

# Governor Semple School

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## April 2022 Newsletter



Dear Governor Semple families,

It's been another busy and exciting month at school! The warmer weather has been a welcome reprieve from the frigid winter temperatures we experienced this year, and we're hopeful indoor recess is behind us for another year.

I'm pleased to share that Sophia Bird and Reico Harper, recent graduates of Maples Collegiate (who danced at the school division's Graduation Pow Wow for several years), will be joining us as Pow Wow instructors after Spring Break. Sophia and Reico will work with our Music specialist, David Stark, to support a Pow Wow learning experience for students in grades one to five during some of their Music classes. Our grade five students will have the opportunity to spend some additional time learning about Pow Wow with Iroc Levasseur, one of our school division's Pow Wow instructors, in preparation for our divisional Graduation Pow Wow.

Many thanks, once again, to all school staff for their hard work, positivity, perseverance, and care throughout the past term. I continue to be grateful for the incredible support of staff and families in serving and supporting the students at Governor Semple School.

Wishing students, families, and staff a relaxing, safe, and enjoyable Spring Break. Enjoy the warmer weather and family time!

Take care,  
Sari



**Attendance:** Your child's safety and whereabouts are important to us. Our **Callback System** ensures that your child is safely in your care when he or she is absent from school. Please call **204-339-7112** if your child is going to be away or late. *Please keep in touch with us if your child will be staying home for an extended period of time.* If you have any concerns, or questions, please feel free to call us anytime. Our office hours are from 8:30am to 4:00pm. Outside of office hours, feel free to leave a voicemail message. As well, please feel free to update your contact information with the office (or on Parent Connect) anytime.





Please note the remaining important dates for the 2021-2022 School Year:

April 4, 2022 - First day of class after Spring Break (Day 6)

April 15, 2022 - Good Friday – No Classes

April 21 & April 22, 2022 – Professional Development Days – No Classes

May 23, 2022 - Victoria Day – School Closed

May 26, 2022 - Divisional Pow Wow

May 27, 2022 - Professional Development Day – No Classes

June 1-3, 2022 - Arts in the Park

June 21, 2022 - National Indigenous Peoples Day

June 27, 2022 - Professional Development Day – No Classes

Edmund Partridge Community School

### OPEN HOUSE

They will be posting their Open House video on their website on April 21st! Please take a moment to check it out. If you would like to see the awesome things they are up to in the meantime, you can join their Instagram page @ep\_community\_school.

\* Reminder to dress for wet weather

STAND WITH UKRAINE



**Was your child born in 2017?**

**Kindergarten Registration for the 2022-23 school year began**

**Monday, February 28, 2022**

**Registration is taking place online or by appointment at your catchment school.**

**If you have any questions or need assistance, please call Governor Semple School at 204-339-7112**

**Kindergarten**

