

Ey Swayel & Welcome!

A warm welcome to all our new and returning families! It was wonderful meeting your children this week— we're looking forward to an amazing year of learning and growth together!

Reminder for Tomorrow:

Students will line up with their new classes. If you need help, just ask one of our friendly staff wearing the yellow vests!



Meet Our Team - 2025-26

- Principal: Mrs. Wallace
- Admin Assistant: Mrs. Wiebe
- Custodian: Mr. Sawatsky
- Counsellor: Mrs. Serfontein
- 🧠 Resource Teacher: Mrs. McLeod
- 🏃 PHE and Learning Support: Ms. Pollock & Mrs. Danis
- Library: Mrs. Knodel
- Child and Youth Care Worker: Ms. Hans
- ✓ Indigenous Education EA: Ms. Blaschek

Classroom Teachers:

Mrs. Beesley, Mrs. McAuliffe, Ms. MacLeod, Mrs. Vander Helm, Ms. Hnatiw, Mr. Vanderveen, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Daly, Mr. Allen, Mrs. Davis

L EAs & Noon Hour Supervisors:

Ms. Hamper, Ms. Heideman, Ms. Henn, Mr. McCusker, Ms. Robinson, Ms. Niznik, Ms. Spielman, Ms. Winship, Ms. Wright, Ms. Gnanasena, Ms. Driedger (on leave)

... Child Care & Daycare:

Kimiko Harder, Junell Reimer, Natasha Malhame

Community School Coordinator: Melissa Giles



September Highlights

- 🛸 National Read a Book Day Sept. 6
- International Literacy Day Sept. 8
- ♥ World Suicide Prevention Day Sept. 10
- ♦ International Chocolate Day Sept. 13
- International Day of Peace Sept. 21
- Orange Shirt Week Sept. 22–26
- 篖 Book Fair Sept 23 & 24
- Welcome Back BBQ Sept. 24 (4:30–6:00 PM)
- Pro-D Day Sept. 29 (No school for students; staff are at learning session)
- ♥ Truth & Reconciliation Day Sept. 30 (No school)



Our Book Fair is September 23 and 24th – feel free to come by and browse the books during our BBQ on the 24th! If you are able to help with the Book Fair, please sign up with the following link: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409094BA8AA2AA7FE3-58360099-scholastic

Mrs. Knodel is looking for library helpers!

Volunteering for...

- Shelving
- Book wrapping (at school or home!)

Contact Mrs. Knodel if you can help! jodi_knodel@sd33.bc.ca



School Supplies

Bulk-ordered supplies: \$58 per student

Optional planners (if used): \$7

Pay online via **Rycor** at <u>cultuslake.sd33.bc.ca</u>

Need support? Contact the office — we're here to help!



Reminders

- Toys/Games Please keep toys, stuffies, and gadgets at home.
- Cell Phones Must be checked into the office and will be returned at the end of the day.



Our Core Values

- 1. **Equity** Support for all to succeed
- 2. **Kindness** A culture of care and empathy
- 3. **Inclusion** Safe and welcoming for all
- 4. **Collaboration** Listening and growing together
- 5. Innovation Creativity and high-quality learning

SCHEDULE

7:39 – 7:54 a.m.	<u> </u>
7:54 a.m	Welcome B. ell
7:59 a.m	Classes Begin
10:15 – 10:30	Recess
11:50 – 12:05	Eating Time
12:05 -12:35	Play Time
12:35 p.m	Classes Resume
1:57 p.m	Dismissal
1:57 – 2:12 p.m	Afternoon Supervision

