



SRPSD DISTANCE LEARNING CENTRE

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear DLC Families,

It is hard to believe that we are approaching the Easter Break already. Time is certainly flying by this year. We have some exciting activities happening this month including our family Scavenger Hunt and Eggciting Escape Room. Please check your email for links and instructions. As well, we hope that you will join us in celebrating Earth Day of April 22.

We continue to celebrate the great work done by our students and families on our website and social media platforms. Thank you for sharing your work with us! If you have other work that you would like us to showcase, please send it to DLCStaff@srsd119.ca and we'll be sure to post it!

The SRPSD Distance Learning Centre has evolved throughout our first year of operations, and we are excited to continue offering online learning for our families next year. We are constantly reflecting on our practices and encourage any feedback that you may have. In particular, we are hoping to share some of your positive experiences at the DLC with others in our community. Please feel free to contact me if you have something to share.

Finally, registration is now available for the 2021-22 school year. If you plan to register for next year, click here to access the google form.

Register
Now



Have a wonderful break with your family

Take Care.

- Carrie Grant-Walker, Principal



EARTH DAY

Thursday, April 22 is Earth Day!

We have some fun activities for all of you to do at home. Please check out the attachment for a choice board of activities. Staff will join in too!

Anyone who participates in Earth Day activities is invited to send us a picture to

DLCStaff@srsd119.ca

and we will post it on our website and social media platforms.



KEY DATES

April 2-9- Easter Break

April 12- Classes Resume

April 14 -Wacky Wednesday

Favorite Stuffed Animal Day

April 21 - SCC Meeting 6:30 pm
Zoom link will be emailed.

April 22 - Earth Day

April 30 - Block 4 Ends
All assignments Due!

K-8 INFORMATION



Such great adventures are happening in Mrs. Tait's Zoom Room! Walk-about Wednesdays have become an exciting part of the weekly plan for grade 2. Mrs. Tait visited the JM Cuelenaere Public Library where students took a virtual tour and learned about all of the great resources that can be borrowed if you have a library card. As well, they visited two museums- all from home! What a great way to see all that our wonderful community has to offer! Where will Mrs. Tait go this month?

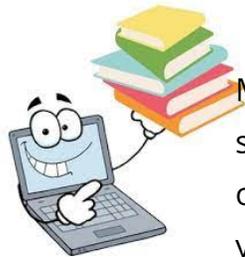
Grade 3 News: Mrs. Grimwood challenged the grade 3s to set SMART goals for reading or writing for the month of March. Congratulations to the following grade three students who achieved their goals: Ben J., Charlie M., Chloe L., Ghzan n., Jiya P., Rylan K., and Shehzeen A. Way to go!



The Grade 4's were busy this month taking part in our physical activity challenge. Students were asked to log their minutes of physical activity each day from March 10th-March 19th. Congratulations to Braydan, Eian and Chase who were our winner for achieving over 900 minutes of physical activity each. Our class has started a dance unit in Art and Mrs. Lavigne is enjoying all of the videos that are coming in. In Social Studies we took a virtual tour of the Parliament building in Ottawa as well as sent questions to our local mayor. He will be responding through video in the next few weeks.



Reading Groups



Mrs. Forbes and Mrs. McConechy have been busy working with small groups of K-3 students on their speech language and reading skills! So many great ways to learn online! Teachers have regularly scheduled reading group times too! Be sure to check your Seesaw messages or email so you don't miss out!

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

Block 4 - March 8 - April 30

- Google Meets are happening! Such a great way to connect with teachers!
- Teachers have been in contact with families this week about student progress.
- We encourage students to catch up on any late assignments over the break.
- Block 4 ends on April 30.
- Students who are on track to graduate have already been contacted. If you think you should be graduating this year, please contact Mrs. Grant-Walker immediately.
- **Mrs. Grant-Walker will begin calling students after the break to complete course selections for the 2021-22 school year. Plan to meet via Google Meet if possible. Please check out our website for courses offered next year.**

2021-2022 DLC REGISTRATION

We are excited to offer Distance Learning again for the 2021-22 school year. We are already beginning to plan for next year and have some ideas to make learning online even better! Our high school course offerings are now posted on our website. To register for next year please visit our website <https://dlc.srsd119.ca/> or click the register icon for our shortened Registration form.

Register
Now

Register Now!!!

SCHOOL EVENTS

Wacky Wednesday Spirit Day K-12

Our next school spirit day will take place on Wednesday, April 14th. The theme of this month's spirit day is "Your favorite stuffed animal day." We encourage all students to take a picture of themselves with their favorite stuffed animal and send the picture in to DLcstaff@srsd119.ca. There will be a chance to win some great prizes. We look forward to seeing some great stuffed animals. - Mr. Hazzard

The DLC is on Social Media! Follow us on:

- Online at: <https://dlc.srsd119.ca/>
- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/srpsddlc>
- Instagram: srpsd dlc
- Twitter: SRPSD_DLC

Next SCC Meeting is Wednesday, April 21 at 6:30 pm. Check your email for the zoom link.

Student Support Services

Counseling Services - Please contact us if your child would like to continue meeting with their school social worker.

PUBLIC HEALTH IMMUNIZATIONS

Who? Students in grades 6, 7, 8, and 9 who did not receive their second set of vaccines in grade 6 or their first set in grade 8 (this year or last year) to attend.

What? Mass School Immunization Clinic

Where? Prince Albert Exhibition Centre (West Hall)

When? April 7th and 8th

Time? 11 am - 7 pm

See attached letter from Public Health for details.

SPOTLIGHT ON STAFF

Mrs. Anderson-Klassen



My name is Pam Anderson Klassen. I received my Bachelor and Masters of Education degrees from the University of Saskatchewan. I am currently in my 26th year of teaching, most of which I have spent with Saskatchewan Rivers School Division. I have had various teaching roles in grades 7-12, spent some time as a learning consultant, branched out as an educational support teacher, and am now the grade 7 and 8 teacher with the Distance Learning Centre. I always knew I wanted to be a teacher. I enjoy the opportunity to connect with students and share my love of learning. Working at the DLC is an exciting challenge and opportunity to further my learning and connect with students and families in a new way.

When I am not at school, I enjoy spending time with my husband and two kids, reading, family vacations, and spending time at the lake.

My door is always open to students and parents.

Miss Winhold



My name is Carley Winhold. This is my first year of teaching and I am very excited about the challenge of starting my career as a distance teacher! This year I am teaching French Immersion grades K, 2-5, and 8.

I moved to Prince Albert in August after spending five years living in Regina attending the University of Regina, where I graduated with a Bachelor of Education, majoring in French and minoring in Visual Arts. My experience throughout my post-secondary education has primarily been in high school. My teaching experience is in grade 9 French Language Arts and grade 11 History.

I have a passion for language, history, and art, and love to spend time out in nature whenever possible. I recently took up quilting in my spare time and have made 2 quilts to date. I also enjoy reading (The Lord of the Rings is my favourite) and painting.

My favourite part of education is building connections with my students and watching them grow through learning. The best part is when a student "gets" a concept!



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Our offices are located in the library at Carlton Comprehensive High School.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

*Spring Programs
are Planned
Starting in May
2021*

The logo for River Riders Football, featuring the letters 'RR' in a large, stylized, red font with a white outline, and the word 'FOOTBALL' in a smaller, black, sans-serif font below it. The logo is set against a white, torn-paper-like background.

**Please follow our
Social Media Feeds
or Website for more
information on
upcoming programs**

- LITTLE TYKES (AGES 6-9)

- PEEWEE & BANTAM SIX-A-SIDE

**RIVER RIDERS
ARE BACK!!!**

www.pariverriders.com

FREE SPRING PROGRAMMING

April 6th - April 9th

Tuesday April 6th - Museum Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday April 7th - Exploring Beadwork Patterns from the Museum with Leah Dorion

Thursday April 8th - "What is it?" Artifact Guessing Game

Friday April 9th - Riverbank Walking Tour (*weather permitting*)



call 764-2992 or email
museumeducator@historypa.com
to book your spot today!



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