École Stanley Knowles School Community Report 2021-2022

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Our Purpose

Winnipeg School Division provides a learning environment that fosters the growth of each student's potential and provides equitable opportunity to develop the knowledge, skills, and values necessary for meaningful participation in a global and diverse society.

Our Vision

Is for current and future people learning and working within Winnipeg School Division to be: Engaged, Confident, Inspired, and Successful Learners.



About our school

École Stanley Knowles School is a dual track school with over 779 students ranging from Nursery to Grade 8. We have 36 classroom teachers, 15 specialist teachers, 18 educational assistants, 4 clerical staff and 6 custodial staff.

We provide French Immersion instruction for students in Kindergarten to Grade 8, as well as our Nursery to Grade 8 English program. We offer our Grade 7 and 8 students Practical Arts, as well as Visual Arts.

School Mission Statement

École Stanley Knowles School is committed to providing a safe and stimulating learning environment that fosters the academic, social, emotional and physical development of all individuals, helping to maximize their potential.

La mission de l'École Stanley Knowles est d'assurer un environnement éducatif, sécuritaire et stimulant qui encourage le développement académique, social, émotionnel et physique de toutes les personnes de l'école, en aidant chacun et chacune à maximiser son propre potentiel.



Highlights École Stanley Knowles School Programs

- English and French Immersion instructional programs for Language Arts, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science, Health and Physical Education
- Practical Arts and Visual Arts (Grades 7-8)
- English as an Additional Language
- Education for Sustainable Development
- CSS Support with Psychology, Reading, Social Work, Audiology, Speech and Language
- Technology
- Outdoor Education
- ÉSKS Idol
- Safe Arrival
- Permission Click
- Science Fair / Expo Science
- Festival du Voyageur Activities
- Manitoba Theatre for Young People
- U of M Dental Outreach Program
- Day Care, Lunch Program, Before/After School Program
- Project 11
- Sources of Strength
- Golf Club
- GSA Club
- Sewing Club
- Birds Hill Camping Trip
- Rain Barrel Project









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- EAP Assessment, Benchmark Assessment System, Rhyme Magic, Writing Rubric, GB+ for French Immersion reading, Grammaire en 3D, AIM Language Learning, Jump Math
- Nursery to Grade 3 teachers are collaborating on data driven instruction using Bev Tyner's Small-Group Instruction to Support All Readers and Writers
- Program Support Services team in school to support teachers with learning sprints
- Grade 7 and 8 Thinking Classrooms in Mathematics

Improve academic and behaviour support services for all students with a focus on students with special needs, EAL and Indigenous Learners.

- ÉSKS is a fully implemented P.B.I.S. school
- School-wide behavioural expectations are defined, taught and systematically acknowledged
- · Targeted resource and in-class support for all learners

Continue to improve awareness of wellness and mental health strategies:

- Sharing of Specialized Information with Families
- Nutrition Committee
- Implementation of mindfulness and zones of regulation activities
 across grade levels

To strengthen and enhance Education for Sustainable Development initiatives that address environment, social and economic issues world-wide.

- Crayola and battery recycling programs
- Bike repair initiative W.R.E.N.C.H. partnership
- Increase in philanthropic and leadership activities
- Winnipeg Harvest food drive
- Various recycling initiatives throughout the year

Parent and community involvement

Parents play a vital role in our school. We have an active Parent Advisory Council that meets each month.

They are involved in many activities that support our children through their volunteering, fundraising and daily support. We have a large volunteer group that help with the following:

- Large-scale school development projects including technology upgrades, playground improvements
- Organizing and running the lunch program

The ÉSKS staff, parents and community work collaboratively to ensure the best learning opportunities for our children.







