listening and caring,
for giving and sharing,
but, especially, for just being you!

Happy Father's Day



How to Keep the French Language Active Over the Summer!

One of the keys to helping your child learn French is to expose them to the French language outside of the classroom. There are many ways you can make this happen.



French movies:

- Watch a favourite movie in French. Every DVD produced for Canadian distribution comes with both English and French audio tracks and subtitles.

French books:

- Have a selection of French books for you and your child to read; this will encourage them to practice their French!

French websites:

- Access French websites that are associated with topics your child is interested in. There are also websites that offer games, homework help and fun in French.



Important Dates for the 2026-2027 School Year

All Dates Subject to Change

Aug. 31 - School Office Opens

Sept. 8 - Meet the Staff Evening 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Sept. 9 - First day of school for grades 1 - 6. **Nursery and Kindergarten students will return as outlined in letters which will be sent at a later date.**

Sept. 15 - Grand Opening

Sept. 22 - PAC Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Sept. 29 - Orange Shirt Day

Sept. 30 - No School: National Day of Truth & Reconciliation

Oct. 6 - No Classes: Admin Day

Oct. 7 - Bus Ridership

Oct. 12 - No School: Thanksgiving Day

Oct. 14 - Fall Picture Day

Oct. 21- PAC Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Oct. 23 - No Classes: MTS PD Day

Oct. 30 - Halloween Parade 1:00 p.m.

Nov. 10 - Remembrance Day Assembly 10:30 a.m.

Nov. 11 - No School: Remembrance Day

Nov. 12 - Fall Picture Retakes AM Only

Nov. 17 - PAC Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Nov. 19 - Tri-Conferences 3:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Nov. 20 - No Classes: Tri-Conferences

Dec. 14-18 - Spirit Week

Dec. 18 - Last Day of Classes

Dec. 21 - Winter Break Begins

Jan. 4 - Classes Resume

Jan. 20 - PAC Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Jan. 22 - No Classes: Admin Day

Feb. 1-28 - I Love to Read Month

Feb. 4 - N/K & Gr. 7 Open House 6:00 p.m.

Feb. 5 - No Classes: Admin Day

Feb. 15 - No School: Louis Riel Day

Feb. 16-19 - Festival Week

Feb. 16 - PAC Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Mar. 18 - Student-Led Conference 3:30 - 8:00 p.m.
Scholastic Book Fair

Mar. 19 - No Classes: Student-Led Conferences
Scholastic Book Fair

Mar. 22-25 - Spirit Week

Mar. 25 - Last Day of Classes

Mar. 26 - No School: Good Friday

Mar. 29 - Spring Break Begins

Apr. 5 - Classes Resume

Apr. 8 - Bus Ridership

Apr. 14 - International Day of Pink

Apr. 16 - No Classes: Admin Day

Apr. 21 - Spring Picture Day
PAC Meeting 6:00 p.m.



May 7 - No Classes: Admin Day

May 18 - PAC Meeting & AGM 6:00 p.m.

May 24 - No School: Victoria Day

Jun. 15 - PAC Year End Picnic

Jun. 28 - No Classes: Admin Day

Jun. 30 - Last Day of School





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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1 Day 1 Grade 6 to Camp Manitou 	2 Day 2 WSD Fit Run 	3 Day 3	4 Day 4	5 Day 5
8 Day 6 Room 4 to the Public Library 	9 Day 1	10 Day 2	11 Day 3 Grade 4s at Swimming Counts 	12 Day 4
15 Day 5	16 Day 6 PAC Year End Picnic 	17 Day 1	18 Day 2 Fun Lunch 	19 Day 3 Rooms 2 & 4 to the Manitoba Museum 
22 Day 4 Report Cards Sent Home 	23 Day 5  Volunteer Café 7:45 a.m. Bump Up Afternoon 	24 Day 6  No School for Nursery & Kindergarten Lunch Monitors & Patrols to Activate 	25 Day 1  Rooms 9 AM & PM to Morning Sound Farm Grades 1-6 Field Day 	26 Day 2 No School Admin Day 
29 Day 3 Last Day of School for PM Nursery & Kindergarten	30 Day 4 Last Day of School for AM Nursery & Kindergarten & Grades 1 - 6  Dismissal at 11:00 a.m.	<div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 10px;">  <p style="text-align: right;">Happy Canada Day Wednesday, July 1, 2026</p> </div>		

From all of us at École Sir William Osler thank you
for a wonderful school year.

We hope you have an amazing summer!

See you Wednesday, September 9, 2026!

