

December 1st, 2023

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Principal's Message

I have spent the past week reading over students' report cards that are going home on December 8th. These reports are now called Learning Updates and come with a new look. As I read, it was clear to me that steady progress across all grade levels is being achieved. This progress is the result of all the hard work that the students, staff, and families have put into learning. Well done Ecole Clearbrook Elementary!

The countdown to Winter Vacation is in full swing. While the holidays may be just around the corner, we have a lot of exciting events happening before then. We kick off the holiday season with National Grinch Day on Dec 1st, Christmas Spirit School Spirit Day on Dec 8th, our annual PAC Christmas Market on Dec 13th, PAC Pancake Breakfast on Dec 15th, Red & Green Day on Dec 15th, and Pajama Day on Dec 22nd. We are also so excited to host Ecole Clearbrook's Christmas Concert together as a whole school at the Abby Arts Centre on Dec 20th.

December will indeed be a busy month. I encourage all families to carve out some time in their hectic schedules to spend quality time with their loved ones. I wish our Clearbrook community a wonderful and restful holiday season and a Happy New Year!

Erica Hopkins Principal



Clearbrook Elementary has a Facebook page! Like our page "Clearbrook Elementary School" and check back often for updates, important reminders, school news and events!



2023-24 Bell Times

8:45 am Welcome Bell
8:50 am Classes Begin
10:20-10:35 am Recess
12:15-1:00 pm Lunch
2:41 pm Dismissal



Calendar of Events

Dec 1st: School Spirit Day- Grinch Day
Dec 1st: PAC Family Movie Night @ 6:00 pm
Dec 8th: School Spirit Day- Christmas Spirit Day

Dec 8th: Term 1 Report Cards Home

Dec 12th: Christmas Market Set Up After School

Dec 13th: PAC Christmas Market

Dec 15th: School Spirit Day- Red & Green Day
Dec 20th: Christmas Concert @ Abby Arts Centre

Dec 22nd: School Spirit Day- Pajama Day

Dec 22nd: Last Day of School Before Winter Break

Jan 8th: Back to School





Clearbrook Elementary PAC 5th Annual Christmas Market Wednesday, December 13th

Clearbrook's Christmas Market returns! The Christmas Market is a festive PAC fundraiser and an opportunity for all students to "shop" for items to gift their families for Christmas. All items at the market are \$1 each.

PAC is once again asking families to help make this year's Christmas Market a success by donating new or gently used toys, games, books, housewares, decor pieces, crafts, gadgets – things for Dads- and fashion accessory items for gifts to kids or adults – or a suggested \$5 donation we can use to purchase items with. NO PLUSH TOYS or CLOTHES PLEASE!!

We are also accepting rolls of wrapping paper & ribbons for our wrapping station!

Kindly bring in donation items from now until Dec 12th directly to the office. Please do not send donations to the classroom.

The market is a great way to give every child the opportunity to buy a gift for their siblings, friends, parents or grandparents before Christmas!

Parent helpers who have their criminal record checks completed are needed to help wrap gifts on Wednesday, Dec. 13th! Please contact PAC if you are able to help: clearbrookelementaryPAC@gmail.com

Parent Advisory Committee

All parents at Clearbrook Elementary are PAC parents! Clearbrook Elementary has a hard-working PAC that provides many wonderful opportunities, events and experiences for all students. New to PAC and PAC meetings? Come and see what it is all about!

Next PAC Meeting: January

Tuesday, January 23rd at 8:45 am in the Multipurpose Room.

Contact Us

Our PAC can be reached at: clearbrookelementaryPAC@gmail.com

Our PAC has a Facebook page: "Ecole Clearbrook Elementary PAC"

Parent Volunteers

Throughout the school year parent volunteers may be required to help in the school (in classrooms, on field trips, for PAC events etc.). All volunteers must complete a criminal record check before they are allowed to help. This record check is good for 5 years.

If you are interested in volunteering at the school this year, you are strongly encouraged to get a criminal record check as soon as possible. Current processing times can take up to 6 weeks!

Criminal record checks are completed through the School Board Office. Volunteers will need to show two pieces of I.D. (1 primary & 1 secondary). The School Board Office is located at 2790 Tims Street, V2T 4M7.





Christmas Concert

Clearbrook Elementary is trying a NEW venue and format for this year's Christmas Concert.

When: Wednesday, December 20th at 6:30 pm

Where: Abby Arts Centre (2329 Crescent Way, next

to Abbotsford Senior Secondary)

Time: Doors Open 6:00 pm. Concert is from 6:30-

8:00 pm

Admission: Due to the limited amount of seating available at the Abby Arts Centre, **only two tickets per family** will be initially given.

Detailed information about the concert and ticket information will be sent to families by December 4th.





Grinch Day

Our "National Grinch" School Spirit Day will be on Friday, December 1st. For this Spirit Day students and staff are encouraged to wear green like the Grinch, dress like a Who or Max the Dog! Students who participate will be entered into a draw to win a new book!

Christmas Spirit Day

Our "Christmas Spirit" School Spirit Day will be on Friday, December 8th. For this Spirit Day students and staff are encouraged to wear things that remind them of the holidays: reindeer antlers, red, green, gold, silver, holiday shirts, sparkles and glitter like a Christmas tree, snowmen, the Grinch, Santa etc.! Students who participate will be entered into a draw to win a new book!

Red & Green Day

Our "Red & Green" School Spirit Day will be on Friday, December 15th. For this Spirit Day students and staff are encouraged to wear the holiday colours of red and green! Students who participate will be entered into a draw to win a new book!

Pajama Day

Our "Pajama" School Spirit Day will be on Friday, December 22nd. For this Spirit Day students and staff are encouraged to wear their most comfy and cozy pajamas, slippers and robes! Students who participate will be entered into a draw to win a new book!



Remembrance Day

On November 9th students and staff solemnly honoured veterans and our country with a Remembrance Day assembly and a laying of the wreaths ceremony. Thank you to Clearbrook's choir, Mrs. Kirkham, Mrs. Trasolini, Mme. Sturgeon, Mrs. Hegberg, and Ms. Trigureo's class for your contributions to this day.





Diwali

On November 15th students and staff celebrated Diwali with an assembly, a school dance, painting diyas and enjoying a samosa treat from PAC! Thank you to Mrs. Kirkham, Mrs. Trasolini, Mme. Sturgeon, Ms. Nabata & Mrs. Salter's classes for your contributions to this day.



SchoolCashOnline Step-by-step sheet for parents/guardians

For safety and efficiency reasons, Abbotsford School District would like to reduce the amount of cash & cheques coming into our school. Please join the thousands of parents who have already registered and are enjoying the convenience of paying ONLINE! It takes less than 5 minutes to register. Please follow these step-by-step instructions, so you will begin to receive email notifications regarding upcoming events involving your child(ren).

NOTE: If you require assistance, select the GET HELP option in the top right hand corner of the screen.

Step 1: Register

- a) If you have not registered, please go to the School Cash Online home page https://abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com and select the "Get Started Today" option.
- b) Complete each of the three Registration Steps *For Security Reasons your password, requires 8 characters, one uppercase letter, one lowercase letter and a number.

Step 2: Confirmation Email

A registration confirmation email will be forwarded to you. Click on the link provided inside the email to confirm your email and School Cash Online account

The confirmation link will open the School Cash Online site prompting you to sign into your account. Use your email address and password just created with your account.

Step 3: Find Student

Note: Student Number is Not Required

This step will connect your children to your account.

- a) Enter the School Board Name
- b) Enter the School Name
- c) Enter Your Child's Name & Birth Date
- d) Select Continue
- e) On the next page confirm that you are related to the child, check in the Agree box and select Continue
- f) Your child has been added to your account

Step 4: View Items or Add Another Student

If you have more children, select "Add Another Student" option and repeat the steps above. 5 children can be added to one parent account.

If you do not wish to add additional children, select "View Items For Students" option. A listing of available items for purchase will be displayed.



SchoolCashCrime.com		
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Contact support at 1 8664	951 1903 or email paranthelp@schoo	kashonline com.
Thank you,		
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Note: all information is stored on a confidential basis on a server in Canada.

ਸਕੂਲ ਕੈਂਸ ਆਨਲਾਇਨ

ਸੁਰੱਖਿਆ ਅਤੇ ਭੁਸ਼ਲਤਾ ਕਾਰਨਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਐਬਟਸਟੇਰਡ ਸਭੂਲ ਡਿਸਟਰਿਕ ਸਭੂਲਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਆ ਰਹੇ ਕੈਸ਼ ਅਤੇ ਚੈਕਾਂ ਦਾ ਗਿਣਤੀ ਘਟਾਉਈ ਚਾਹੁੰਦਾ ਹੈ। ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਉਹਨਾ ਆਪਿਆਂ ਦੀ ਗਿਣਤੀ ਵਿੱਚ ਸ਼ਾਮਿਲ ਹੋਵੇ ਜੋ ਪਿਹਲਾ ਹੀ ਰਜਿਸਟਰ ਕਰ ਜੁੱਕੇ ਹਨ ਤੇ ਆਨਲਾਇਨ ਪੇਮਨਟ ਸੇਵਾ ਦਾ ਲਾਭ ਉਂਦਾ ਰਹੇ ਹਨ। ਰਜਿਸਟਰ ਕਰਨ ਨੂੰ ਸਿਰਫ 5 ਮਿੱਟ ਲਗਦੇ ਹਨ। ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਹੇਠਾਂ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਨਿਰਦੇਸ਼ ਦੀ ਪਾਲਣਾ ਕਰੇ ਤਾਂਕਿ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਆਪਣੇ ਬੱਚਿਆ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਚੱਲ ਰਹੀਆ ਗਤੀਵਿਧਿਆ ਬਾਰੇ ਈ-ਮੋਲਾ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਕਰ ਸਕੱ।

ਸੂਚਨਾ. ਜੇ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਮਦਦ ਦੀ ਲੋੜ ਹੋਵੇਂ ਤਾਂ ਸੱਜੇ ਪਾਸੇ ਉੱਪਰ ਦਿੱਤੇ 'GET HELP' ਉਪਸ਼ਨ ਦੀ ਚੋਣ ਕਰੋ।

ਪਿਹਲਾ ਕਦਮ : ਰਜਿਸਟਰ

- ਓ) ਜੇਕਰ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪਿਹਲਾ ਰਜਿਸਟਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤਾ ਹੈ ਤਾਂ ਸਕੂਲ ਕੈਂਸ ਆਨਲਾਇਨ ਵੇਬਸਾਇਟ ਦੇ ਪਿਹਲੇ ਪੈਨੇ https://abbotsford_schoolcashonline.com ਤੇ ਜਾਓ ਅਤੇ "Get Started Today" ਆਪਸ਼ਨ ਜੁਣੇ।
- ਅ) ਰਜਿਸਟਰ ਬਿਰਿਆ ਦੇ ਤਿੰਨਾ ਕਦਮਾ ਦੀ ਪਾਲਣਾ ਕਰੋ। "ਸੁਰੱਖਿਆ ਕਾਰਨਾ ਕਰਕੇ, ਪਾਸਵਰਡ ਵਿੱਚ 8 ਅੱਖਰ, ਇੱਕ ਛੋਟਾ ਅੱਖਰ, ਇੱਕ ਵੱਡਾ ਅੱਖਰ ਅਤੇ ਇੱਕ ਨੈਬਰ ਹੋਣਾ ਜ਼ਰੂਰੀ ਹੈ।

ਦੂਜਾ ਕਦਮ : ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਪੁਸ਼ਟੀ

ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਪੁਸਬੀ ਲਈ ਇੱਕ ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਡੇਜੀ ਜਾਵੇਗੀ। ਆਪਣਾ ਐਡਰੈਸ ਅਤੇ ਸਕੂਲ ਕੈੱਸ ਆਨਲਾਇਨ ਖਾਤਾ ਪੁਸੁਬੀ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਵਿੱਚ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਗਏ ਲਿੰਕ ਤੇ ਕਲਿਕ ਕਰੋਂ।

ਦਿੱਤਾ ਹੋਇਆ ਲਿੰਕ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਸਕੂਲ ਕੈੱਸ਼ ਆਨਲਾਇਨ ਵੈਬਸਾਇਟ ਤੇ ਲੈ ਜਾਏਗਾ ਅਤੇ ਖਾਤੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਾਇਨ ਇਨ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਪੁਛੇਗਾ। ਸਾਇਨ ਇਨ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਆਪਣੀ ਹੁਣੇ ਬਣਾਈ ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਅਤੇ ਪਾਸਵਰਡ ਭਰੋ।

ਤੀਜਾ ਕਦਮ : ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਲੱਭੋ

ਸੂਚਨਾ : ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਖਾਤਾ ਨੰਬਰ ਦੀ ਲੋੜ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੈ।

ਇਹ ਕਦਮ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਬੱਚੇ ਨੂੰ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਖਾਤੇ ਨਾਲ਼ ਜੋੜੇਗਾ।

- ਓ) ਸਕੂਲ ਬੋਰਡ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਭਰੋ।
- ਅ) ਸਕੂਲ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਭਰੋ।
- ੲ) ਆਪਣੇ ਬੱਚੇ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਅਤੇ ਜਨਮ ਤਰੀਕ ਭਰੇ।
- ਸ) ਕੈਨਟੀਨਿਊ ਜੂਵੇਂ।
- ਹ) ਅਗਲੇ ਪੱਨੇ ਤੇ ਪੁਸ਼ਟੀ ਕਰੇ ਕੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਬੱਚੇ ਨਾਲ਼ ਤਾਲੁਕ ਰੱਖਦੇ ਹੋ, ਸਹਿਮਤੀ ਡਿੱਥੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਲਿੱਕ ਕਰੇ ਅਤੇ ਕੰਨਟੀਨਿਊ ਚੁਣੋਂ।
- ਕ) ਤੁਹਾਡਾ ਬੱਚਾ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਖਾਤੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਦਰਜ ਹੋ ਚੁਕਾ ਹੈ

ਚੈਂਬਾ ਕਦਮ : ਖਾਤਾ ਵੇਖੋ ਜਾ ਹੋਰ ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਦਰਜ ਕਰੋ

ਜੇਕਰ ਤੁਹਾਡਾ ਕੋਈ ਹੋਰ ਬੈਂਚਾ ਹੈ ਤਾਂ "Add Another Student" ਆਪਸ਼ਨ ਚੁਣੇ ਅਤੇ ਉਪਰਲੇ ਕਦਮ ਦਹੁਰਾਓ। ਇੱਕ ਮਾਪੇ ਦੇ ਖਾਤੇ ਵਿੱਚ 5 ਬੈਂਚੇ ਦਰਜ ਕੀਤੇ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੇ ਹਨ।

ਜੇਕਰ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਹੋਰ ਬੱਚਾ ਦਰਜ ਨਹੀਂ ਕਰਨਾ ਚਹੁੰਨਦੇ ਤਾਂ "View Items For Students" ਚੁਣੇ। ਖਰੀਦਣ ਯੋਗ ਸਾਮਾਨ ਦੀ ਇੱਕ ਸੂਚੀ ਵਿਖਾਈ ਜਾਵੇਗੀ।



