LES LOOP

Keeping You in the LOOP!

Landmark Elementary School

Nov 16-20

Upcoming Events

Monday, Nov 16	Admin Day- No Classes
Mon-Fri Nov 23-27	Book Fair
Thursday Nov 26	Parent Teacher Meetings 4-8 pm Family Night at the Book Fair
Friday, Nov 27	Report Cards on Parent Portal
Wednesday, Dec 2	PTA Fundraiser Pick Up -Makerspace
Thursday, Dec 3	Lockdown Practice AM
Tuesday, Dec 15	**Save the Date- Christmas Concert K- 2/3** **10 AM**- Dress Rehearsal (Guests welcome) **2 pm-** Ks (all Ks attend PM on this day), Gr 1-2 /3, Gr 5 /6 Choir **7 pm**- Gr 1-2/3
Friday, Dec 18	Last Day Before Christmas Break
Dec 21-Jan 1	Christmas Break- No School
Monday, Jan 4	First Day Back at School inthe New Year

Parent Teacher Meetings & Report Cards

- **November 26** - Parent/Teacher Meetings from 4:00 to 8:00
  --Appointments can be booked on Parent Portal
  - See detailed information on page 2
- **November 27** - Report cards will be posted on the Parent Portal at 4:00

This Week

MON, Nov 16	Day 0 Admin Day- No Classes
TUES, Nov 17	Day 1
WED, Nov 18	Day 2 Hot Lunch- BarBurrito
THURS, Nov 19	Day 3
FRI, Nov 20	Day 4

Supporting Reading at Home

Earlier this week, Hanover School Division (HSD) sent families an email about Manitoba's early reading screeners. At LES, we are committed to using this information to better understand each student's reading needs and provide targeted support. Families also play an important role in helping children develop strong reading skills!

How Can Parents Support Reading at Home?

- **Read daily:** Spend 10–15 minutes reading together.
- **Talk about books:** Ask questions and discuss stories.
- **Play with sounds:** Practise rhyming, letter sounds, and sounding out words.
- **Read aloud:** Build vocabulary and understanding, even with older children.
- **Make it fun:** Let children choose books they enjoy!

Looking for more ideas? Explore UFLI Family Resources

Parent/Teacher Meetings

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Parent/Teacher Meetings for Kindergarten to grade 6 will be held on Thursday, November 26th, from 4:00-8:00 for all students. The following day, report cards will be posted on the Parent Portal at 4:00. To access your child's report card on November 27th, please visit the HSD Parent Portal.
Kindergarten progress reports for Term 1 will be shared with parents at the parent teacher meetings.

We have decided to hold the parent-teacher meetings before the report card as it allows the teacher to connect with the parent about the child's learning, providing the context for reading the report card. We encourage all parents to attend the meetings as a strong home connection supports student learning.

The Parent Portal will be used to book Parent Teacher meetings.

Step 1: Log onto Parent Portal
Step 2: Choose Parent Teacher Meetings from the list on the left
Step 3: Follow the instructions as listed

Appointment Booking Details

- Bookings are first come, first serve
- Appointments are ten minute time slots
- Meetings will be in-person
- **For Kindergarten students - You will have the option to book an appointment with Mrs. Neufeld on November 26 from 1:00-3:30 or from 4:00-8:00**
- Meetings can be booked with the classroom teacher, Mrs. Plett (music teacher) and Mr. Renaud (phys. ed. teacher)
- The scheduler will be closed at midnight the day before the Parent Teacher Meetings
- If you prefer a phone call or if November 26th does not suit you, please contact the classroom teacher to arrange an alternate date and time
- Appointment times can be viewed in the Parent Portal for future reference
- If you have any questions, please contact the school office

Parent Teacher Meeting Details

- Students do not need to attend these meetings. If students do attend, they should remain with their parents. Some teachers will prefer students to wait outside the class during the meeting, while others may welcome students to join. Your child's teacher will let you know what is preferred.
- Students must be accompanied by a parent/guardian at the Book Fair

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