



École Neil Campbell School

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ÉNC S E-Memo – February 26, 2026



Upcoming Important Dates

Thursday, February 26, 2026	Kindergarten Information Evening for Parents/Guardians (for next school year) from 6:00pm – 7:00pm
Friday, February 27, 2026	No School – École Neil Campbell In-Service Day.
Monday, March 2, 2026	School Day 2 – Caterpillar Kindergarten day
Tuesday, March 10, 2026	P.A.C. Meeting – 6:30pm – 7:30pm
Thursday, March 12, 2026	Healthy Hunger Hot Lunch for those who ordered.
Thursday, March 19, 2026	Parent/Teacher Conferences. 4:00pm – 8:00pm. More information to follow.
Friday, March 20, 2026	No School – Co-ordinated Day
Monday, March 30, 2026 to Friday, April 3, 2026	No School - Spring Break. School re-opens Monday, April 6. School Day 4.

Important School Reminders & Announcements

Please go to our [school's website](#) for detailed information and up to date reminders about our school. Remember to check out our school's [news](#) and [calendar](#) for upcoming important dates. The following sections are updated regularly and contain important information:

- [Parents & Community](#)
 - [Important school reminders](#) like lunch program, student absences and more.
 - [E-Memos](#). Latest weekly e-memos are added to our website.
 - [Parent Association](#), Parent Advisory Council (PAC) information and meeting minutes.
- [Policies](#)
- [Documents & Forms](#)
- [Cold Weather Guidelines](#) & [Warm Weather Guidelines](#)
- [Transportation](#) information including bus cancellations and delays.
- [Programs & Services](#)

[Parking information and guidelines](#) - Please make sure to pay attention to the City of Winnipeg's signage surrounding our school to avoid getting a parking ticket. You can report parking/stopping infractions at: [Report a parking violation \(winnipeg.ca\)](#). Please do not stop or park near our patrols (see highlighted areas on the map to the right).



[Regarding Head Lice](#) - We have recently been made aware of one or more cases of head lice in the school. Please remember that head lice occur in all schools and can happen to anyone. We are asking that you remind your child(ren) to not share hairbrushes, hats, toques, or hoodies, and to try their best to avoid head-to-head contact with other students. More information can be found on [The Government of Manitoba's](#) website.



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What's Happening at École Neil Campbell School?

Kindergarten Registration – Begins Monday, March 2, 2026. for children born in 2021, who are turning 5 years old on or before December 31, 2026. Starting on **Friday, February 13, 2026**, fillable PDFs of our registration will be available on our school website under the [Documents & Forms](#) section, or for pick up from our school office. If you require Transportation forms, they are also available on our school website under Documents & Forms.

Kindergarten Information Evening - [A Kindergarten Information evening](#) for parents/guardians whose children will attend École Neil Campbell School in September will be held on **Thursday, February 26, 2026** from 6:00pm – 7:00pm. See the school website for more information.

Hot Lunch with Healthy Hunger – Accounts and orders can be made on the [Healthy Hunger](#) website.

Calling all Volunteers! - Individuals wishing to volunteer in a classroom, or attend a field trip as a volunteer, must submit a Volunteer Form. These forms are available in the school's office and are valid for three (3) years. If you have previously filled out a Volunteer Form but do not know if it is currently valid, please contact the school's office and we will be able to check for you.



Parent Teacher Conferences - Our school will be holding parent-teacher-student conferences on Thursday, March 19, 2026 from 4:00pm – 8:00pm. Appointments will be booked via Conference Manager; more information to follow.

PAC – Our PAC has exciting news about improving our playground area. Please see the attached PDF.

A message from our Kindergarten Teachers, Mme Nanton and Mr. Baran in Rooms # 01 & 02

Who Ya Gonna Call??...Ghostbusters!!

During our **I Love to Read Week**, at the end of January, we had a *spook-tacular* surprise for the children when the **Winnipeg Ghostbusters** paid us a visit! Our special guests, who are actually a group of volunteers who work to raise money for the Children's Hospital Foundation of Manitoba, shared their love of reading with our classes, reminding students that books can take us on exciting adventures and help us imagine new worlds. The children were thrilled and engaged, and it was a fun and memorable way to celebrate the joy of reading together.





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Community News

Preschool Growing and Learning Days – École Neil Campbell School is among 5 schools who will be hosting this event for children beginning kindergarten in September. The event is on **Wednesday, April 29, 2026** from 4:30pm-6:30pm. See the attached PDF for details.

Parenting for Prevention – How to Talk with Your Early/Middle Years Youth About Substance Use. The RETSD is hosting an event at Joseph Teres School on **Wednesday, March 11, 2026** from 5:00pm-6:30pm. See the attached PDF for details.

KinderLinks free programs provide families with young children (birth to age five) with opportunities to play, learn, and connect with each other. Check out the latest [Winter Newsletter](#) and the [Countdown to Kindergarten issue](#). Contact KinderLinks at kinderlinks@retsd.mb.ca or 204-669-4043.

RETLife programming for Winter 2026 is open for registration!

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COUNTDOWN TO KINDERGARTEN: Starting kindergarten is a major milestone in your child's educational journey. As you are preparing for the first day of school, know that your child's school and teacher are preparing to meet both you and your child. At River East Transcona School Division, we strive to make our classrooms safe, caring places of learning where students feel included, respected, secure, and valued. Your child will grow as a learner through activities that encourage inquiry, discovery, imagination, creativity, and problem-solving. Our staff recognizes that you are your child's first teacher and we look forward to collaborating with you to make kindergarten both a time for learning and a time for fun.

Schools in RETSD need to find out which school your child is designated to attend. Use our School Locator, which you'll find at the top of the School section of our website. You'll also find a complete list of RETSD schools and their contact information (address, phone number). All our school websites list their bell times, parent association information, upcoming events and activities, and provide registration forms.

IT'S FREE!

Countdown to Kindergarten Preschool Growing & Learning Days

Do you have a child who will be starting kindergarten in RETSD in September 2026?

At this FREE event, your child will have the opportunity to enjoy educational games and activities with kindergarten, resource, and gym teachers, play musical instruments, and get their vision and hearing screened. Meet our friendly principals, student support staff, and community service providers to help your child get ready for the adventure of school.

The activities and screening stations take approximately 30 minutes to complete.

Agree to bring: Book that starts with E (Early) or height in girls, Last Weekend, Pajamas, Pinks, Creams, Princess Magazine.

Wednesday, April 29, 4:30-6:30 p.m.
École Neil Campbell School, 845 Ontario St.

Thursday, May 7, 4:30-6:30 p.m.
Barnie Wolfe School, 95 Bow Mills Dr.

Friday, May 15, 4:30-6:30 p.m.
École Salisbury Morse Place School, 795 Prince Rupert Ave.

Friday, May 20, 4:30-6:30 p.m.
Wayoata School, 605 Wayoata St.

Friday, May 27, 4:30-6:30 p.m.
Dorwood School, 420 Dorwood Dr.

Registration for these events begins March 2, 2026

Register online:

Or call: 204.669.4043
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Parenting for Prevention
How to Talk with Your Early/Middle Years Youth About Substance Use

Wednesday, March 11, 2026
5-6:30 p.m.
Joseph Teres School
131 Sanford Fleming Rd.

Dinner will be provided at 5 with the presentation to start at 5:30.

Registration deadline: March 6, 2026

To register please call 204.669.4200 ext. 2548, or scan the QR code.

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