

St. Gabriel Newsletter



February 4, 2019

Registration for 2019 – 2020

Registration for the 2019-2020 school year is taking place now from 8:00 - 11:30 a.m. & 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. If you have a child or know of a child

that will attend School 2018year, that this



be ready to St. Gabriel for the 2019 school please note is the time

to register. Early registration is crucial when looking at our staffing needs. Please advise interested parents that they should call our secretary at 514 934-2111 for information about the required documentation.

Teacher Appreciation Week

The week of **February 11 - 15** is Teacher / Staff Appreciation Week. We encourage both parents and students to show their appreciation to the educators and staff, who are devoted to both the education and well-being of your children on a

daily basis.

Valentine's Day February 14

To help get into the spirit of Valentine's Day, students will be permitted to wear "**RED**" or "**PINK**" to school. This will act as a fundraiser with children donating \$1.00. Proceeds will go to the WE club helping other children worldwide.

Lateness

Chronic lateness is problematic in a school setting. When students arrive late without valid reason (sickness or appointments) they miss vital information which is communicated by the teacher and also disrupts the entire class. Please make every effort to get your child(ren) to school on time. There are consequences for late arrivals. It is the responsibility of parents to have their child(ren) in school on time. After 7:55 a.m. a student is considered late. Arriving after 12:25 p.m. from lunch, is also considered late. We ask for your cooperation on this matter.

Boots in the building

Please ensure that your child brings a pair of shoes to school and dresses according to the weather. We are in the middle of winter and the children need to be dressed appropriately when going out for recess.

Home and School – Chocolate Drive

Home and School thanks all who participated. The money raised from sales will go towards supporting school activities. Winners for most chocolates sold are Madison Richer Trudel and Zoe Adams (400 chocolates sold). Both share first prize for their great efforts.

Bus Transportation Safety Campaign

The 2018-2019 School Bus Transportation Safety Campaign will be held from February 4th to 15th, 2019.

The Fédération des Transporteurs par Autobus has provided all schools with a pamphlet for Pre-School and Elementary Students **DID YOU SEE ME?** with a story titled "Sam and Bloop Celebrate Valentine's Day".

Safe School Information

KIDS HELP PHONE: https://kidshelpphone.ca/
ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE
http://www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/cycp-cpcj/bull-inti/index-eng.htm#def
SERVICE DE POLICE DE LA VILLE DE

MONTREAL:
https://spvm.qc.ca/en/Fiches/Details/Bullying

STOPBULLYING.GOV: https://www.stopbullying.gov/

Important Dates to Remember

Registration is NOW 8:00 - 11:30 a.m. and 12:00 - 3:00 p.m.

February is Stay in School and Black History Month

| Feb. 1 | Pedagogical Day <u>– no school for students</u> |
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| Feb. 2 | Groundhog Day |
| Feb. 4 | Registration for new students and Pre-Kindergarten begins |
| Feb. 5 | P.P.O. Meeting 6:15 p.m. |
| Feb. 6 | Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten Vaccination |
| Feb. 9 | Irish Dancing Feis at John Abbott |
| Feb. 11 | WE Day Outing for some Grade 5 and 6 students |
| Feb. 11 - 15 | Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week |
| Feb. 14 | Valentine's Day (wear red or pink for 1\$) |
| Feb. 15 | CEPSUM TRIP (All classes) |
| Feb. 18 | Family Education Day Break-no classes |
| Feb. 19 | Robotics competition Grade 5 École Lucien-Pagé |
| | Governing Board meeting at 6:30 p.m. |
| Feb. 20 | Home and School meeting at 12:45 p.m. in lunchroom |
| Feb. 21 | Home and School Bake Sale for students |
| Feb. 22 | Term 2 ends |
| Feb. 28 | Report Cards Parent – Teacher Interviews 2:30 – 8:30 p.m. |
| March 1 | Pedagogical Day – no school for students |

Spring Break – March 4 – March 8

Jim Daskalakis Principal

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY

