



École Deer Meadow School

Chinook's Edge School Division

Week of Dec 6 - 10, 2021

Week at a Glance

Dec. 6 - Parent Council Meeting, 7 pm (link on the website calendar)

Dec. 7 - Pizza Tuesday

Dec. 9 - Quiznos Lunch

Dec. 10 - No School

Parent Reminders

- Quiznos and Pizza can be ordered by clicking [here](#)

- For all sports dates and times, please check our Deer Meadow Website Calendar!

S-No Way!! - a feel good story

We've seen a little of the white stuff prior to now, but December 1st sure brought the snow to Olds.

One of our grade 8 classes recognized that some of our surrounding neighbors may need a little help, so they went out to make a difference!

With shovels and holiday spirit in hand, our wonderful students cleared sidewalks, driveways and stairs to ensure that someone's day was made a little easier. They had no idea what a difference they made.

We received phone calls from home owners, passers by, and even a call from a visitor to Olds who said that the kindness of spirit they saw that day was remarkable. Our kiddos sometimes don't always get the credit they deserve, but that day the calls poured in to recognize some incredible students and staff who made the 'happy happen'!

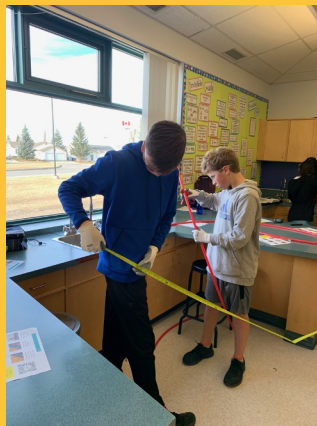
We hope this brings a smile to your face as it did ours; they now realize how small acts of kindness these days can truly go a long way!

Masks, Indoor Shoes, and Outdoor Clothes

Parents and Guardians,

There are a few things we see our students needing in and outside our halls, and we need your help!

- 1) Masks - please send your child with masks from home. Many students are coming without, and we need them to have one for the day and a spare in their locker please!
- 2) Indoor shoes - to help our custodians, please ensure your student has indoor shoes to change into when they arrive.



- 3) Outdoor wear - it's cold out there! Please ensure your child comes with a winter coat, mitts, a toque and snow pants in order to stay warm.

**Skills Exploration
with 8.1**

Leaders Leading

Candy Cane Sales until Dec 17th - \$0.50-\$1.00
(proceeds go to Olds Christmas Angels)

Hot Chocolate for the Homeless - Dec 7-9 (orders to be placed next week)

Ugly Sweater Day - December 9th

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November Student of the Month



A MESSAGE FROM CHINOOK'S EDGE SCHOOL DIVISION

Information for families travelling outside of Canada

December 1, 2021

Hello everyone,

With the holiday season approaching, we know that some families in our Chinook's Edge schools may be planning trips outside of Canada. With the changing dynamics of the global situation, we encourage you to refer to the Federal Government of Canada's website [at this link](#) for the most up to date information.

Below are two sections that are relevant to children under 12 travelling with a fully vaccinated parent, step-parent, guardian or tutor. Most pertinent to our school communities are the requirements from the Federal Government for an unvaccinated or not fully vaccinated child under 12 years of age:

1. Trips outside of Canada over 72 hours

The Government of Canada does not require an unvaccinated child who travelled with a fully vaccinated parent, step-parent, guardian or tutor to quarantine. However, upon return to Canada, the child/children are expected to follow the requirements listed below:

For 14 days after arrival, the child must not:

- attend school, camp or daycare
- attend a setting where they may have contact with vulnerable people (e.g., long-term care facility), including people who are immunocompromised, regardless of that person's vaccination status or public health measures
- travel on crowded public transportation that does not ensure physical distancing and masking
- attend large crowded settings, indoors or outdoors, such as an amusement park or sporting event

1. Trips outside of Canada under 72 hours

Starting November 30, 2021, 12:01 AM EST, Canadians or individuals who have right of entry, qualify as fully vaccinated travellers and who re-enter Canada within 72 hours of leaving, won't have to provide a pre-entry molecular test result. This will also apply to their accompanying children under 12, regardless of whether or not the children are vaccinated.

Again, we encourage you to refer to the [Federal Government website](#) for any updates to these requirements. We wish you a safe and happy holiday season.