

# School Council Principal Report

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## February/March 2024

### PBIS Monthly Focus:

*How does your child show caring?  
How does your child do their best?*



### School Population – Quick Facts

688 total students  
32 classrooms K-5

- **11% of our students** have significant learning needs
- **7% of our students** are learning English as an additional language
- **7% of our students** self-identify as First Nations, Indigenous, Metis, or Inuit

### Building Resilient Students: Series for Parents - with Mme Hooper

**March's Focus:** Building Resilient Students: Managing Conflict 101  
Scan the QR Code to see the presentation →



### Highlights from January & February:

- **French Culture Week** at the end of January
- **PBIS February Focus:** We Care- thank you to the Grade 1 Team for making the We Care Assembly Videos in both languages
- **Literacy Week was great fun – special activities and dress up days!**
- **Have a Heart Day** letters to MLAs
- **Love Lollies fundraiser with grade 5 Student Council** raising \$600 towards a charity of their choice
- **WOOT WOOT WAGON!** Treats for staff from School Council
- **WinSport Ski Trip Rescheduled**
- **Black History Month**
- **Pink Shirt Day Assembly**
- **Stepping Stones to Mental Health**
- **Staffing Updates:** Welcome Mme Grist, Mrs. Mahan, and Mrs. McCord to our team!

### March Parent Input Survey:

1. What are the ways that your child demonstrates their learning at school and at home?
2. What are the benefits you see from your child participating in leadership opportunities?

Complete the survey now! Join at [menti.com](https://www.menti.com)

**Use code 19669357**

### Upcoming School Events:

- March is GEAR month
- Alien-in-Line skating
- March 11- PL day
- March 20<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Student Learning Showcases
- March 18-22<sup>nd</sup> Book Fair
- March 21<sup>st</sup> – Rock your Socks for Down Syndrome Awareness Day

**Deadline for Alberta Education Assurance Measures Surveys March 11<sup>th</sup>**

### Parent Reminders:

**Parents, watch for classroom updates and news weekly or bi-weekly from teachers.**

When you have a question, reach out to the teacher.

Be sure to check out our school's monthly newsletter the Family Express sent home at the end of each month

### Parents, please see PowerSchool to review your child's learning assessments and progress.

Teachers are reporting online in PowerSchool throughout the month in subject areas. This is our online report card, accessible to all parents and guardians, all the time.

**Read every night with your child, practice math facts, and set up learning routines to help build their independence and mastery!**

## School Goals & Continuous Improvement

2023-2024 School Education Plan focuses on 3 goals:

1) **How might we engage students in their literacy and numeracy success?**

*School Goal: Students are performing math and reading at or above grade level.*

2) **How might we build student leadership across the school community?**

*School Goal: Students have a sense of purpose in life, understand their own and other cultures, and are goal oriented, building leadership skills.*

3) **How might we create inclusive, engaging, and healthy learning opportunities for all students?**

*School Goal: Students are happy, healthy, feel they belong and are safe, and experience success in learning environments that are inclusive of every learner.*

### Hello March!

How can you  
**DO YOUR BEST**  
this month?

- ✓ Make good, careful choices
- ✓ Challenge yourself to do things that are not easy. Push yourself in your learning.
- ✓ Stay positive and persevere – do not give up!
- ✓ Think about and reflect on the person you are becoming and how you can be your very best self.



### Bonjour mars!

Comment pouvez-vous  
**FAIRE DE VOTRE MEUX**  
ce mois-ci?

- ✓ Faisons des bons choix
- ✓ Essayons des choses qui sont difficiles et nouveaux!
- ✓ Soyons positives: perséverons, et continuons!
- ✓ Réfléchissons de comment nous grandissons! Nous changeons pour la meilleur chaque jour!

