

**Curve Lake First
Nation School
Newsletter**



**September
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**WELCOME BACK TO OUR RETURNING STUDENTS
&
WELCOME TO OUR NEW STUDENTS!**

ALLERGY ALERT

Please do not send shell fish or nut products to school with your child.

Parent Circle

Parent Circle will be up and running as soon as possible! We are in need of parents & guardians.

Please contact Tammy or Ashkineeg-kwe if you're interested in joining our Parent Circle this year!

PA Day

Friday September 27th is a PA Day!

IMPORTANT SCHEDULE INFORMATION

School Staff are ready to supervise your child on the school yard no earlier than 8:40AM. If you're here before 8:40AM you will need to stay with your child.

Class begins at 8:55AM. If your child arrives at 9:00AM or after, they are considered late. If your child is late, you will be required to sign them in at the office.

Class is dismissed at 3:20PM. If you are here before then, please kindly sign your child out and wait in the front foyer or outside.

If you need to pick your child up early, please stop in at the office and we will call them down for you.

If your child is on the bus list, you will be required to sign them out of school any time you pick them up.

For safety and security reasons, all adults entering our school are required to sign in as a visitor and sign out when they leave.

We appreciate your cooperation in making our school a safe place for our students, staff, and community.

"Boomerang Lunch"

Beginning Monday September 16th we will be switching to boomerang lunches. A boomerang lunch is a lunch which has every piece of it return to its source. In other words, everything in the lunch must go home at the end of the day no matter what. Whether it is leftover food, containers, recyclables, garbage, or compost, it all goes home.

Open House & BBQ

Miigwech to everyone who came out! It was wonderful to have so many families here with us.

Safe Arrival

To ensure the safety of your child, please call 705-657-3651 to report your child's absence. You may leave a voicemail if you need to. You may also send a note in your child's agenda if you know of their absence in advance. Phone calls will be made home starting at 9:05 AM if your child is absent and we haven't heard from you.

Student Agendas

Please review, initial, and send your child's agenda to school each day. This is such a wonderful and easy communication tool that benefits students, parents, and teachers! Don't forget to read the Parent Manual at the front of your child's agenda to get to know school procedures.

Extra Clothes

Please remember to send extra clothes with your child. If you want to ensure your belongings are returned – please label everything.

- Shirts
- Pants
- Underwear
- Socks

Popcorn Tuesday!!

Popcorn Tuesday will begin on Tuesday September 10, 2019!!

\$2.00 / bag proceeds go to School Fundraising.

You may pre-pay for popcorn and we will keep your information at the office

Teaching of the Month - Mnaadendiwin – Respect

Mnaadendiwin helps me...

- Take care of Mother Earth and the creatures that live here
- Remember my manners
- Take care of myself by eating and sleeping well and going to school

Your Child's Day

1st Block 8:55 – 10:40

1st Recess 10:40 – 11:00

1st Nutrition Break 11:00 – 11:20

2nd Block 11:20 – 1:00

2nd Recess 1:00 – 1:20

2nd Nutrition Break 1:20 – 1:40

3rd Block 1:40 – 3:20

Home Time 3:20

Please ensure your child, along with their packed backpack, arrive before the 8:55 bell. Miigwech!

Welcome to Our Team!

Ms. Bowins

Hello, I'm Ashley Bowins, I am the new kindergarten teacher this year. I live in the community with other fellow community members. I graduated in 2012 and 2017 from post-secondary school obtaining 4 different degrees. I am a proud new mom to my 9 month old son and I look forward to working with all your children.

Ms. Smith

Ms. Smith is very excited to be teaching grade two! She is from Conception Bay South, Newfoundland and Labrador where she spends her summers hiking, cod jigging and running an outdoor education camp.

Ms. Smith completed her Bachelor of Arts in Drama Studies at York University and her Bachelor of Education nearby at Trent University. Ms. Smith loves to take her classes outside and is looking forward to the many adventures that this year has to come.

Ms. Julie

Hi, my name is Julie. I graduated from the Queen's-Trent Concurrent Education Program 6 years ago and since then have been taught in Nunavut and the Czech Republic. I love spending time outdoors, traveling and listening to audiobooks!