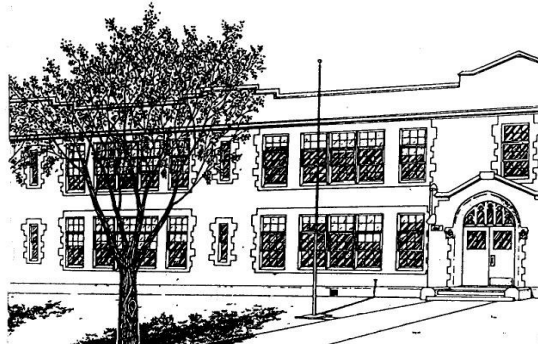


Faraday School

January 2022

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Be Respectful— Be Responsible— Be Safe



Principal's Message –

"The new year stands before us, like a chapter in a book, waiting to be written".

~Melanie Beattie

Dear Parents, Guardians and Caregivers,

Happy New Year! Welcome back! It is hard to believe that we are in 2022! We know that we are stronger together, and that this coming year will continue to be focused on purposeful learning, and that at the heart of all true learning comes success for our students. All staff work hard to build strong relationships with all students at Faraday School, so that learning can flourish and grow.

We ask that everyone continue to do their part to ensure that we are keeping safety our # 1 priority. Please continue to follow all of the public health guidelines set out by our province. We are so pleased with how our students have continued to persevere throughout this very trying time. Continuing to screen for Covid symptoms, staying home when not feeling well, wearing a mask, practicing proper hand hygiene and physically distancing all are so important and help to keep Covid out of our schools. We ask that you continue to not come into the school to drop off your child in the mornings or to pick up after school, unless you need to. Each classroom has its own area outside where teachers meet and greet their students each morning and after school. We thank you for your cooperation with this. Limiting the amount of people inside the school is another guideline we are following to keep everyone safe.

We are so fortunate to have The Mobile Vision Clinic with us again this year to screen our students who may need glasses. We know that poor vision can be a big barrier to learning. This is a free of charge eye exam and is open to all students. The clinic will run in our school the week of January 10-14th. Please ensure that you have returned the permission form into the office so that your child can have their eyes tested. If glasses are required we will let you know and these are at a reduced rate. Thank you Mobile Vision Clinic for the amazing support!

Looking ahead, February is I love to Read Month. We will be planning some fun activities to do to celebrate reading and the power of literacy. Stay tuned for a calendar of activities that you can do at home with your children to celebrate literacy.

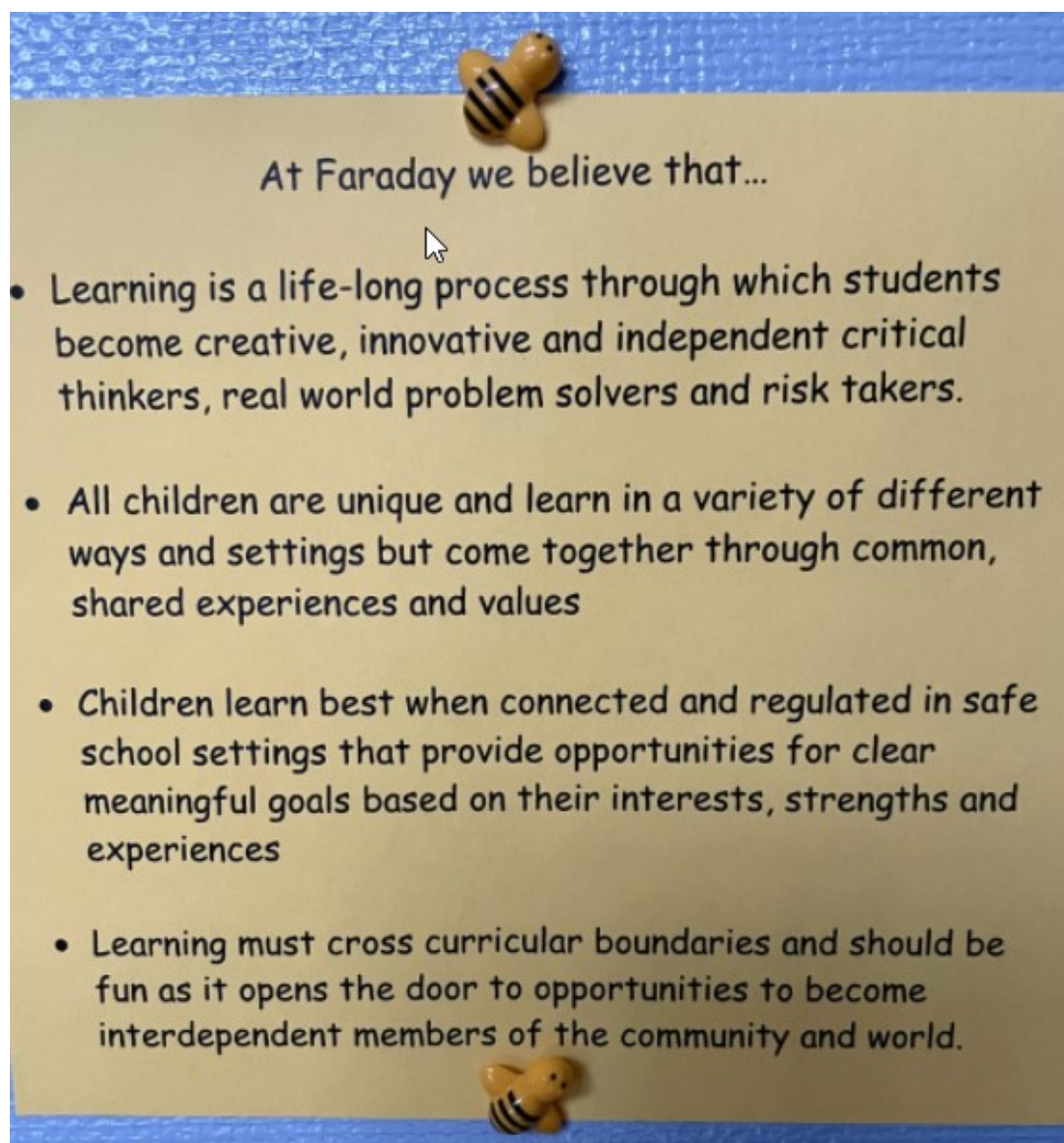
Please note the following two school closure days. On February 4th, our school will be closed for a professional development day. On February 21st, we are also closed for Louis Riel Day.

We are looking so forward to the school's 100th birthday this coming spring. We are continuing to work towards our goal of having the funds available for an electronic digital sign hopefully installed in time for this monumental milestone celebration. We are also in the process of planning with a local mosaic artist to have a tree mosaic created by every student in the school. Students are beginning to work together in their classroom cohorts to begin creating a theme which will be represented in a section of our tree to celebrate the learning, growing and building community over the past 100 years at Faraday School. This mosaic will be installed in front of the school on the outside of our building directly located on Parr St. We are super excited for this whole school community art project!

On behalf of the entire Faraday School team, we wish everyone a healthy January filled with warmth and optimism for a great year ahead!

Yours in learning,

Mrs. Cox



Winter is now here and so is the cold weather. Indoor recess will occur if the temperature (with wind-chill) is -27 or colder.

Please ensure that your child(ren) is dressed for the weather conditions. Warm jacket, snow boots, toque/hat, mitts, scarves, and ski pants.



Thank you to all Parents/Guardians that make the lunch fee a part of their monthly budget. This is a reminder that all monthly payments due by the 22nd of the preceding month. Please make sure that all cheques are made payable to Faraday School Parent Council.

Thank you to all Lunch Supervisors for all their hard work and dedication.

Be respectful, Be responsible, Be safe

On behalf of the Parent Council we would like to thank everyone who has helped out for Santarama. We know the students loved getting gifts for their family members.

If anyone would like to come to our Parent Council meetings they are held on the second Wednesday of each month. We encourage parents to have a voice in their child's school. Together we make decisions for the betterment of our students.

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-Winter Break-
December 23rd, 2021 to January 5th, 2022
First day back is January 6th, 2022-Day 4

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	4	5 Day 3 Winter Break Ends	6 Day 4 School Reopens	7 Day 5
10 Day 6 Assembly	11 DAY 1 VISION CLINIC JANUARY 10-13	12 DAY 2	13 DAY 3	14 DAY 4 No Classes Non-Instructional Day
17 DAY 5	18 DAY 6	19 DAY 1	20 DAY 2	21 DAY 3 HOT LUNCH ORDERS DUE
24 DAY 4	25 DAY 5	26 DAY 6	27 DAY 1	28 DAY 2
		PAC hot lunch		
31 DAY 3				

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

February	4th	All day	No Classes—Non Instructional Day
	21st	All day	No classes—Louis Riel Day
March	16th	3:30 pm	Report Cards Home
	17th	4:00 -7:00 pm	Student Led Conferences (virtual)
	18th	All day	No Classes—Student Led Conferences (virtual)
	25th	All day	Last day of school before Spring Break - Spring Break Mar 28—Apr 4/22
April	4th	All day	First day back after break
	22nd	All day	No Classes—Non Instructional Day
May	2nd	All day	No Classes—Non Instructional Day
	23rd	All day	No Classes—Victoria Day
June	6th	All day	No Classes—Non Instructional Day
	28th	3:30 pm	Report Cards Home
	30th	11:30 am	Last Day of School