Riverside Public School

November 2023





We are happy to let you know that we will be having our fall Parent-Teacher Conferences on:

Thursday, November 2nd from 3:10-8:10 p.m.

Please be prepared to answer a call from a blocked caller or unknown number if you have chosen to have a phone interview as many of our teachers will be using their personal cell phones.

If you have any questions please contact us!

Picture Retakes

We will be having Picture retakes on Friday, November 24th. If your child has not had their pictures taken yet this school year please be sure to get them done. If it is not your child's day to be at school for Pre-K or K please bring them to the school if you would like their picture taken.



Riverside's School Based Instructional Coach

Let's Start Learning!

One of the best things we can do to help ensure the future success of our children is to invest time and energy into helping them learn during their youngest years. Where do we begin to help them learn, thrive and succeed? Simply playing with a ball develops important cognitive skills like curiosity, persistence, memory, creativity, problem-solving and helps build confidence. You don't need any special tools, skills or devices. Your home is full of fun and simple opportunities to help your child learn. There are so many easy ways to integrate learning into your regular after-work routine. Help your child build confidence, communication skills and more with these simple ideas. Reading is one of the most important things you can do to help your child develop. It's never too early or too late to start reading with your child. Not only do simple, fun activities help your child learn — they also motivate them to want to learn more!

Children who begin life in a learning environment are more likely to succeed in school and in life. Parents are their child's first teachers. Prince Albert's Literacy Network offers programs and resources parents can use to support their children's early language and literacy development.

Check out these QR codes for some helpful resources and motivational ideas to get you started.









Canteen Menu



PIZZA	\$2.00
GATORADE	\$2.00
CHOCOLATE MILK	\$2.00
JUICE/WATER	\$1.00
CHIPS	. \$1.00
ICE CREAM SANDWICH	\$1.00
HOT ROD	\$1.00
YOGURT TUBE	\$1.00





Every winter, bad weather — snow, slush, freezing temperatures or even heavy rains — can present challenges to getting children to school. So do the illnesses such as colds, flu, fevers and earaches that often come with the winter months. Students might also have to stay home due to Covid-19.

1. Develop back up plans for getting your children to school in bad weather.

- a. Check to see who can give your children a ride to school if you aren't able to take them or the bus doesn't arrive.
- b. Talk with your school about forming a "walking school bus" with other families to get students to school safely.
- c. Contact your local government if roads to school are not regularly plowed.
- d. Join other families to clear snow from the sidewalks closest to the school.
- e. Tell school administrators about transportation challenges, including safety, and ask if they have plans for transporting students.

2. Keep your children healthy.

- a. Maintain a regular bedtime and morning routine.
- b. Ensure students eat a good breakfast every morning or check to see if your school serves breakfast.
- c. Ensure your children visit their medical provider and have received their vaccines, including flu and Covid.
- d. Stress hand washing, particularly before and after eating, and after using the restroom.
- e. Reinforce the importance of avoiding close contact with individuals who are sick, and not sharing cups and/or utensils with others.
- f. If your children seem anxious about going to school, ask teachers, school counselors, your medical provider and parents for advice on how to make your children feel comfortable and excited about learning.
- g. If you are concerned your children may have Covid, call your medical provider or school nurse for advice.

3. Keep your children engaged in learning if they cannot attend school in person.

- a. Ask your teacher or school for resources that you can use at home to keep your children learning, including computer tablets, internet access and online learning platforms.
- b. Identify who can support your children's learning at home, especially if you must go to work.
- c. Encourage your children to call classmates and stay connected to the teacher to find out about what they missed.

WHAT CAN PARENTS DO?



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Clan Shirt Day Jigging 3:10-4:15	2 Progress Conferences 3:10-8:10	3 Canteen	4
5	6 Family Library Time 3:15-4:15	7	8 Clan Shirt Day Good Food Box Delivery to Riverside Jigging 3:10-4:15	9 Popcorn Sale \$2	No School	11
12	No School Remembrance Day observed	14 Good Food Box Payment Due	15 Clan Shirt Day Jigging 3:10-4:15	16	17 Canteen	18
19	20 Boston Pizza orders due Family Library Time 3:15-4:15	21	22 Clan Shirt Day Good Food Box Delivery to Riverside Jigging 3:10-4:15	23 Boston Pizza Sale	24 Picture Retakes Canteen	25
26	27 Family Library Time 3:15-4:15	28 Good Food Box Payment Due	29 Clan Shirt Day Jigging 3:10-4:15	30 Cupcake Sale \$1	Dec 1 Canteen	

School Hours

8:40 - 11:55

12:40 - 3:10

Attendance

If your child will not be attending or will be late please contact the school any time @ 306-763-6495 or report on your Edsby app