



École Vickers Public School



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2021

Monday lundi	Tuesday mardi	Wednesday mercredi	Thursday jeudi	Friday vendredi
30 No Classes	31 No Classes	1 No Classes	2 Classes Begin	3
6 Labour Day No School	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27 <i>Picture Day!</i>	28 <i>Picture Day!</i>	29	30	

Upcoming Important Dates:

October 6 – SCC Meeting at 6:30 p.m. via ZOOM

October 8 – PLC (no classes)

October 11 – Thanksgiving (no classes)

October 21 – Boston Pizza Hot Lunch

October 28 – Picture Re-takes



Principal's Message 2021-22

Welcome! Bienvenue! The first few weeks of school have been flying by as we get into our new routines. We continue to follow Covid protocols with wearing masks, good hand hygiene, and daily cleaning and disinfecting. We are currently staggering our recesses and will monitor it as the year progresses. The best support we can have from our parents and caregivers is to monitor your child's (ren's) health and keep them home if they have symptoms.

Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division is committed to literacy and "*Excellence for Every Learner.*" The staff at Vickers are dedicated to literacy and have high expectations for our students. We continue to focus on a math goal this year and have added many new math games and strategies to make learning math fun. We also have two math coaches in our school building to support our learning.

Parent engagement in the school is crucial to your child's success. We always appreciate your input so please feel free to call or email us to share your thoughts and questions. We are in the process of switching over to EDSBY as a means of doing daily attendance; teacher gradebook; and as a communication tool between home and school. As we learn this new system, we will have parents sign up in the future . . . watch for information on it. We also have a new online method of paying school fees, hot lunches, etc. Sign up for School Cash (link in newsletter) it only takes minutes to set up.

We have many exciting things happening on our playground this fall – new swings; the outdoor learning areas; and replacing some damaged play equipment. Please be patient, as we may have to shift student entrances/exits over the next few weeks.

I wish everyone a successful 2021-22 school year filled with exciting new learning opportunities!

Mrs. J. Green
Principal

École Vickers Public School Picture Day



Picture Day is fast approaching for the 2021-22 school year. Our school picture day will again run over two days this year, **Monday, September 27 and Tuesday, September 28** (schedules to follow). Proofs will come a few weeks after Picture Day and will be distributed to each student to take home and order pictures. There will be two ways to order pictures;

- 1- Return the paper envelop to school with payment by the given date. Shipping will be free as long as envelopes are returned by the designated day written on the envelop and picture orders will be delivered to the school.
- 2- Order online following the instructions provided on the proofs package. Shipping will be free and picture orders will be delivered to the school, as long as, the order is placed within the first 40 days after the proofs have been handed out. If the order is placed after the first 40 days, you will have to pay shipping fees and the picture will be shipped to your home address rather than the school.

If your child misses Picture Day or needs re-takes there will be a re-take day on **Thursday, October 28**. Lifetouch has notified the school that if your child needs re-take pictures they will likely not be able to distribute pictures before Christmas break.



Mrs. Jennie Green
Mme Cantin
Mr. Kuzma



Parents and Caregivers, if you enter the school, please wear a mask (we can provide you with one), sanitize your hands, and sign in with your name and contact information on the table across from the office. Thank you for your cooperation.



The Library is excited to welcome students back! Library visits and book borrowing will begin on Tuesday, September 7.

École Vickers Public School Library is full of wonderful reading choices for our students and classrooms! We are excited to offer selections for students to read and enjoy as they return to the building and our school community. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to email me at kristinfischer@srsd119.ca

If any École Vickers Public School Library material was found at home, please return it to the library. Misplaced materials often find their way into backpacks and homes. Each classroom has a regularly scheduled library visit, please help encourage the exploration of library books and their return. It is always exciting to read something new and explore the library!

Watch for upcoming dates and times for the November Scholastic Book Fair!

SCHOOL ACTIVITY FEE

If you have not paid your child's School Activity Fees please sign up using the link below for School Cash Online.

This fee is collected to assist in covering the costs of optional activities or events that would enhance the regular school programming and would enrich the education of participating students. Some examples of these are out of school educational experiences, activities, presentations and/or speakers.

The fee is \$10.00 for Kindergarten and \$20.00 for Gr 1-8 & Dev Ed.



Make online payments with
SchoolCashOnline

- ✓ **Field Trips**
- ✓ **Sports Events**
- ✓ **Activity Fees**

 **KEV GROUP**
School Cash Simplified

Registration for School Cash Online is now available! Please visit www.srsd119.ca/school-cash-online/ for instructions.

INCLEMENT WEATHER



For the most part, we want our students to enjoy playing outdoors before school, during both recesses, and the noon hour. On rainy days, we allow students to come into the school upon their arrival and remain indoors during all breaks. In the winter, we use -30 degrees Celsius as our cut off to remain indoors. If the temperature and/or wind-chill in combination with the temperature exceed -30, then all students are permitted in the school in the morning and during break times. **We do expect that all students be dressed appropriately for the weather, as there are many cold days that students are expected to be outdoors.**



PEDESTRIAN SAFETY



Our staff parking lots are a “no drop off zone” as they are out of bounds for students. We urge parents to support us in this safety endeavor by dropping off your children on the west side of the school on Olive Diefenbaker Drive; on Bradbury Drive, east of the Special Needs bus zone and between Gisi Road and Olive Diefenbaker Drive. We encourage the children to cross all streets in a safe manner by crossing at the corner or at cross walks. Teacher supervision is also provided at our major crosswalks. The Community Club rink parking lot is the bus pick up zone after school for our French Immersion busses, and a convenient place for French Immersion parents to meet their children for pick up.

We ask that you, please, respect the residents that border the school. Please refrain from turning around in or blocking neighboring driveways, as this is disruptive to the homeowners.

One other item of note, please remember that there have been changes made to the Traffic Bylaw which now prohibits U-turns in school zones. In an effort to improve the safety of our children, the City of Prince Albert has added this safety measure. There is a \$100 fine for violating this restriction.

Our Vickers' school zone is between Bradbury Drive and Olive Diefenbaker Drive.

ECOLE VICKERS

PIZZA

CHEESE	\$ 2.50
PEPPERONI	\$ 2.50
DAY OLD	\$ 1.50

LARGE SNACKS

CRISPERS	\$ 1.50
LARGE OREOS	\$ 1.50
SUN CHIPS	\$ 1.50
RITZ	\$ 1.50
NIBS	\$ 1.50

SMALL SNACKS

SMALL OREOS	\$ 1.00
WAGON WHEELS	\$ 1.00
RICE CRISPS	\$ 1.00
LAYS CHIPS	\$ 1.00
SESAME COOKIES	\$ 1.00
HOT RODS	\$ 1.00
FRUIT ROLL UPS	\$ 1.00
GOLDFISH	\$ 1.00
SMALL GRANOLA BARS	\$.50

DRINKS

WATER	\$ 1.50
JUICE	\$ 1.50
JUICE BOXES	\$ 1.00
CHOCOLATE MILK	\$ 1.50

CANTEN MENU

**SENDING A NOTE WITH YOUNGER KIDS IS ALWAYS HELPFUL!



The link to purchase clothes can be found on our Vickers' website.

