École Dickinsfield is a bright and busy school with lots on the go. Take a moment to read through the below to discover some things you may or may not know about our school!



### HIGHTLIGHTS OF SCHOOL PROGRAMMING

# SAFE & CARING PROACTIVE

**WITs** PINK SHIRT DAY **CAUGHT BEING A LEADER MOVE THIS WORLD** 7 HABITS & LEADER IN ME

# SCHOOLS APPROACH



## FRENCH & ENGLISH



# LANGUAGE LEARNING

#### **OPPORTUNITIES**

**ENGLISH / FRENCH IMMERSION** PROGRAMS (ECDP-6) FRENCH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (GRADES 4-6)

### CURRICULAR &

GRADE LEVEL CURRICULUM (K-6) **ART CLUB** LEARNING THROUGH THE ARTS CURRICULAR **ARTIST IN RESIDENCE** SCHOOLWIDE INDIGENOUS ART **PROJECT** 





## **DEVICES & PROGRAMS**



#### **TECHNOLOGY**

iPads & CHROMEBOOKS FOR STUDENT USE WEB-BASED PROGRAMS AND APPS TO SUPPORT STUDENT **LEARNING** STUDENT GOOGLE **ACCOUNTS** 

#### **CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT**

As a school community, we strive to support all students in achieving success! Our focus on continuous improvement is cyclical and involves analysis of our current results, collecting feedback from our stakeholders, drafting strategies for improvement and measuring results.

PART 2

#### DRAMA

**INFUSED IN DAILY INSTRUCTIONAL PRACTICES** (READER'S THEATRE, DRAMATIC PLAY, ETC.) SCHOOLWIDE PERFORMANCES **ASSEMBLIES AND PRESENTATIONS** 

# **OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS**

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# **COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL HEALTH APPROACH**



#### HEALTH

PROUD APPLE SCHOOL PROVINCIAL NUTRITION AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY **GUIDELINES/DIVISION ADMIN PROCEDURES SCHOOL COUNSELLOR SCHOOL GARDEN WASTE-FREE LUNCHES** 

**GRADE LEVEL CURRICULUM (K-6) ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT MUSICAL PERFORMANCES FULLTIME MUSIC SPECIALIST TEACHER FOR ALL GRADES** 

# MUSIC MUSIC EDUCATION **FOR ALL GRADES**



## OPPORTUNITIES PHYSICAL FOR ALL STUDENTS EDUCATION



**GRADE LEVEL CURRICULUM (K-6) DAILY PHYSICAL ACTIVITY PROGRAMMING FULLTIME PE SPECIALIST TEACHER FOR ALL GRADES** 

# VARIETY OF **SUBJECTS**



FIRST NATIONS, MÉTIS and INUIT **EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY SKILLS CODING** KNITTING LEADERSHIP SKILLS **TECH & TRADES ACADEMIES** 

PEAK HOCKEY ACADEMY

#### TRAINED STAFF

- Skilled school staff who provide dynamic and student-centered learning opportunities for all students.
- Full time School Counsellor who supports students' emotional health and mental well-being.
- Learning Assistance Teachers who guide staff in supporting students academically, emotionally and socially and who work closely with parents to ensure student needs are met.
- Division Indigenous Student Services Cultural Teacher who works with all classes and teachers to infuse First nations, Métis and Inuit education in curriculum and school life at Dickinsfield.

#### PREPARATION FOR LIFELONG LEARNING

- Leadership development opportunities are offered to all students through our classroom and schoolwide leadership roles.
- Students develop community-mindedness through opportunities to give back to local and national charitable organizations (The Terry Fox Foundation, The Wood Buffalo Food Bank, The United Way, Jump Rope for Heart, DF Cares, etc.).
- Students are provided with real-world learning opportunities by engaging with trained experts in a variety of fields who visit to share about their careers.
- Students develop environmental awareness through school initiatives including recycling, composting, Destination Conservation, indoor and outdoor gardening and idle-free campaigns.

### **PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT**

- Dedicated and successful School Council who advocate on behalf of all families and students. School Council is open to all parents.
- Dickinsfield Flyers Fundraising Association who operate to provide extra curricular funds to support the school community, as needed. DFFA is open to all parents.
- Targeted parent information sessions are offered to provide families with opportunities to learn more about supporting students outside of the school environment (ex: technology safety, reading interventions, supporting students at home during COVID-19, etc.).
- Frequent and regular communication provided to all families through classroom and schoolwide newsletters, school social media channels, school websites and signage.