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Teacher Message

Bonjour division 33 families,

Thank you for patience and kindness and we all get settled into the new school year. Now that we're into our third week of school, we are moving forward with our learning routines and building the independence and responsibilities of being in 3ⁱème and 4ⁱème année. Not often in French Immersion do students have the opportunity build new relationships with peers like we have this year. The grade fours have been setting an example for our threes and as a whole class we have shown an understanding and respect to where everyone is with their learning. Throughout the school year we will be learning along side the other grade 3/4 class. In the classroom each grade will have their specific learning outcomes. Instruction will be at times whole group and separate grade lessons. This will mean each grade will need to work independently when the other is in a lesson.

School supplies: Thank you to everyone who has brought in their labelled school supplies.

One binder will be left in the classroom and used as a learning portfolio. This portfolio will be displayed at student-led conferences and brought home with report cards.

***Grade 4 families – If you have duotangs at home please send 4-5 to school.**

Social and Emotional Learning

This year we are shifting from Heather Park Heroes to Heather Park Rocks!

R – Respect

O-Ownership

C-Collaboration

K-Kindness

S-Safety

Important days of the week:

Wednesday- orange shirt day at École Heather Park

Friday - bibliothèque

Upcoming Dates:

Friday September 22nd – 1pm Terry Fox Assembly & Run

Tuesday September 26th – Open House 6pm-7pm

Friday September 29th – Orange Shirt Day

October 2nd – No School, National Day of Truth and Reconciliation Day

October 6th – Student photo day

October 9th – No School, Thanksgiving Monday

October 25th & 26th – Early Dismissal 1:34pm & Student led conferences.

Truth and Reconciliation Week September 25-29th

We will be weaving indigenous ways of learning throughout the year. This week is dedicated to Truth and Reconciliation, to honour the children of residential schools.

Electronics & Toys

Toys and electronics are to be kept at home. Cellphones should be kept at home and if this is not option it stays in their backpack while at school.

Health and Safety

Illness has already been spreading around the school. If your child is sick please keep them home and contact our school office, this way they can mark the attendance accordingly and you will not get a call home in the morning. attendance@hpar.sd57.bc.ca

We will be starting our 3 mandatory fire drills next week. This year students will be informed when they are happening due to the impact forest fires have had on our province this season.

Merci beaucoup,



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