



LIONS BAY PRIMARY E-BULLETIN

November 2, 2023

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School will be closed on Monday, November 13th for the Day in recognition of the Remembrance Day holiday, and on Tuesday November 14th for a district wide reading break. Please mark your calendars.

Dear Families,

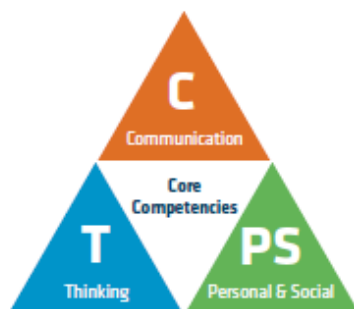
A lot of fun was had by our students at our Halloween stations and indoor "Trick or Treat." Students participated in various activities including Pin the Spider on the Web, creating a pinecone spider, and more. Thank you very much for Steph (Olivia's Mom) and Robin (Devon's Mom) for volunteering at the stations.

Please ensure your child has dark bottoms and dark shoes to wear on November 10th for the Remembrance Day Assembly at GEC.

The first Learning Update (report card) will be sent out through the MyEducation system on December 8th. Information about how to access these will be sent out to families in the next couple of weeks.

Please see the guide below which will be used to communicate each child's learning in all areas.

The Provincial Proficiency Scale			
Student reporting in Grades K-9 requires use of the Provincial Proficiency Scale to communicate students' learning in all areas of learning.			
Emerging	Developing	Proficient	Extending
<p>The student demonstrates an initial understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.</p> <p>"Emerging" indicates that a student is just beginning to demonstrate learning in relation to the Learning Standards of the curriculum but is not yet doing so consistently.</p> <p>Emerging isn't failing.</p>	<p>The student demonstrates a partial understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.</p> <p>"Developing" indicates that a student is demonstrating learning in relation to the Learning Standards with growing consistency. The student is showing initial understanding but still in the process of developing their competency in relation to the Learning Standards of the curriculum.</p> <p>Developing isn't failing. All students will be developing in some areas and specific time points.</p>	<p>The student demonstrates a complete understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.</p> <p>"Proficient" is the goal for students. It is when a student demonstrates the expected learning in relation to the Learning Standards of the curriculum.</p> <p>"Proficient" is not synonymous with perfection. Instead, the student is able to demonstrate their learning consistently or most of the time.</p>	<p>The student demonstrates a sophisticated understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.</p> <p>"Extending" is not synonymous with perfection. "Extending" is a student demonstrating learning in relation to Learning Standards with increasing depth and complexity.</p> <p>"Extending" is not a bonus, or a reward, and does not necessarily require that students do a greater volume of work or work at a higher grade level.</p> <p>"Extending" is not the standard for all students, "Proficient" is. Therefore, if a student turns in all their work and demonstrates evidence of learning in all Learning Standards for the given area of learning, they are not automatically assigned "Extending."</p>



Core Competencies and Goal Setting

During the school year, students self-reflect and self-assess on their Core Competency development, and it is shared in the 2 written Learning Updates and Summary of Learning. Each Core Competency will not necessarily be reflected on during a school year and may include goal setting.

Sincerely,
 Ms. Natalie Mendes
 Vice Principal

Student Admissions

Lions Bay is now accepting registration for September 2024 – registration is currently open for ALL Kindergarten students as well as in-catchment students entering grades 1 through 3. Registration for out of catchment students will open in mid-January.

Please visit the [West Vancouver Schools Admission Page](#) to submit your application and for details regarding documentation.



REMEMBRANCE DAY
Let's Not Forget

A reminder that Lions Bay students will be joining Gleneagles Ch'axáy to participate in our Remembrance Day assembly on **Friday, November 10th**. Permission forms were sent home earlier this year. Students will participate in traditions that show, in symbolic ways, the gratitude and honour we feel for the sacrifices made by our war veterans, past and present.

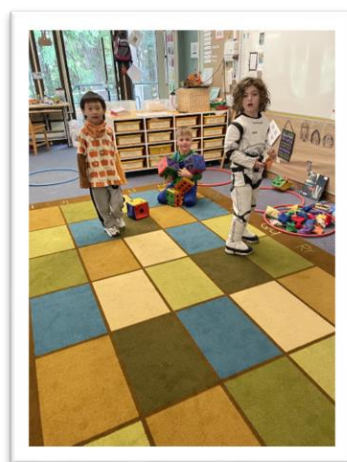


Scholastic Book Ordering

Scholastic books are a great way to build up home libraries, and they make great gifts. In addition, any purchases you make will help earn bonus books for our classroom! If you are interested in ordering some books, payments may be made on-line and please use **code: RC241553**. Please do not send in cash or cheques.

Daily Health Checks

Parents are asked to do daily health checks of children before sending them to school. As flu and cold season is upon us, we ask for your assistance to ensure that your child is healthy and well enough to participate in normal school activities. If your child is unwell, please report their absence to the school office by emailing aatkinson@wvschools.ca or calling (604) 981 – 8311. Parents are also reminded that communicable diseases should be reported to your classroom teacher or to the school office. This would include lice, chicken pox, measles, impetigo, etc.





Halloween fun!



Kingston

Kingston



Louie

Louie



Chloe

Chloe



Devon

Devon



The Crayola Team for Halloween!

LB PAC NEWS

The next PAC meeting will be held **Thursday, November 23 at 6:00 p.m. via Teams.**

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join on your computer, mobile app or room device

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 283 382 660 714

Passcode: P7ocjh

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PAC Positions

PAC positions still open (please let Jill or Danielle know if you can fill a position):

- Secretary
- DPAC Representative
- Emergency Preparedness Coordinator

Dates To Remember

Thursday, November 9	Kindergarten Hearing Testing
Friday, November 10	Remembrance Day Assembly at GEC 10:45 a.m.
Monday, November 13	Remembrance Day Holiday – School Closed
Tuesday, November 14	District Reading Break – School Closed
Monday, November 20 to Friday, November 24	GymSense Week

Lions Bay School Calendar 2023 – 2024 is available on the Lions Bay School website under *our school tab/school news* [Here](#). Parents are asked to review the calendar and note dates for your personal reference.

The West Vancouver School District Calendar for 2023 – 2024 can be viewed [Here](#)

If you have any questions regarding the content of this e-bulletin, please contact Ms. Mendes at nmendes@wvschools.ca