

WOKING SCHOOL NEWSLETTER TOGETHER WE SUCCEED

Dates to Remember

Oct. 21-Kaykima Wilderness Workshops
Oct. 30—CSW (no school)
Nov. 2—Staff meeting (Dismissal @ 3:10)
Nov. 11-Remembrance Day (no school)
Nov. 20—PD day (no school)
Nov. 27—CSW (no school)
Dec. 7-Staff meeting (Dismissal @ 3:10)
Dec. 11-CSW (no school)
Dec. 21-Jan. 1—Christmas Break
Jan. 4— Classes resume



Principal's Message

How did we make it to the middle of October? With Thanksgiving behind us, the students thoughts are now beginning to focus on Halloween. Due to Covid 19, Halloween activities at Woking School will be looking different this year.

Unfortunately, due to social distancing and cleaning protocols, the Grade Six/Seven/Eight class will not be organizing the Halloween Carnival, but we will still have a fun time within our classrooms. We will also not be allowing parents in the building for the Halloween activities this year.

Students will be dressing up around 2 PM. We will then have a costume parade with the appropriate social distancing protocols in place. Our hope is to record the parade and share on our Facebook page. **It is important that Parents/Guardians complete the Returning Demographic form that was emailed out in September and again at the beginning of October to select if your child has permission to be photographed or videoed at school events and if it can be shared on social media.** After the parade, students will return to their classrooms to play games, have treats (which will be supplied by the school this year, as we are limiting the number of people handling food) and enjoy some Halloween fun. Kindergarten will join Grade One/Two for their activities and then Grade Three/Four/Five and Six/Seven/Eight will be together in their triple graded groups.

Although Halloween is going to look different this year, we are going to do our best to have fun, while being safe.

Danelle Boychuk
Principal





HOT LUNCH PROGRAM



On Thursday, October 15, we will have
Lasagne and a bun for lunch.

Child's Name: _____

Lasagne & a bun \$3.00 _____

Child's Name: _____

Lasagne & a bun \$3.00 _____

Child's Name: _____

Lasagne & a bun \$3.00 _____

Enclosed please find \$_____ for the above
order.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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On Thursday, October 22, we will have
scalloped potatoes and smokies for
lunch.

Child's Name: _____

_____ Scalloped potatoes \$2.25

_____ Smokie \$2.00

Child's Name: _____

_____ Scalloped potatoes \$2.25

_____ Smokie \$2.00

Child's Name: _____

_____ Scalloped potatoes \$2.25

_____ Smokie \$2.00

Enclosed please find \$_____ for the above order.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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On **TUESDAY, October 20**, we will be serving hot dogs for
lunch.

Child's name _____

_____ hot dogs @ \$1.50

_____ wieners @ \$1.00

Child's name _____

_____ hot dogs @ \$1.50

_____ wieners @ \$1.00

Child's name _____

_____ hot dogs @ \$1.50

_____ wieners @ \$1.00

Total amount enclosed \$_____.

Parent-Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

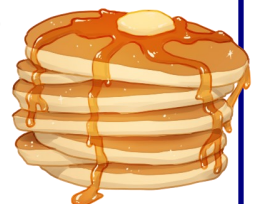
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Breakfast Program

We offer a cereal breakfast for all students, every
morning after they arrive at school.

Monday to Thursday we have cereal breakfast
and on Fridays we have a hot
breakfast (either toast and top-
pings or pancakes).

On Friday, October 16,
we will have pancakes
for breakfast.



All COVID 19 safety protocols will be followed.
We also have snacks available for any student
that might need one.

COVID-19 ALBERTA HEALTH DAILY CHECKLIST

Overview

This tool has been developed to support schools, activity organizers, employers, businesses and facility operators in reducing the risk of transmission of COVID-19 among attendees/staff. The tool is meant to be used to assist with assessing attendees who may be symptomatic, or who may have been exposed to someone who is ill or has confirmed COVID-19.

Attendees should complete this checklist prior to participating in the activity or program. Children and youth may need a parent to assist them to complete this screening tool.

If an individual answers **YES** to any of the questions, they **must not** be allowed to attend or participate in the activity or program. *Individuals with fever, cough, shortness of breath, runny nose, or sore throat, are required to isolate for 10 days per [CMOH Order 05-2020](#) unless they receive a negative COVID-19 test and are feeling better. Use the [AHS Online Assessment Tool](#) to determine if testing is recommended and follow information on [isolation requirements](#).

As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to evolve, this screening tool will be updated as required.

Screening Questions

1.	Does the attendee have any new onset (or worsening) of any of the following symptoms:	CIRCLE ONE	
	• <i>Fever*</i>	YES	NO
	• <i>Cough*</i>	YES	NO
	• <i>Shortness of breath / difficulty breathing*</i>	YES	NO
	• <i>Runny nose*</i>	YES	NO
	• <i>Sore throat*</i>	YES	NO
	• Chills	YES	NO
	• Painful swallowing	YES	NO
	• Nasal congestion	YES	NO
	• Feeling unwell / fatigued	YES	NO
	• Nausea / vomiting / diarrhea	YES	NO
	• Unexplained loss of appetite	YES	NO
	• Loss of sense of taste or smell	YES	NO
	• Muscle/ joint aches	YES	NO
	• Headache	YES	NO
	• Conjunctivitis (commonly known as pink eye)	YES	NO
2.	Has the attendee travelled outside of Canada in the last 14 days ¹ ?	YES	NO
3.	Has the attendee had close contact ² with a confirmed case of COVID-19 in the last 14 days?	YES	NO
4.	Has the attendee had close contact with an individual who has any one of the first 5 symptoms on this list (shaded) AND who is a close contact of a confirmed case of COVID-19 in the last 14 days?	YES	NO

¹ Individuals legally required to quarantine for 14 days when entering or returning to Alberta from outside Canada

² Face-to-face contact within 2 metres. A health care worker in an occupational setting wearing recommended personal protective equipment is not considered to be a close contact.

HOW LONG TO STAY HOME FROM SCHOOL

A student who is required to isolate due to symptoms may return to school—**before 10 days**—if they test negative for COVID-19 and no longer have symptoms, as long as they have not been identified as a close contact of a case of COVID-19. For more details: [Isolation requirements](#)

If a student has these symptoms

What to do

- Fever
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Runny nose
- Sore throat

- Isolate at home for a minimum of 10 days from when symptoms started or until symptoms resolve, whichever is longer.
- COVID-19 test recommended.
- Can return to school before 10 days only if a COVID-19 test is negative, symptoms are gone, and the student is not a close contact of someone with COVID-19.
- If test results are positive, isolate at home for at least 10 days and follow instructions received from Alberta Health Services.

- Chills
- Painful swallowing
- Stuffy nose
- Headache
- Muscle or joint aches
- Feeling unwell, fatigue or severe exhaustion
- Nausea, vomiting, diarrhea or unexplained loss of appetite
- Loss of sense of smell or taste
- Pink eye (conjunctivitis)

- Stay home from school until symptoms go away—**not** required to isolate for 10 days.
- COVID-19 test recommended.
- If test results are positive, isolate at home for at least 10 days and follow instructions received from Alberta Health Services.