

Dundana Elementary School

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February 2022 Dundana Newsletter

Principal's Message

As we begin the second term of the school year, our classes spend time reflecting on the progress they have made so far this year and the goals they want to work on or continue working on in term two. We all know that this year has had its challenges, but we continue to find ways to celebrate success, effort, and community with our students. I hope you are able to find some things to celebrate with your child about their school year as well!

School Council

Dundana School Council's next meeting is on Wednesday, February 2, 2022. Meetings are held virtually on MS Teams and run from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. For any parent or guardian of a Dundana student who would like to attend (and hasn't already been added to the list this year), please email <u>kkeerybi@hwdsb.on.ca</u> by Tuesday, February 1st for a Teams invitation.

Term One Report Cards

Your child's educators are currently finishing up the term one Report Cards (grades 1 to 5) and Communications of Learning (JK and SK). These will be sent home on Friday, February 18th. If you have any questions or concerns about the report or your child's progress, you are welcome to reach out to your child's educator for more information.

Photo Retake Day

Dundana's photo retake day was originally scheduled for February 9th, however HWDSB and Public Health have put a pause on this activity. Our vendor has rescheduled our photo retake day for Monday March 21st.

COVID 19 Reporting Procedures

In January 2022, a new process for reporting cases of COVID 19 in the school was initiated. Please note that only students/staff that test positive on a RAT or PCR test and **voluntarily** report this information to the school will have the information posted each evening on the school website. No direct email or phone messaging to parents/guardians will occur to inform of a positive case. Parents and guardians are encouraged to subscribe to the school website to get the updates automatically. Voluntary reports can be made between 8 and 3:30 on school days by phone to 905.628.2622 or by email anytime to kkeerybi@hwdsb.on.ca

Important Dates in February

- Feb 2 Dundana School Council meeting, 6:30
- Feb 4 Silly/Mismatched Sock day
- Feb 21 Family Day Holiday no school
- Feb 23 Pink Shirt Day for Anti Bullying

curiosity.

creativity.

possibility.

