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Henry Hudson Elementary School

OUR VSB



Newsletter

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Admin Team Message

We can't believe 2022 has come to an end! Please join me in thanking our staff for their dedication, commitment, and compassion. On behalf of Hudson Staff, we want to wish you a relaxing winter break and heartful time with your family. We also wish you a very healthy, and happy 2023 and look forward to seeing you in January!



January Calendar

January 2023						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Kwanzaa Ends New Year's Day	2 Last Day of Winter Break Students not in attendance	3 School Re- opens	4	5	6 Spirit Day *Don't forget to wear red	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 ProD Day Students not in attendance	17	18	19 PAC Meeting *6:30pm in the library	20	21
22	23	24	25 Kindergarten Dental checks @9am	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Winter Concert Video

Classroom teachers are busily preparing students for our Winter Concert Video. The video is a wonderful way for students to showcase their learning and a lovely way to wrap-up Term 1 before the winter break. The video will be available on our All Students at Hudson Team from Friday, December 16th until Tuesday, January 3rd.

Winter Concert 2022.mov

Communication Student Learning (CSL)

Mid-year Communicating Student Learning (CSL) reports will be sent home at the end of January 2022. Your child's progress report will include descriptive written comments addressing:

- Student learning strengths
- Areas for growth
- Ways to support learning

In addition, there will be a Student Competency Scale (your child's progress in relation to the grade-level expectations):

- BEGINNING to acquire knowledge, skills, strategies, and processes
- DEVELOPING the ability to apply knowledge, skills, strategies, and processes
- APPLYING knowledge, skills, strategies, and processes consistently
- EXTENDING knowledge, skills, strategies, and processes creatively and strategically

We encourage parents to take an active part in giving feedback, setting goals, and supporting their

child in their learning. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the classroom teacher or the admin team.

VCH When Should I Keep My Child Home

Please keep your child home if they:

- Have a fever.
- Are too sick to take part in all normal school activities.
- Have a suspected or known communicable disease (i.e., strep throat, chicken pox, measles).

• Is vomiting or has diarrhea. It is recommended that students be symptom free at least 24 hours before returning to school.

Keep your child home until they can participate fully in normal school activities or as told by a health care provider. VCH When Should I Keep My Sick Child Home From School

VSB After the Bell

In the latest episode of VSB After the Bell, they went live on location at Hastings, Thunderbird, Nightingale, and **Hudson** Elementary schools to speak with students on how they celebrate winter celebrations at school. They also sat down with Mr. Dong who talked about the importance of incorporating diversity, equity and inclusion into the curriculum throughout the holiday season. Check it out! **Hudson 28:18**

https://www.vsb.bc.ca/news/_layouts/15/ci/post.aspx?oaid=78e9fdb5-1584-4b71-94e6-5f12de98a21f&oact=20001

PAC Information

The next Parent Advisory Council meeting will be on **Thursday, January 19th at 6:30pm** in-person in the library. All Hudson parents/guardians are welcome! Please check the PAC website for more information on updates. <u>hudsonpac.ca</u>

