

CARMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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September 2020

October 12th

Thanksgiving *NO CLASSES

October 23rd

Professional Development Day *NO CLASSES

October 27th

ASCL Meeting via ZOOM

October 28th

Picture Day! KC & Gr. 1-5

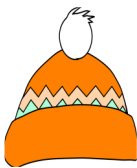
Lunch programs are not being offered this year. Please ensure your child has snacks and lunch for the day. Should you have any question re: hot lunch programs, please contact the ACSL @ cesacsl@gmail.com.

CES is unable to supply food for students this year, and do not have our breakfast program in place.

Lost & Found items have been placed on the bench just outside our main office doors, east side of the school. Please have a look for missing items. We will not have a bucket inside to look through.

Student Clothing:

Please ensure your child is sent to school with the necessary items for the weather that day. We understand it is difficult some days to gauge how warm/cold it may be, but we ask that all items be sent with the child/ren in the morning. Water bottles are an essential part to your child's day, as we are not allowed access to the water fountains in our building. The bottle fill stations are available to fill the water bottles throughout the day.



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Reminders:

Our doors are locked throughout the day, and no visitors are permitted in the building unless approved by the admin team. If you are picking up your child, and they are unaware that you are doing so, please buzz the office at the east doors, and we will notify the classroom. Please note that students must use their cohort doors to enter and exit the building, therefore it may take a moment for them to get around to the east side of the school if they are using the west doors as their entry/exit.

Principal Message:

Students and staff have experienced a very different start to our year, this year! It took a couple of weeks to feel like we were all in the groove of the new normal. Our students are working hard to remember the safety practices and many are quick to help us all remember and keep us safe! We thank families for your continued support and positive messages to your children.

We are excited to introduce a few new staff who have recently joined our school:

Mr. Jamieson, Grade 2 Teacher
Miss Neufled, Grade 4 & 5 Teacher
Ms. Keith, Educational Assistant
Ms. Bergen, Educational Assistant

Mrs. Martin, our Educational Assistant who ran our Speech Program, retired September 30th. We wish her well in her retirement. Ms. Hendricks has accepted this new role.

Below are a few friendly reminders from our September 3rd letter:

Students and staff are required to self-screen and stay home when they are exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19. Parents and caregivers will be expected to screen their children before boarding the bus or entering the school. Students must stay home if sick or exhibiting symptoms. Students who exhibit symptoms at school will be immediately isolated and parents/guardians will be required to pick them up within an hour.

Please ensure your child knows the end of day plan and has everything they need for school that day when they arrive in the morning.

Challenging behaviours will be reported to the office. Administration will go to the classroom to support the difficult situation. If behaviour becomes a continual issue in the classroom or on the playground for a child, families will be contacted to pick up their child and the child may return and begin fresh the next day. We do not have space to retain children outside of their classrooms.

We are unable to maintain a lost and found. Please have your child check with their teacher for guidance if they are missing something.

Thank you for working with our staff and your children as we progress through this school year.

Mrs. Affleck, Principal