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**DON'T FORGET! MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23<sup>RD</sup> IS A PROFESSIONAL DAY.**

**COMMUNICATING STUDENT LEARNING**

Students in Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 13 will be receiving their report cards on Thursday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Children attending in person will be handed their reports to take home.



Transitional Learners in Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 13 whose teachers have told them that they will be receiving a report card on December 3<sup>rd</sup> have two options. You may request to have your child's report scanned and emailed to you, or you may pick up the original in person on Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup>. Please phone the office the week of November 30 – December 4<sup>th</sup> to indicate your choice.

Students in Divisions 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16 and 17 will be using Portfolios to communicate student learning to parents. Please note that these divisions share learning information with parents on a different schedule than the other classes. Please refer to information provided by your child's classroom teacher so you know when the information will be posted.

**TRANSITIONAL LEARNERS IN DECEMBER**



Our last day of school before the winter break is Friday, December 4<sup>th</sup>. From that date until Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>, Spul'ukwuks students and staff are on holidays. This includes students in Transitional Learning. TL will not be offered for our students during our break time. District lessons that take place while we are on holidays will be saved for us and we will be using them at another time in the year. Please do not join sessions during our break, as we will not be providing alternate material for your children at a later time.

**SPUL'U'KWUKS VIRTUAL HOLIDAY CELEBRATION**

On Wednesday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> from 6:30 – 7:30pm we will be hosting our first Virtual Holiday Celebration. See the attached sheet for more information and the Zoom invite. Prizes will be announced for the winners of the PAC Poster Contest. Hope to see you there! Translation will be provided in Mandarin for the activities to include more of our families.



**COMMUNITY OUTREACH**




In the spirit of giving, Mrs. Swain (K/1 Teacher) is organizing an opportunity for our students and staff to write cards to an elderly man who took the time to lift the spirits of a stranger, even though he is struggling himself. We are going to acknowledge him by wishing him all the best as he celebrates Hanukkah. Read the story of how he helped a woman in hospital while dealing with his own medical issues:

<https://www.theglobeandmail.com/life/first-person/article-behind-the-hospital-curtain-a-mystery-man-gave-me-comfort-and-courage/?fbclid=IwAR15I07q9L8OWVaSOyyxESIFomSnjj01z1YW-Y23fMLLXXq22GbhUnmWsmM>

**UPCOMING DATES**

- Nov. 23 Pro D – No school for students
- Dec. 2 Virtual Family Holiday Celebration
- Dec. 3 Report Cards home (Traditional reports)
- Dec. 4 Last day of school before Winter Break
- Jan. 4 School reopens after Winter Break



**Join us on Wednesday, December  
2nd from 6:30-7:30pm  
for our  
Spul'u'kwuks Virtual Holiday  
Celebration!**

There will be a sing-a-long and fun activities for  
the whole family!

The winners of the PAC Poster Contest will also be  
announced!

Here's a list of what you need to have in order to fully  
participate:

- paper (one piece for each person)
- pens or pencils (one for each person)
  - 1 roll of tape
- blindfold or other eye covering (one for each person)
  - 1 full roll of toilet paper

[https://sd38.zoom.us/j/7232526723?  
pwd=NzF3MjMrMDBSRmxzOHJ6TGZvZjR203dz09](https://sd38.zoom.us/j/7232526723?pwd=NzF3MjMrMDBSRmxzOHJ6TGZvZjR203dz09)

Meeting ID: 723 252 6723

Passcode: [Call office or check email](#)