

# Newsletter



École Clearbrook  
Elementary School

January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026

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## Principal's Message

Happy New Year! I hope all our Ecole Clearbrook students, families and staff had a wonderful winter break and were able to find some joy, rest, and good health.

We are very excited to start the new year and look forward to the learning and activities we have planned for Term 2! At the end of January we will be celebrating our annual "Love of Reading Day".

In February we will be celebrating Carnaval de Quebec. Students will spend a week in February learning about this French-Canadian festival with activities at school and an optional at-home family project. In February we will be learning about and celebrating Lunar New Year. February is also a time to connect with your child's teacher during Parent Teacher Conferences.

In March we will be busy with PE focused field trips, our second annual Holi celebration. There is so much to look forward to in Term 2!

Erica Hopkins  
Principal



## 2025-26 Bell Times

8:45 am	Welcome Bell
8:50 am	Classes Begin
10:20-10:35 am	Recess
12:15-1:00 pm	Lunch
2:43 pm	Dismissal



## Calendar of Events

Jan 5 <sup>th</sup> :	School Re-Opens
Jan 19 <sup>th</sup> :	English Kindergarten Registration Opens
Jan 20 <sup>th</sup> :	PAC Meeting @ 6:00 pm in Library
Jan 19 <sup>th</sup> -23 <sup>rd</sup> :	Rollerblading in Gym
Jan 26 <sup>th</sup> -30 <sup>th</sup> :	French Kindergarten Lotto Open
Jan 30 <sup>th</sup> :	Love of Reading Day



## Love of Reading Day

### School Spirit Day (Book Character Day)

On Friday, January 30<sup>th</sup> Clearbrook is celebrating the Love of Reading with special reading events throughout the day. To show your School Spirit, dress up as your favourite character from a book on Friday. Where's Waldo? Pete the Cat? Harry Potter? Princesses or Super Heroes? There is a book for everything! Participants will be entered into a class draw to win a new book.

### Book Swap

On Friday, January 30<sup>th</sup> we are holding a free Book Swap for our students to promote the joy of reading at home! This is a great opportunity for parents to do a little winter cleaning. We are looking for children's book donations to set up a book "store" for students to "shop" and take home a new-to-them book that they can keep. We are collecting children's book donations now until January 29<sup>th</sup>. Please bring your book donations to the table outside our main office. Thank you for supporting our love of reading!

## Kindergarten Registration

English Kindergarten registration for September 2026 begins on Monday, January 19<sup>th</sup>.

If your child is turning 5 years old in 2026, they are eligible to register for English kindergarten! English Kindergarten registration begins on Monday, January 19<sup>th</sup>.

***Interested in the French Immersion kindergarten program?*** First, register for English kindergarten. Then enter the French Immersion Kindergarten Lottery between Monday, January 26<sup>th</sup> and Friday, January 30<sup>th</sup>.

Please contact the office for more information about the registration process.



## 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 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm in the Library.

## Contact Us

Our PAC can be reached at:

[clearbrookelementaryPAC@gmail.com](mailto:clearbrookelementaryPAC@gmail.com)

Our PAC has a Facebook page:

"Ecole Clearbrook Elementary PAC"

## December Events & Activities



## 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

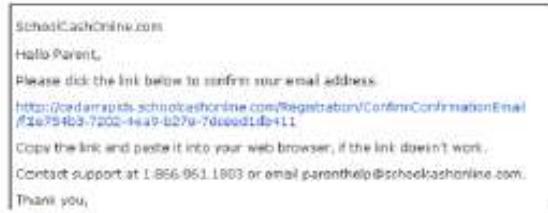
- If you have not registered, please go to the School Cash Online home page <https://abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com> and select the "Get Started Today" option.
- Complete each of the three Registration Steps  
\*For Security Reasons your password, requires **8 characters, one uppercase letter, one lowercase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

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

#### Find Student

##### School Information

School Board Name: School Board 1575

Looking for a student in a different school board?

School Name:

##### Student Information

Do you have the student number?

Student Number:

First Name:

Last Name:

Birth Date:

Date format: mmdd/yyyy

**Continue**

(No students? [Click here](#))

#### 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.

*Note: all information is stored on a confidential basis on a server in Canada.*

## ਸਕੂਲ ਕੈਸ ਆਨਲਾਈਨ

ਨੁਰਾਖਿਆ ਅਤੇ ਭੁਜਲਤਾ ਕਾਰਨਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਐਕਟਸਟੋਰਕ ਸਕੂਲ ਕਿਸਟਰਿਕ ਸਕੂਲ ਵਿੱਚ ਆ ਰਹੇ ਕੈਸ ਅਤੇ ਚੈਕਾਂ ਦਾ ਗਿਣਤੀ ਘਟਾਉਣੀ ਚਾਹੁੰਦਾ ਹੈ। ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਮਾਪਿਆਂ ਦੀ ਗਿਣਤੀ ਵਿੱਚ ਸ਼ਾਮਿਲ ਹੋਵੇ ਜੇ ਪਿਛਲਾ ਹੀ ਰਜਿਸਟਰ ਕਰ ਚੁੱਕੇ ਹਨ ਤੇ ਆਨਲਾਈਨ ਪੇਮਨਟ ਸੇਵਾ ਦਾ ਲਾਭ ਉਦਾ ਰਹੇ ਹਨ। ਰਜਿਸਟਰ ਕਰਨ ਨੂੰ ਸਿਰਫ 5 ਮੈਂਟ ਲਗਦੇ ਹਨ। ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਹੇਠਾਂ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਲਿਹਾਂਦੇ ਹੀ ਪਾਲਾਂ ਕਰੋ ਤਾਂਕਿ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਆਪਣੇ ਬੱਚੇਅਾ ਸ਼ਬਦੀ ਹੌਲੀਆ ਗਤੀਵਿਧੀਆ ਕਰੋ ਈ-ਮੇਲਾ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਕਰ ਸਕੋ।

ਤੁਹਾਨਾਂ ਜੇ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਮਰਦ ਦੀ ਲੋੜ ਹੋਵੇ ਤਾਂ ਜੱਜੇ ਪਾਸੇ ਉਪਰ ਵਿੱਚ 'GET HELP' ਉਪਸਰਨ ਦੀ ਹੋਈ ਕਰੋ।

### ਪਿਹਲਾ ਕਦਮ : ਰਜਿਸਟਰ

ਇ) ਸੇਵਰ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪਿਹਲਾ ਰਜਿਸਟਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤਾ ਹੈ ਤੇ ਸਕੂਲ ਕੈਸ ਆਨਲਾਈਨ ਵੈਕਸ਼ਾਈਟ ਦੇ ਪਿਛੇ ਪੈਂਨ <https://abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com> ਤੇ ਜਾਓ ਅਤੇ "Get Started Today" ਆਪਸ਼ਨ ਹੁੰਦੇ।

ਅ) ਰਜਿਸਟਰ ਕਿਰਿਆ ਦੇ ਤਿੰਨ ਕਦਮ ਦੀ ਪਾਲਾ ਕਰੋ।

'ਨੁਰਾਖਿਆ ਕਾਰਨਾ ਕਰਕੇ, ਪਾਸਵਰਡ ਵਿੱਚ 8 ਅੰਖਰ, ਇੱਕ ਛੇਟਾ ਅੰਖਰ, ਇੱਕ ਵੱਡਾ ਅੰਖਰ ਅਤੇ ਇੱਕ ਨੰਬਰ ਹੋਵੇ ਜ਼ਰੂਰੀ ਹੈ।

### ਦੂਜਾ ਕਦਮ : ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਪੁਸ਼ਟੀ

ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਪੁਸ਼ਟੀ ਲਈ ਇੱਕ ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਭੇਜੀ ਜਾਂਦੀ ਹੈ। ਆਪਣਾ ਮੈਡਰੈਸ ਅਤੇ ਸਕੂਲ ਕੈਸ ਆਨਲਾਈਨ ਖਾਤਾ ਪੁਸ਼ਟੀ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਵਿੱਚ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਗਏ ਲੰਕ ਤੇ ਕਿਲਕ ਕਰੋ।

ਦਿੱਤਾ ਹੋਏਂਦਾ ਲੰਕ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਸਕੂਲ ਕੈਸ ਆਨਲਾਈਨ ਵੈਕਸ਼ਾਈਟ ਤੇ ਲੇ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਅਤੇ ਖਾਤੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਾਈਟ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਪੁਸ਼ਟਾ ਸਾਈਟ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਆਪਣੀ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਬਣਾਈ ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਅਤੇ ਪਾਸਵਰਡ ਭਰੋ।

### ਤੀਜਾ ਕਦਮ : ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਲੱਭੋ

ਤੁਹਾਨਾਂ : ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਖਾਤਾ ਨੰਬਰ ਦੀ ਲੋੜ ਲਵੀ ਹੈ।

ਇਹ ਕਦਮ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਬੱਚੇ ਨੂੰ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਖਾਤੇ ਨਾਲ ਸੇਵੇਗਾ।

ਇ) ਸਕੂਲ ਬੋਰਡ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਭਰੋ।

ਅ) ਸਕੂਲ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਭਰੋ।

ਇ) ਆਪਣੇ ਬੰਦੇ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਅਤੇ ਜਨਮ ਤਰੀਕ ਭਰੋ।

ਜ) ਕੰਨੀਟੀਵਿਊ ਚੁਣੋ।

ਹ) ਆਗਲੇ ਪੱਧਰ ਤੇ ਪ੍ਰਤਾਪੀ ਕਰੋ ਕੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਕੰਦੇ ਨਾਲ ਤਾਹਾਕ ਰੱਖਦੇ ਹੋ, ਸਹਿਮਤੀ ਕਿਥੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਕੰਲਿਕ ਕਰੋ ਅਤੇ ਕੰਨੀਟੀਵਿਊ ਚੁਣੋ।

ਵ) ਤੁਹਾਨਾਂ ਬੰਦੇ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਖਾਤੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਦਰਜ ਹੋ ਚੁਕਾ ਹੈ।

### ਚੌਥਾ ਕਦਮ : ਖਾਤਾ ਵੇਖੋ ਜਾਂ ਹੋਰ ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਦਰਜ ਕਰੋ

ਸੇਵਰ ਤੁਹਾਨਾਂ ਕੋਈ ਹੋਰ ਕੰਚ ਹੈ ਤੇ "Add Another Student" ਆਪਸ਼ਨ ਚੁਣੋ ਅਤੇ ਉਪਰਲੇ ਕਦਮ ਦੁਹੁਰਾਓ। ਇੱਕ ਮਾਪੇ ਦੇ ਖਾਤੇ ਵਿੱਚ 5 ਬੰਦੇ ਦਰਜ ਕੀਤੇ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੇ ਹਨ।

ਸੇਵਰ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਹੋਰ ਕੰਚ ਦਰਜ ਨਹੀਂ ਕਰਨਾ ਰਹ੍ਯਾ ਹੈ ਤੇ "View Items For Students" ਚੁਣੋ। ਖਾਤੀਦਾਤ ਯੋਗ ਸਾਮਾਨ ਦੀ ਇੱਕ ਸੁਚੀ ਦਿਖਾਈ ਜਾਂਦੀ ਹੈ।

### School Cash Online

Paying school items just got easier!  
Sign up to get started today.

What is School Cash Online?  
School Cash Online is an easy to use, safe way to  
pay your children's school fees.



Get Started Today

Sign into Your Account

SchoolCashOnline.com

Help! Parent.

Please click the link below to confirm your email address.

<http://www.parent.schooldashonline.com/registration/ContentConfirmationEmail/1617543-1788-4ea9-b27e-0e0ed1d411>

Copy the link and paste it into your web browser, if the link doesn't work.

Contact support at 1.866.961.3003 or email [parent@schoolcashonline.com](mailto:parent@schoolcashonline.com).

Thank you.

### Find Student

#### School Information

School Board Name: School Board 1575

Looking for a student in a different school board? [Click here](#)

School Name: Eagle High School

#### Student Information

Do you have the student number?

Student Number:

First Name:

Last Name:

Birth Date:

Date format: mm/dd/yyyy

Continue

(No students? [Click here](#))