



École Springfield Heights School

Community Report 2022-2023

Principal/Directrice: Kerry Cressall
Vice Principal/directrice adjointe: Carrie Gillis

Vision Statement

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Mission Statement

At École Springfield Heights School, we embrace diversity and are dedicated to providing a purposeful, inclusive education for all children in a safe and respectful learning community.

About Us

- 450 students
- Grades K - 5
- 22 Classroom Teachers
- 1 Teacher Librarian
- 2 Music Teachers
- 2 Phys. Ed. Teachers
- 2 Resource Teachers
- 1 Guidance Counsellor
- 2 Administrators
- 9 Educational Assistants
- 1 Library Technician
- 1 Teacher Librarian
- 1 Early Numeracy Facilitator
- 2 Secretaries
- 2 Custodians
- 3 Custodial Aides
- 10 Lunch Supervisors

- English Curriculum
- French Immersion Curriculum
- Lunch Program
- Extra-curricular clubs for all students

School Plan Priorities

The priorities chosen for École Springfield Heights School align closely with the provincial and divisional priorities.

Looking back at the 2022-2023 School Year

◆ **Students will use mathematics with confidence, accuracy and efficiency.**

Successes:

Students have participated in real life math activities in the classroom and in the library including coding, technology and activities. Students explored math with increasing confidence throughout the year and learned strategies to solve problems more efficiently.

◆ **Students will become literate citizens who use language to communicate, comprehend, and critically think**

Successes:

Students explored language in a variety of ways and were successful in thinking critically about and communicating the messages from the a variety of texts. Students also communicated their own messages to others in a variety of ways.

◆ **Students will become safe and caring citizens who are committed to respecting diversity, inclusivity, equity, and sustainability.**

Successes:

Students had an opportunity to explore a variety of cultures and community celebrations from around the world. They were able to participate in initiatives to support sustainability in our community. Students showed understanding of kindness and inclusion in their classrooms and as a part of the greater community.

Looking ahead to the 2023-2024 School Year

- ◆ We will be working to build a strong school community in which students will feel connected to each other. In this work we will learn more about and celebrate the diversity in our own school community. Families will be invited to support our learning.
- ◆ We will be exploring a variety of strategies to empower students to facilitate their own well being.
- ◆ We will work to enhance students' literacy skills. Students will work with diverse texts and be engaged with these texts in a variety of ways.



Expectations of Students
Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Responsible



Highlights 2022-2023

SPRINGFIELD HEIGHTS SUPPORTS THE LOCAL COMMUNITY:

- donated 15 Christmas care packages to ? Families
- donated 11 holiday packages to newcomer families
- collected 265 kg of food for Harvest Manitoba which equals 746 meals for families
- collected over 900 pairs of socks for Main Street Project
- collected 1 toiletry items for shelters
- collected 1 pair of glasses for the Lion's Eye bank

SPRINGFIELD HEIGHTS SUPPORTS THE NATIONAL AND GLOBAL COMMUNITY:

- collected \$216.35 in donations for Terry Fox

SPRINGFIELD HEIGHTS RECYCLES:

- 52 litres of drink tabs were collected to support wheelchairs for youth
- 876 batteries for Call 2 Recycle Battery Recycling Program
- 9 printer Ink cartridges for recycling
- 401 writing instruments

PRESENTATIONS THAT CAME:

- Thibert le voyageur and his partner Doozie entertained the whole school during a Festival du Voyageur assembly
- Ivan Flett Memorial Dancers
- Winnipeg Police Services presentation for grade 5 students
- University of Manitoba WISE science program visited and explored coding with robots with grade 4/5 and grade 5 classes
- Wisekidnetics came to introduce grade 1 students to coding in French
- students from CDEM came to introduce financial literacy in grade 1 in French
- City of Winnipeg Fire Safety House came to share fire safety messages with Kindergarten to grade 3 students

PLACES WE WENT:

- over 38 grade 2 students attended the Manitoba Theatre for Young People presentation of It's Okay to be Different based on Todd Parr stories
- over 38 grade 2 students visited the Henderson Public Library
- All grade 4 and 5 students in the French Immersion program attended a Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra performance
- 25 grade 4/5 students in the English Program attended a performance of Twisted Oz at Chief Peguis Middle School
- All grade 4/5 French Immersion students attended a French movie through Cinemental
- All grade 5 French Immersion students attended a voyageur themed field trip at Oak Hammock Marsh
- All patrols went bowling and enjoyed a morning of play at a park for their hard work
- 70 grade 3/4 students enjoyed a half-day of fossil hunting at the Mariash Quarry in Stony Mountain
- All of the English Program classes enjoyed an amazing day exploring our beautiful Assiniboine Park Zoo

GUESTS WHO CAME:

- Representative from Terry Fox Foundation spoke at the Terry Fox assembly
- Lieutenant-Colonel Jon Baker came to speak to the whole school on Remembrance Day
- Lieutenant-Colonel Jon Baker spoke to grade 4/5 students in their classroom
- 1 student from Red River College Educational Assistant practicum program helped in many classrooms across the school
- Over 40 volunteers spent time at Springfield Heights in a number of programs
- Andrew Mickelfield, MLA for Rossmere, visited some of the grade 3 & 4 classrooms

ACTIVITIES IN WHICH WE PARTICIPATED:

- all students participated in the Terry Fox Run
- all students and staff participated in an Orange Shirt Day assembly
- all students participated in the School Walkathon
- all kindergarten to grade 5 students participated in a community walk and flash mob for Pink Shirt Day
- over 150 students in grade 3, 4 and 5 participated in the Divisional Cross Country Run at Bird's Hill Park
- over 50 students in grade 4 and 5 participated in a flag football intramural and then the divisional tournament.
- all grade Kindergarten-grade 5 students participated in the Christmas Concert
- All grade 3, 4 and 5 students participated in winter activity day
- all students participated in Global School Play Day
- over 50 grade 3, 4 and 5 students participated in the divisional tumbling rally
- over 75 Grade 4 and 5 students participated in team handball during intramurals and the divisional tournament
- over 100 Grade 2, 3, 4 and 5 students participated in soccer during intramurals
- over 50 grade 4 and 5 students participated in the divisional soccer tournament.
- All kindergarten to grade 5 students participated in the Folkdance festival held at school.
- ?? grade ?? students participated in the makerspace club
- Students from Kindergarten to grade 5 participated in yoga club
- All Kindergarten to Grade 5 Students participated in jiggling workshops
- Over 30 Grade 5 students volunteered to help at the new kindergarten Open House
- ?? Grade 5 students were milk monitors
- ?? Grade 5 students were library helpers
- 78 Grade 4/5 student were patrols
- ?? Grade 5 students were lunch monitors
- All classes participated in the Battle of the Books
- 10 grade 3 and 4 students participated in Smudge Leadership training

