



REED RANCH ROUND UP  
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(403) 556-2429

February 2023



Report cards out today! Gr. K-4 paper copies go home  
Grades 5 & 6 may be viewed online through  
Powerschool. Powerschool App is the easiest way.  
District code is BPWW (Your child has received their  
passwords, call the office if you need yours).  
403-556-2429

School Day tomorrow - Slide to Friday, February 3

West Coast Seeds Fundraiser info included in here but  
also coming home today if you'd like a copy to show  
family and friends.



Upon review of our lunch policies ie: hot dogs,  
pizza, subs and hot lunches. If you have ordered  
but your child is away meals will not be kept in  
the fridge or freezer. A sibling may take it home  
or you may come and pick it up that day as no  
refunds will be given.

Thank you for your understanding on this  
matter.



It is important to make sure that your  
child has a water bottle and utensils  
in their lunch kit for meals. The  
school does not provide these extras.  
Thank you.

### Daily Schedule

8:24 classes begin  
10:15-10:30 morning recess  
12:00-12:15 lunch recess  
12:15-12:30 lunch time  
2:00-2:15 afternoon recess  
3:30 dismissal

## Flora and Ulysses



Well? What do you think? Is your family liking the book as much as we are? We hope that you are following along with our chapter reading guide sent out on the Weekly Reminders and can also be found on the website calendar. We hope that you are making time to enjoy this book as a family and the community of readers. Last week we drew squirrels and have them hanging in the hallway, yesterday we made squirrel corner bookmarks.

Next week we will be reading Chapters 22 - 28.



### Reed Ranch School Spring Fundraiser with West Coast Seeds!

This year we are running a fundraiser with West Coast Seeds for the purpose of raising funds to help cover bussing costs for swimming lessons and field trips . We chose this fundraiser because we would like to promote a program that is environmentally friendly and promotes growing food.

Did you know that every packet you sell will earn 40% for our students at Reed Ranch School.

West Coast Seeds provides Canada No 1 seeds that are untreated and non- GMO which means that it promotes sustainability. They have provided a wide range of their bestselling vegetables, herbs, and flowers, to give a little something for everyone.

All seeds can be ordered on the fundraising site ([fundraising.westcoastseeds.com](https://fundraising.westcoastseeds.com)).

***Please ensure that you order from this site only***, otherwise we will not earn the 40%.

When you are ready to order, make your choices and add to your cart. Once you have completed your order, find our organization on the dropdown menu. Add in your details so that we can contact you when the orders are ready for pick up.

Please make sure to order between February 6th - February 16th to avoid disappointment. If you are unable to order online, please contact Krista McInnis at (403)-586-4035 fundraising organizer for help.

Thank you in advance for your support!



## Embracing Indigenous students and their families

A message from Superintendent Kurt Sacher

Acting in support of our commitment to our 900 Indigenous students and their families, and to embrace Indigenous Learning for all students and staff, we will be installing Treaty flags inside schools across our division as a sign of respect to Indigenous Peoples.

Recently, our Board of Trustees, Leadership Team, and School Administration Teams shared an important flag ceremony with Elders, Knowledge Keepers and special guests from Treaty 6, Treaty 7 and the Métis Nation.

It was a touching and historic moment for our school division. It fills us with tremendous pride as we continue to make authentic steps forward with respect to truth and reconciliation. It was a special day in our critically important journey.

I would like to thank our Indigenous Learning team for bringing us together with our honoured guests, and to all our administrators, staff and trustees for what they have all done to this point and for what they will continue to do.

The admin team from your child's school will provide further information on their own flag ceremony as their plans evolve, and we thank you for walking alongside us throughout this journey. In Chinook's Edge, our actions will always speak louder than our words.

*Kurt Sacher*



Superintendent Kurt Sacher shared a warm greeting with honoured guests before addressing the audience, while students provided a spirited celebration in dance at the Indigenous Flag ceremony. Chinook's Edge is working to ensure our Indigenous students and families feel welcome, cared for and respected through our Indigenous Students Matter committee, our Indigenous Learning Team with reps in every school, and our heartfelt commitment. Please read more [here](#).

To read the latest Board eNews, please [click here](#).



# Class Lists for Valentines:



Kindergarten:

Aliza B.  
Logan  
Cristopher  
Cecilia  
Eliza  
Leonardo  
Braxton  
Marcus  
Wyatt  
Railee  
Havana  
Ella  
Declan  
Antonio  
Ben  
Sophie

Grade One:

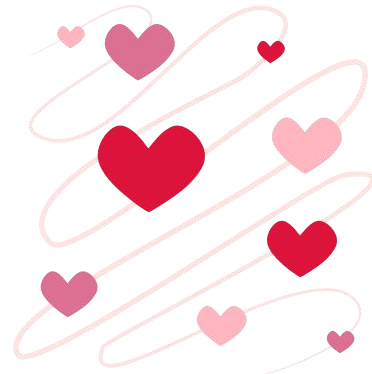
Hunter  
Zayne  
Austin  
Raul  
Myles  
Riley

Grade Two:

William  
Thomas  
Xander  
Cheyenne  
Natalia  
Charlie  
Abi  
Jax  
Ethan  
Everly

Grade Three:

Blake  
Rhen  
Daniel  
Hannah  
Alaya  
Jace  
Matina  
Carson



Happy  
Valentine's  
Day!

Grade Four:

Joeseeph  
Charlie  
Gracie  
Ella  
William

Grade Flve:

Conner  
Heidi  
Gavin  
Emily  
Eric  
Hayley  
Klingston  
Sophia  
Caleb  
Justice  
Norman

Grade Six:

Danica  
Evelyn  
Julea  
Mason  
Ella

Staff:

Ms Tetzlaff  
Ms Cranston  
Mr Seidel  
Ms Wilks  
Mrs Schafer  
Mrs Ayers  
Mrs Lecerf  
Ms Bennett  
Mr Larouche  
Mr Schafer (Howard)  
Mrs Goodbrand



# Ms. Tetzlaff's Kindergarten/Grade 1 & 2 Class

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Happy February! Our themes for this month will include winter, friendship and bears.

### Kindergarten:

Language arts: we will continue to focus on various winter stories and work on how to retell a story as well as learning how to sequence the events of the stories. We are continuing to work really hard on learning how to recognize letters and sounds of the alphabet and working in our Jolly Phonics books on our printing skills. We have started our Read At Home Program which is an exciting time for the kindergarten students :) Please try to send these books back each kindergarten day so we can exchange them for your child to read.

Math - We are continuing to work on number recognition (building, drawing, and printing numbers from 0 to 10).

Social Studies - We will continue on our 'Me' Unit and what makes us unique.

### Grade 1 /2:

In Language Arts, we will continue to develop reading strategies, continue with sight word practice as well as learning how to develop good sentences with more descriptive words. I encourage you to please remember to continue to take a few minutes to read the Read at Home books/sight words with your child each day.

For the next few months **the entire school** will be doing a One book -One school book study and reading Flora & Ulysses by Kate Dicamillo. A weekly schedule will be sent out each week through our online school messenger. I hope you enjoy reading this book with your child each day as a read aloud. This is a great way to build on their reading skills :) We are excited to read this book together as a school and will be doing various activities as a school to go alongside this novel.

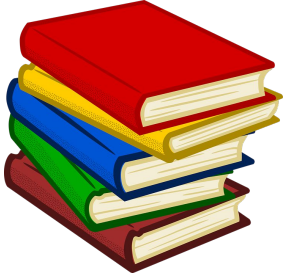
Math: we will be working on our adding and subtracting skills without regrouping and continue learning about place values.

Social: Students will continue to learn about Saskatoon.

Happy Valentine's Day and Have a wonderful February! I appreciate all your continued support!

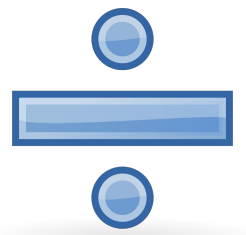






**Language Arts:** We are moving into our non-fiction unit. Students are looking at asking and answering questions, features of non-fiction text such as glossaries and captions, and finding the best information. In grammar we are looking at subject/verb and noun/pronoun agreement.

**Math:** We are moving on the division. Grade 3's will be looking at splitting things evenly between groups and basic division facts related to multiplication facts up to 5x5. Grade 4's will be looking at basic division facts related to multiplication facts up to 9x9, as well as beginning long division.



**Social Studies:** We are looking at the economy, tourism and culture of Tunisia. We will also look at the ancient city of Carthage. We will then look at the basic imports and exports, and how they compare to those of Canada.

**Science:** We will be looking at boats and buoyancy. We will then move to looking at light and shadows.



# February 2022 Mr. Seidel's Grades 4/5/6.

## Language Learning 5/6.

A - Z reading.

One book, one school novel study: Flora and Ulysses.

Creative writing - News story.

Cursive Writing - letters M, N, and O.



## Math 5/6.

Grade 5 - Division

Shape and Space I

Grade 6 – Shape and Space I - Measuring and identifying angles.

Shape and Space II - Identifying and describing 2-D and 3-D shapes.

## Social Studies 5/6.

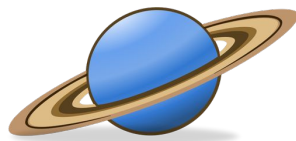
Democracy - provincial government.

Canada - The Interior Plains Region, The Cordillera Region,  
and The Arctic Region.

## Science 5/6.

Sky Science.

Planets, moons, meteors, asteroids, comets, stars, galaxies, rovers,  
and much more.

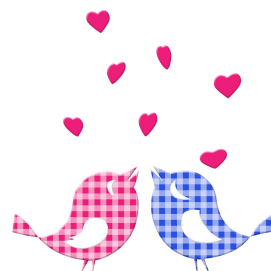


## French 4/5/6.

My house identifying rooms, floors of a house, and furniture and other things one  
would find in those rooms.

## Art 4/5/6.

Abstract art and Valentine's art projects.



HAPPY

BIRTHDAY



Matina S. in Grade 3 on Feb. 4

Emily M. in Grade 5 on Feb. 6

Raul U. in Grade 1 on Feb. 15

Sophia S. in Grade 5 on Feb. 17

Evelyn P. in Grade 6 on Feb. 18

Thomas B. in Grade 2 on Feb. 20

Sophie V. in ECS on Feb. 25

and

Cecilia D. in ECS on Feb. 26

**REGISTRATION IS  
OPEN**

[OldsMinorSoccer.ca](http://OldsMinorSoccer.ca)

Registration closes  
April 1


Mon/Wed: U11, U15, U19  
Tues/Thurs: U6, U9, U13, U17

Teams will be mixed boys/girls.  
U11-U19 will play 8 vs 8

Dates are subject to change pending on number of players and coaches available



# FEBRUARY 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1	2 Hot Dog Lunch Round Up Published Report cards go home for K-4 Reports online for Grades 5-6 Pizza order deadline	3 <b>Slide to Friday - School Day</b>	4
5	6	7	8	9 Pizza Lunch	10 No School Collaborative Day	11
12	13 Hot Dog orders due by 12 pm <b>Return Library Books Gr. 1-6</b>	14  Valentine's Day <b>Return Library Books ECS</b>	15	16 Hot Dog Day	17 Non School Day	18
19	20 Family Day Holiday <b>No School Winter Break</b>	21 <b>No School Winter Break</b>	22 <b>No School Winter Break</b>	23 <b>No School Teachers' Convention</b>	24 <b>No School Teachers' Convention</b>	25
26	27 <b>Return Library Books Gr. 1-6</b>  <b>Parent Council Meeting</b>	28 <b>Return Library Books ECS</b>	1	2	3	4