



Школа R. F. MORRISON SCHOOL

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Welcome Back to Школа R.F. Morrison School! “Working, learning and growing together”

Message From the Office

Welcome back to another school year! There is already a lot happening at Школа R.F. Morrison School as we begin the 2018-2019 school year. We are a new Admin team (Andrew Volk, Principal and Amber Anderson, Vice-Principal) and we are thrilled to join the school and the community and looking forward to working, learning and growing with students, staff and parents! Here are a few of the exciting updates as we kick off September.

- In addition to a new admin team, we have a new teacher in the Ukrainian program (Gr. 2/3) Romana Suchy. Mrs. Dahl and Mrs. Oakley also return to Morrison this September – Welcome! We also have a new classroom (Room 16) for 1/2/3 Grant (formerly the multi-purpose room).
- Our technology refresh took place over the summer. We received new chromebook laptops for every classroom. These will be great learning tools to support student learning through research, learning centres and the creation of multimedia.
- We continue with the Balanced School Day for grades 1-6, which supports learning, nutrition and an active lifestyle.
- Roof construction on the original side of the building continues. This is a project that will likely take up to a couple of months to complete. We are taking steps to ensure that interruptions to learning are minimal and that safety is our first priority.
- New ways to stay in touch! Школа R.F. Morrison School joins the many Seven Oaks groups who are already on Twitter. You can follow us @RFM7Oaks for news and updates about the school. The principal will also manage a school “Remind” account which lets you have reminders and alerts sent directly to your phone via text. You can sign up by simply texting the message @rfmo to the number (705) 230-2179. You will get general notices about things like days off, picture days, bus cancellations due to weather, etc.

Please take the opportunity to review the Family Handbook (available on website) along with any other information you receive at your child's orientation meeting so that we can work together to have a great school year. You are always welcome to contact us at the school if you have any questions, concerns or ideas that you'd like to share – parents are an essential part of the learning team and we are excited to meet and work with you!

Sincerely,

Andrew Volk, Principal
Amber Anderson, Vice-Principal

SEPTEMBER 2018

Школа R.F. Morrison School
<http://www.7oaks.org/school/rfmorrison>

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
	WELCOME BACK!!					1
2	3 Labour Day (No Classes)	4 Day 1 Orientation Day (K-8) Admin/PD (9-12)	5 Day 2 Orientation Day (K-9)	6 Day 3	7 Day 4	8
9	10 Day 5 Rosh Hashanah	11 Day 6 PAC Meeting (6:00 p.m.)	12 Day 1	13 Day 2	14 Day 3	15
16	17 Day 4	18 Day 5 Yom Kippur	19 Day 6	20 Day 1 School BBQ	21 Day 2 Picture Day	22
23 30	24 Day 3	25 Day 4	26 Day 5	27 Day 6	28 Day 1	29

October 2018 – IMPORTANT DATES

Oct. 8th Thanksgiving Day- NO SCHOOL
 Oct. 12th Divisional PD Day - NO SCHOOL
 Oct. 19th MTS PD Day – NO SCHOOL

Parent-Child Program located in school library:
Monday Mornings 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. and Wednesday afternoons
1:00-3 :00 p.m. beginning September 26th, 2018 in the school library.
After winter break Mon. and Wed. mornings for the remainder
of the school year.

GRADE 6 BAND @ H.C. Avery – Day 1, 2 and 5
TAS @ GCCI – Day 3

Heritage Language forms can be picked up in the office and
must be returned by September 21, 2018.