

FOX NEWS

Ecole Westlock Elementary School

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Associate Principal: Robert Weiss

IMPORTANT DATES:

November:

- 2: Volleyball game @ 2:15
St. Mary's school
**Parents pick up at 4 pm*
- Remembrance Day
Ceremony 10:45 am
- 6-10: Fall Break
No school
- 15: Volleyball tournament
@ Spirit Center
11:30 am-3:15 pm
- 16: 1C & 1H swim 1-2 pm
- 21: Volleyball game @ WES
3:30 pm
- 23: Gr. 3 swimming 10 am
K Parent Teacher
Interviews
- 24: Mustache Day
K Parent Teacher
Interviews
- 29: K swimming 1-2 pm
- 30: K swimming 1-2 pm

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We have had a fantastic October! Lots of exciting things are happening within the school. Gr. 6 after school sports are upon us. Cross country running and soccer have just wrapped up and now volleyball is just beginning. Good luck to our sports teams!

Thank you for completing the Annual Enrollment Update forms on Powerschool. We only have 26 outstanding! Just a reminder to do these on a computer and not on your phone app. Any concerns with this, please call the school or stop by.

I am very pleased with the outcome of the Indigo Adopt a School Book Fundraiser. We have raised over \$4500 and I am hopeful that we will exceed our goal of \$5000. The final total has not come in yet. Thank you for supporting this fundraiser. We look forward to purchasing new books for our students.

Fall break is next week. There is no school from Nov. 6-10. Enjoy the week off with your family!

Sincerely,
Amber Monteath

K-6 PROGRESS REPORTS...



Kindergarten Progress Reports will be sent home Nov. 20/21.

Gr. 1-6 Progress Reports will be sent home with your child on Thursday, Nov. 30.

Please see the graphic at the end of the newsletter.

REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY...



On Thurs. Nov. 2 at 10:45 am our school will be having their Remembrance ceremony. .

Parents are welcome to attend. We will be collecting poppy donations.

GRADE SIX OUTDOOR ED FUNDRAISER...

This year we have decided to try a different venue for our annual Grade Six Outdoor Education event. In late May, students will be attending Camp Warwa by Alberta Beach for a two-day one-night camp experience. To begin fundraising for the event, the Grade Six's will be selling Purdy's chocolates over the month of

November. If you would like to support this event, please click on the link below to place your order. Information such as the ordering deadline and the date to pick up your order at WES are listed on our campaign page. Please call the office with any questions, we thank you for your support!



<https://fundraising.purdys.com/1791618-110988>



When ordering:

- 1). Click on the above link, or go to www.purdys.com, click fundraising, and then join a campaign. **Our campaign number is 72930.**
- 2). You will need to create an account with your email address and other info.
- 3). You should then be on our "Grade 6 Outdoor Ed Fundraising - Camp Warwa" page.
- 4). To place an order, click "shop online."
- 5). Finally, choose to either "use online order form" or "use marketplace."

SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS...

[Facebook page: WES School \(Parent\) Council](#)



Board Members:

Chair: Tiffany Schlacter

Vice Chair: Jennifer Woynorowski

Secretary: Kim Stacey-Hayne

Director: Tori Message

Social Media & Director: Vanessa O'Quinn

School Council will be offering hot lunch options throughout the school year.



Nov. 15- Pancakes & Sausages (last day to order-Nov. 13)

Nov. 30- Apollo Spaghetti (last day to order-Nov. 23)

All purchases can be made online through Parent Portal.

The next school council meeting is Jan. 11 2024 @ 5:45 pm.

CHRISTMAS CONCERTS...

All Gr. 1-6 Christmas concerts will be held at the Cultural Arts Theater at RF Staples School.

Please save the following dates:

Please note there is limited seating. More information to come!



Dec. 6: 3A, 2D, 1C, 1H 5pm

Dec. 7: 3C, 2K, 1/2M, 1L 5pm

Dec. 13: 6J, 5R, 4M, 5/6PS 6 pm

Dec. 14: 6B, 5C, 4T, 3/4 T 6 pm

**actors attend both evenings*

***K-6 French Immersion students will have a Christmas Concert in December. Date and time to be determined.**

SCHOOL CLOTHING...

We are now selling school clothing running from November 1st - November 22nd!

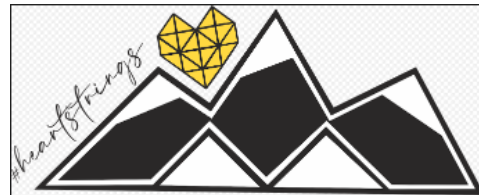


Hoodies \$50

T-Shirts \$25

All purchases can be made online through Powerschool Parent Portal.

Heartstrings by Michelle will be making the clothing.



Progress Report Info:


**Grades 1-6 progress reports will be sent home on November 30th;
Kindergarten on November 20 & 21.**

Achievement Indicator Legend Emerging (Em): The student has not yet demonstrated achievement of the identified Learning Outcomes (LOs). Evidence reveals the student's level of knowledge, understanding and skills are at an introductory level. The student's path to achievement of identified LOs is at risk. Intervention is necessary. Beginning (B): The student has begun to demonstrate achievement of the identified LOs. Evidence reveals the student's partial competency with knowledge, understanding and skills. The student's path to achievement of identified LOs may be at risk. Intervention is recommended. Developing (D): The student has acquired competency with the identified LOs. Evidence reveals the student's basic competency with knowledge, understanding and skills. The student's path to achievement of identified LOs is satisfactory. Mastering (M): The student has applied mastery of the identified LOs. Evidence reveals the student's proficiency with knowledge, understanding and skills. The student's path to achievement of identified LOs is well developed. Extending (Ex): The student has integrated and made complex connections with the knowledge and skills related to identified LOs. Evidence reveals the student's ability to transfer the knowledge, understanding and skills in multiple and/or novel contexts. The student's path to achievement of identified LOs is advanced. ISP: This outcome is assessed using the Instructional Support Plan. NA: Not assessed.	Growth as a learner	Nov	Mar	Jun
	Demonstrates a positive attitude			
	Contributes to class discussions			
	Demonstrates respect for others			
	Works well with peers			
	Makes appropriate use of class time			
	Completes homework and assignments			

 Some outcomes may not have been introduced or assessed in this reporting period. These outcomes contain the "NA - Not Assessed" indicator.

Mathematics

Outcomes:	Nov	Mar	Jun
By year end: Students interpret place value within 100 000.			
By year end: Students apply strategies for addition and subtraction within 1000.			
By year end: Students analyze and apply strategies for multiplication and division within 100.			
By year end: Students interpret fractions in relation to one whole.			
By year end: Students illustrate equality with equations.			
By year end: Students relate geometric properties to shape.			
By year end: Students determine length using standard units.			
By year end: Students interpret angles.			
By year end: Students analyze patterns in numerical sequence.			
By year end: Students tell time using clocks.			
By year end: Students interpret and explain representations of data.			

 Listed outcomes are *by year end*. Your child's teacher is providing a snapshot of your child's understanding for each outcome to date. Some outcomes are stretched throughout the year and may not have been fully covered at this point. A "beginning" or "developing" indicator at this point reflects your child's learning along a path that will continue through June. Individual comments will provide further insight into your child's areas of strength and identify next steps for learning.

If you have any questions, please reach out to your child's teacher.

