

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS

From the desk of the NCDSB Attendance Counsellor



Dear Parents and Guardians,

Take advantage of fun school events and activities this Spring. These opportunities provide your child with positive and hands on learning experiences allowing your child to:

- Build Routines
- Connect with other students & teachers
- Get excited about learning
- Develop and practice skills

Every school day provides an opportunity to learn and grow.

Sincerely,

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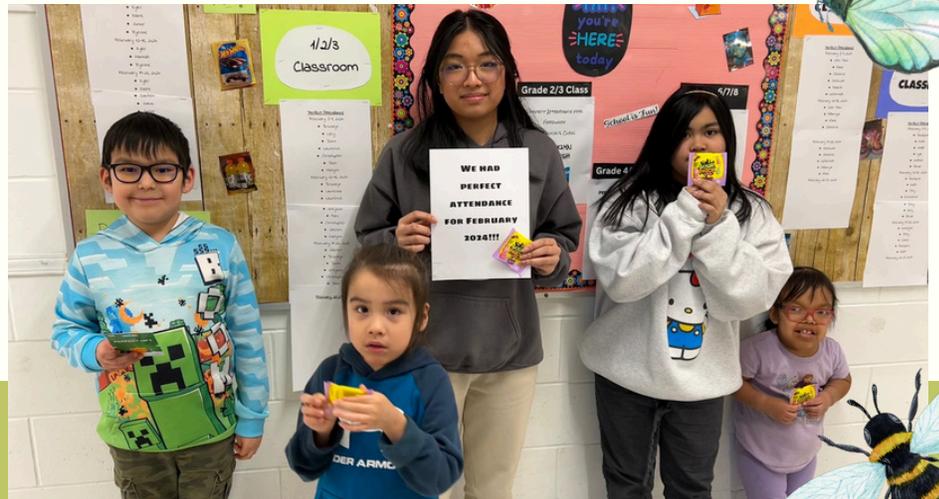
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SPRING FUN

Did you know?

School Absenteeism is associated with lower academic achievement in reading and math, which can cause students to struggle in later years academically, emotionally and financially.



"It always seems impossible until it's done."
- Nelson Mandela

SPRING INTO SCHOOL



Be Curious - Take interest in your child's learning experiences by asking open ended questions. Ex: What games did you play at recess? Tell me something new you learned today. What made you feel happiest today?



Be Involved - Make a difference in your school community by volunteering or participating in parent council. Participate/attend special events planned by your child's school. Post a copy of your child's monthly school calendar on your fridge, so your child can keep track and be prepared for upcoming events.

Be Engaged - Learn who your child's friends are and create opportunities for your child to socialize with their friends outside of school hours. Stay connected to school friends over the summer by planning trips to the park, bike rides, play dates, beach days, etc.

Be Committed - Be a life long learner! Try new experiences with your child to help them become excited about learning. Ex: new recipes, new sports/activities, practice skills that are difficult. Remember, making mistakes helps our brain grow!



"No matter what happens in life, be good to people. Being good to people is a wonderful legacy to leave behind"
- Taylor Swift