



Division 9 Newsletter

(Le bulletin de la Division 9)

June 2022



Bonjour à tous!

June is the last month of school! Wow! This school year has flown by and we have learned so much together as Division 9.

It has truly been a privilege to teach your children this year. They are hardworking and fun, creative and critical. In the month we have left together, we will be exploring more storytelling and theatre, themes of friendship and caring for our community and environment.

We will be writing more stories and continuing French grammar work (so far, we have covered nouns, pronouns, prepositions, and articles, which has helped us expand our writing vocabulary and understanding of sentence structure!). In Math, we will work on geometry and then financial literacy. In Science, we will continue with our study of local animals. For Social Studies, we will be learning about Coast Salish technologies such as building construction, tools, and art.

We have a busy few weeks ahead before summer break! There is always much to learn.

Merci beaucoup,
Mme Anderson

Important Dates:

Monday, June 6: Pro-D Day for staff – no school for students

Friday, June 10:
Sports Day – early dismissal 1:00.

Thursday, June 16:
Picnic with Division 11

Tuesday, June 21:
National Indigenous Peoples Day

Wednesday, June 22:
Shellevate presentation in class

Thursday, June 23: Loonie Swim at MacPherson Pool, 1:00-3:00pm

Wednesday, June 29:
Last day of Grade 3!
8:55 – 10:25 a.m.

Classroom Updates

Loonie Swim at MacPherson Pool with Division 7

Along with Mme Fox's Grade 4/5s, we will be walking to MacPherson Pool on June 23rd for the Loonie Swim. This will be free for students, covered by PAC funding! Please ensure your child has a swimsuit, towel, sunscreen, water bottle, lunch and snack, and walking shoes. Please note that due to our scheduled time with the pool, we plan to return to the school between 3:00 and 3:15. If this will cause a great difficulty for your family for pickup, please let me know.

Thank you to those who have offered to chaperone! I will be connecting with you to confirm plans.

Weekly Schedule

Monday	Early dismissal at 1:58pm
Tuesday	Library (1:30-2:00)
Wednesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">PHE with Mme Anderson (9:30-10:00)Music with Ms. Loo (1:25-2:05)
Thursday	PHE with Mme Parks (9:20-9:55)
Friday	Music with Ms. Loo (9:55-10:30)

Fun Fact!

La Colombie-Britannique est la troisième plus grande province du pays. Il y a plus de 200 Premières nations distinctes!



Classroom Updates, continued

Picnic Field Trip with Division 11

We will be going on a walking field trip to a local park with Mme Slobodnick's Grade 2s as a chance to connect, play and celebrate our hard work this year! More information will be sent home in the next week.

Shellevate Presentation

Grade 11 students at St. George's school will be visiting our class to share about their non-profit called Shellevate, which repurposes eggshells from various restaurants across Vancouver for new uses in fertilizer and sidewalk chalk. Students will learn about sustainability and waste reduction!

Class Economy

In learning financial literacy, Division 9 will be creating our own money, and earning "wages" for completing class jobs. Please remind your child to keep real money and other personal belongings (such as toys and stuffed animals) at home as they can be lost or damaged at school.

Taking home completed work and materials

I will be sending home art projects and other completed work as we near the end of the term. The final week of school, I will send home students' materials, extra clothing and shoes.

Health Checks Reminder

Please continue to monitor for these symptoms before leaving for school. If your child answers "Yes" to any of the questions below, he/she/they must stay home:

Are you experiencing any of the following?

- **Fever higher than 38 degrees**
- **Chills**
- **Cough**
- **Loss of sense of smell or taste**
- **Difficulty breathing**
- **Sore throat**
- **Loss of appetite**
- **Headache or body aches**
- **Extreme fatigue or tiredness**
- **Nausea or vomiting**
- **Diarrhea**

Thank you for taking care to ensure your child is healthy before sending them to school. It is truly appreciated!

French vocabulary to practice at home



Le soleil



Il fait chaud



Un thermomètre



Des vagues



Une parasol



Un masque et un tuba



De la pastèque



De la crème solaire



Des lunettes de soleil



Un ballon de plage



Une glace



Des tongs



Une pelle et un seau

