



# Grade Primary and One Communication Plan Mrs. Veronica Singer Ms. Ericka Webb 2021-22

## Welcome!

Hello and welcome to a new school year! We are so pleased to be your child's teacher and are looking forward to our time together.

This newsletter will provide you with some general information about our class and some expectations for the year. I hope you find it helpful!

Although you can contact the school at any time with questions, it might not hurt to pin this up somewhere.

## Ways to Reach Me

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[webbem@ccrce.ca](mailto:webbem@ccrce.ca) or you can write a note in agenda

Here is an overview of what we will be working on in grade primary and one this year.

### Language Arts

A balanced literacy program will address:

- Speaking and Listening
- Reading and Viewing
- Writing and Other Ways of Representing

### Math

- Numbers
- Patterns and Relations
- Measurement
- Geometry

As per curriculum expectations, all other subject areas will be taught in an integrated method. This means that while Language Arts and Math skills are being taught, we will be using topics, ideas, and explorations focusing on Science, Social Studies, Health, and Visual Arts.

Some of these topics may include:

#### Science

- Sand and Water
- Living Things
- Daily and Seasonal Changes
- Constructing Objects

#### Social Studies

- Identity
- Roots
- Place and Time
- Needs and Wants

#### Health

- Healthy Self
- Healthy Relationships
- Healthy Community

#### Visual Arts

- Self-expression
- Awareness/Appreciation
- Look/Make/Reflect



Children want the same things we want. To laugh, to be challenged, to be entertained, to be delighted. ~Dr. Seuss



## Bus Notes

Following expectations from the bus garage, students are permitted two regular drop off spots. If there is going to be a change in their busing situation, please call Krista at the office. Once you have made contact with her, please ensure you always send a note in your child's agenda to let me know of any dismissal changes.



## Assessment/Evaluation

Ways in which I will assess student work include:

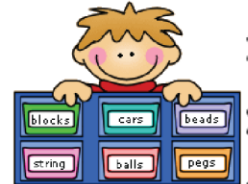
- Observations
- Conversations
- Informal interviews
- Checklists
- Rubrics
- Reading Records



## Expectations

Students will engage in many activities to learn about respect and responsible choices. They will have opportunities to show positive attitude and behavior by:

- Respecting themselves, others, and the school
- Interacting positively with others
- Resolving conflicts appropriately
- Working independently
- Using time wisely
- Following rules and routines
- Completing class activities
- Demonstrating organizational skills
- Taking care of belongings



## Keeping Up On Information

Throughout the school year I will use a variety of methods of communication. These may include:

- Agendas
- Reading Folders
- Notes
- Phone Calls
- Conference/Parent Teacher Meetings
- Report Cards
- E-mail

We also encourage you to communicate concerns, ideas, and information. The most efficient way to communicate with me is to send a note in your child's agenda or by e-mail. Please check your child's agenda daily and initial it. Any notes can be put in the front plastic pouch.

