

2026-2027 Staffing

K-Mrs. Chattaroon

EA: Mrs. Fortin & Mrs. Hnatko

Gr. 1: Mrs. Lea
1/2: Miss Sekulich

EA: Mrs. Midgett & Mrs. Moser
EA: Mrs. Martinson & Ms Ayotte

Gr. 2: Mrs. Tanton
2/3: Mrs. C. Thompson

EA: Miss Menzies
EA: Mrs. Keiser

Gr. 3: Mr. Kwan

EA: Mme Cameron

Gr. 4: Miss Biberdorf
Mrs. Richardson-Kuzyk
Ms McMillan

EA: Mrs. Baker
EA: Mr. Rodriguez
EA: Mrs. Jennings

Gr. 5: Mrs. Roberts
Mrs. Kaliel

EA: Mrs. Hodgins
EA: Ms LePage & Mrs. Bannister

Gr. 6: Miss Johnston
Mrs. Vanderwekken

EA: Miss LePine & Mrs. Jestin
EA: Mrs. Boissonnault

Music: Mrs. Schmidt

Physical Education: Mr. McCabe

Literacy Lead Teacher: Mrs. Hancock-Conner

Inclusive Lead Teachers: Mrs. Carter & Ms. Witwer (*Ms Witwer is transferring from Swan Hills School*)

School Counsellor: Mrs. Gottschalk

Library Assistant/Educational Assistant: Mrs. Spearin

Our school staff puts great care and thoughtful consideration into creating balanced class lists for all students. We take into account a variety of factors to ensure the best possible learning environment, and as such, we are unable to accommodate requests for classroom changes.

That said, we value the importance of friendships and community. Students will continue to have many opportunities to connect with their friends through school-wide events, recess, and extracurricular activities such as sports and clubs.

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French Immersion

K: Mme Skye

EA: Mrs. Fortin & Mrs. Hnatko

1: Mme Kay

1: Mme Edwards

EA: Ms. Olsen

2: Mme MacDougall

3/4: Mme Belanger

5/6: Mme Wolff (Mon-Thurs) & Mr. McCabe (Fridays) EA: Miss McMow

We will miss the following staff members who are leaving us. Thank you for supporting our students and we wish you all the best in your future endeavors.

Educational Assistants

- Ms Miller
- Mrs. Powlesland
- Miss Warwaryk (maternity leave)

Teachers

- Mrs. Hauptman- congrats on a new position in another district
- Mme J Thompson- congrats on a new position in another district
- Mrs. DeVries will be the new teacher in WPREP.



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Happy Retirement to Mrs. Debrule & Mrs. Smith

We want to thank Mrs. Debrule for dedicating 26 years as an Educational Assistant at EWES! Mrs. Smith has served many roles across the division- teacher, administrator and most recently EA mentor at EWES.

You two will certainly be missed. We wish you nothing but the best and a wonderful retirement!



A huge thank you to our volunteers for your invaluable dedication and support. Whether it's coming along on field trips, lending a helping hand in the classroom or during events or even providing food for our students, your involvement enriches the lives of our students. We are truly grateful for your unwavering commitment!



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Office Hours

School Office is closed June 26-Aug. 26

Office reopens Thurs. Aug. 27 @ 12-3:30 pm
Fri. Aug. 28 @ 9- 3:30 pm

Regular Hours: Starting Mon. Aug. 31 @ 8- 4 pm

Gr. 1-6 Open House

**Come meet your teacher, EA and see your classroom!
You can also drop off your school supplies at this time.**

**Thurs. Aug. 27
3-4:30 pm**



*Kindergarten has orientation and staggered entry.
Information will be sent out to parents mid Aug.*

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Please check our school website or Facebook page over the summer for any updates.

www.westlockelementary.ca

School supply lists will be in your child's report card, but you can also find them on our website under Student & Parent Info.

[2026-2027 School Calendar](#)

Dear Parents & Guardians,

As another school year comes to a close, I would like to take a moment to thank our families for their support throughout the year. It has been a pleasure watching our students learn, grow, and celebrate many successes together.

Your involvement in our school community—through volunteering, attending events, and supporting learning at home—helps make our school a wonderful place for students to thrive. We are grateful for your partnership.

A special congratulations to our Grade 6 students as they move on to junior high. We are proud of all you have accomplished and wish you every success and happiness in the years ahead. To the families who are moving away, thank you for being part of our school community. You will be missed, and we wish you all the best in your new adventures.

To our returning families, we look forward to seeing you again in the fall.

On behalf of our entire staff, thank you for a fantastic year. Wishing you a safe, relaxing, and enjoyable summer!

Best wishes,

Ms Monteath & Mrs. Young

