



CHILDREN'S WORLD ACADEMY



GLOBE



JANUARY 2018

IMPORTANT DATES



Feb 6	Home & School Meeting
Feb 8	Subway Lunch Gr 6 Exhibition
Feb 9	Boardwide Professional Day
Feb 13	Governing Board Meeting
Feb 13-14	French Book Fair
Feb 22	Pizza Lunch
Feb 23	Free Dress Down Day Term 2 ends
Feb 26-Mar 2	Jungle Sport
Feb 26 – Mar 2	Staff Appreciation Week
Feb 28	Dress Down Day \$\$\$
March 5 – 9	March Break

DRESSING FOR WINTER



Please remember to dress your children in proper cold weather clothes. Make sure that they have a hat, warm gloves, scarf, boots and winter coats. Please have your child leave an extra pair of shoes at school, as boots are not allowed in the classroom. Children must have shoes to wear at school.

Parking Lot Safety!



It's dark and the pavement can be slippery

LICE



LICE

Parents – we need your help in preventing the spread of this annoying problem. Should your child have lice please remember to inform the school immediately. As well, we encourage all parents to regularly check your child's hair for knits (eggs) once a week. We need your help to make sure that we keep this health issue in check! If you find that your child has lice, please call or e-mail Miss Lynn at lcloss@lbsb.qc.ca

- Be respectful of the handicapped parking spaces
- Do not drop children off in the morning before Miss Franca has opened the door
- Never leave younger siblings unattended in a vehicle while picking up student from daycare
- Teach your children to never cross through the parking lot (walk around using the sidewalk to the daycare door).
- **Please do not allow children to climb on Snow Mountain at the end of the parking lot.**

CWA WEB SITE



Please note that our newsletter, calendar and any notices sent home are posted on the CWA web site every month. So if you need to look something up and cannot find the newsletter or notices just check out the web site at <http://cwa.lbsb.qc.ca/>

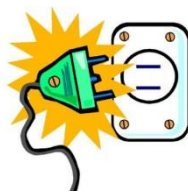


REMINDER TO ALL PARENTS THAT NUTELLA CANNOT BE BROUGHT INTO THE SCHOOL DUE TO ALLERGIES!

Grade 6 Exhibition



ELECTRICITY



The grade six students and their teachers are happy to invite you to their exhibition on how we share energy worldwide. They have inquired about the different forms of energy and its production, the equal opportunity to access energy and the conservation and consumers' responsibility towards energy. They have been working hard on their projects and look forward to sharing their knowledge with our CWA community on **Thursday, February 8 from 3pm to 5:30pm** in our school gymnasium. Hope to see you there!



Music Class Updates Recorder Karate



Our **Canada 150** theme continues, this month we have learned about music from Quebec, next up our neighbour Ontario!

Students in **grade 3 – 6** have just started working on the Karate Belts in music class! Be sure to check out Google Classroom for play along videos and a copy of their booklet.

Grade 2 is discovering mood through music in our study of *Peter and the Wolf*! At home try listening to classical pieces to see if your child can identify the "color" or the "mood" in each piece!

In **Grade 1** we are working on creating and performing rhythms using percussion instruments.

In **Kindergarten** we are busy learning new songs and keeping the beat with our colorful rhythm sticks! We are getting really good!

Action at Home!!!

Is your child singing at home or performing for you? Grab a quick picture or video and sent it to Mrs. Favreau! We will be showcasing students taking action in music in our assemblies!

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Coordinator's Corner

Dear Parents,
As we are preparing for our IB evaluation visit in October 2018, we are working on updating our school policies.

I would like to remind you that there are many important documents, such as the school policies, that you can find on our school website.

Here are the links to the recent document updates:

CWA Mission Statement:

<http://cwa.lbpsb.qc.ca/documents/Mission-Statement.pdf>

CWA Assessment Policy:

<http://cwa.lbpsb.qc.ca/documents/Assessment-Policy.pdf>

CWA Inclusion Policy:

<http://cwa.lbpsb.qc.ca/documents/Inclusion-Policy.pdf>

PYP Questions and Answers:

<http://cwa.lbpsb.qc.ca/IB/PYP-QandA.pdf>

I encourage you to visit our website regularly in the following months to get acquainted with the new updates.

Do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions about the IB PYP Programme.

Sonia Bouchard

sobouchard@lbpearson.ca

Attitude for December – "Thinker"

Gloria G	K011
Daniele S	K011
Adriana P	K022
Sophia H	K022
Zachary B	K033
Malachy D	K033
Daven C	K044
Celine H	K044
Venus R	101
Alivia S M	101
Emma B	102
Malicai G F	102
Maya K R	103
Luigi S	103
Adam M	104
Danica U	104
Mikaela H P	201
Elsa C	201
Lucas O	202



Megan T	202
Jaxson E	203
Philippe O I	203
Sydney C	204
Mark F G	204
Evan F D	301
Luca B	301
Italo O	301
Avry U H	302
Blake K	302
Anya F G	303
Linh-Chi N	303
Claire H	303
Celestia T	401
Evan Dean L	401
Elio M	402
Kailyn P C	402
Michela L B	402
Emma M P	403
Sofia S	403
Joseph Real F V	501
Leo P	501
Joseph C	502
Thomas OdZ	502
Dante C	503
Sierra P	503
Than-Tri N	601
Kiara R	601
Kian T B	602
Kianna N	602
James W	603
Lilian Y	603

The time is quickly approaching for us to appreciate the people who take care of our children every day. Staff appreciation week starts on February 26th and includes all our CWA teachers, support staff and daycare educators. Collectively, their efforts help create a safe and happy environment for our children where they can enthusiastically learn.

We would like to ask for help from all of you. We would like to offer our CWA staff a small token of our appreciation in the form of a gift card. If you would like to make a small donation, we would ask for **gift cards valued at \$5.00 or \$10.00** from vendors you feel staff would like to buy from, for example, Tim Horton's, Starbucks, McDonalds etc.

You are under no obligation to make a gift card donation but if you can, then please submit them to the office in a sealed envelope labeled "H&S-Staff Appreciation" **no later than February 14, 2018**. We will then prepare these items to be gifted to our wonderful staff at CWA during the luncheon planned for them during Staff Appreciation week.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Laura D'Adamo at ldadamo@videotron.ca

We thank you in advance for your support and help in making this week a success for our CWA family!

Regards, Staff Appreciation Committee



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CWA Daycare News February Highlights!



Our **January 29th** ped day was very successful! The company Club Fy was here and the children had a blast!

February 9, 2018: In-house ped-day. Our theme is based on the IB profile which is *caring*.

In February, CWA daycare will be introducing some interesting projects and activities. Many of

our educators have some special talents and the children will be introduced to knitting, weaving, cooking, beading, building and creating with various tools and materials.
A schedule will be posted near the daycare door.



January

If you have any concerns, please feel free to email me at carvanitakis@lbpsb.qc.ca

Thanks

Christina Arvanitakis

Sydirah P	401	January 1
Imani R	K022	January 1
Tyler W	K044	January 1
Liam C	K033	January 2
Matteo B	K022	January 4
Ajhya C	502	January 5
Madison N	603	January 5
Jessica P D	302	January 5
Addison R	103	January 6
Diego I	503	January 6
Giacomo D J	602	January 7
Mikaela H P	201	January 7
Nathan R	203	January 8
Evan P	K044	January 9
Danica U	104	January 10
James B	301	January 10
Camila P	103	January 11
Lucas O	202	January 11
Madison W	303	January 11
Alexandra M	K011	January 12
Blake K	302	January 12
Dante C	101	January 12
Sofia P	203	January 12
Ellington C	303	January 13
Justin K	502	January 15
Jasmine K	603	January 16
Christophe L	603	January 16
Delaney N	103	January 16
Vanessa R E	601	January 16
Sarah Angelica B	402	January 18
James W	603	January 18
Adam M	202	January 19
Jacob S	K022	January 19
Louis M	204	January 19
Rio T	204	January 19
Enzo B	K044	January 20
Vincent B	503	January 20
Ferell T	K011	January 21
Gabriella M	103	January 21
Jeremy D	101	January 21
Pele N	502	January 21
Pamela P	301	January 21
Julian T	602	January 21
Alicia V	601	January 26
Béatrice D	602	January 27
Tomas T M	502	January 28
Lynden L	401	January 29
Brandon M	403	January 29
Maya K R	103	January 29
Keegan G	K022	January 30
Dimitra K	401	January 31
Doriana A	602	January 31



Who Am I?

With the help of the clues below, see if you can guess the identity of our mystery staff member. The answer will be revealed in next month's Globe newsletter.

I was born in the month of May and grew up in NDG with my sister. I attended St. Monica's Elementary School where my favourite subject was math. I didn't really think about what I wanted to be when I "grew up" because I was too busy playing outside! In fact, I still love hiking, camping and spending time outdoors. I even did horseback riding and some amateur show jumping for 3 years. I've always worked with kids: I taught in the Arctic for 8 years and have been working in schools for many years (although I'm relatively new to CWA!). Some of my favourite things include the movie The Princess Bride, listening to music by REM, Sting, and Ben Caplan (Google him!), the colours blue and green (like CWA!), and pasta – all shapes and sizes! On my days off you'll find me doing odd jobs and projects at home and spending time with my wife and kids – of whom I am most proud! One last thing: I have the best job in the world!

Who Am I?

CONTINGENCY PLANS

The Lester B. Pearson School Board will attempt to broadcast all cancellations on radio stations CJAD (800) and CBC (88.5). You can also check the board web site at

<http://www.lbpsb.gc.ca/eng/home.asp>

In the event that school must close during the day due to an emergency situation (i.e. power failure, burst water pipe, etc.), your child must know where to go if no one is at home. Please discuss with your child what to do if he or she should come home and you are not there. It may happen occasionally that you may be stuck in traffic or at a metro station, or the school may have to close unexpectedly. All children from K to 6 should know what to do in such circumstances. Arrangements should be made with a neighbor or relative close by to ensure that your child is in a safe place in case something unexpected happens.

