



COLLICUTT SCHOOL

SEVEN OAKS SCHOOL DIVISION



Report to the Community 2025-2026



Another fun and exciting school year has flown by. It is hard to believe that summer holidays are already here. This year was filled with so many memories as we learned together with laughter and love. Your children are amazing. They fill all of our days with wonder and excitement!

Collicutt by the Numbers

- 126 students at Collicutt
- 24 Staff in total
- 1 The first school in the division that has earned a Learning for Sustainable Futures designation
- 10 times a year we were able to provide students with a hot lunch along with robust snack bowls everyday and Tasty Tuesday once a month.
- 35 Students participated in Pow Wow club which was highest percentage in the division.
- 9 Manitoba Maple trees will be added to our new Collicutt forrest.
- 3 Stage compost system in our back field

Knowledge

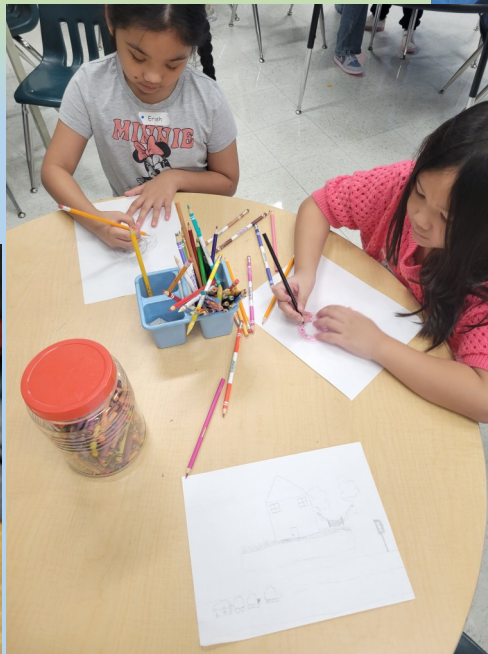
Our goal is to honor multiple forms of knowledge, including lived experiences and cultural wisdom. We hope to develop lifelong learners who think critically and creatively while building on student strengths through purposeful and meaningful learning.



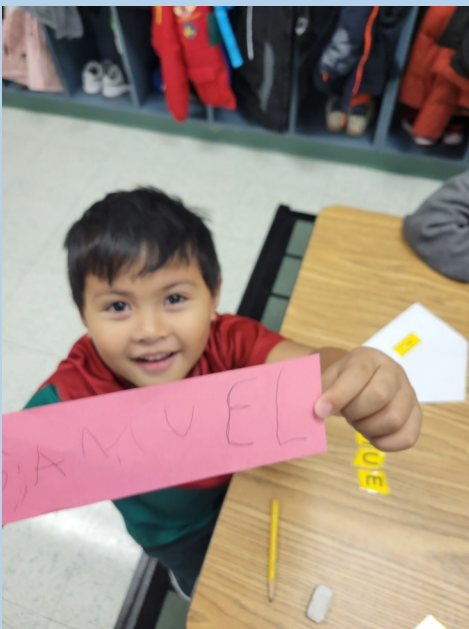
Room 7 learned about Robotics and programing with the help of our Divisional Tech Hub coordinator Ms.Monica.



Room 5 were part of the Roots of Empathy program with baby Ciki.



All grade 1-5 students were part of the Kids in the Know program taught by Ms. Shettler and Constable Shaun.



Learning in groups is a great way for students to collaborate with their peers and work their way through differing opinions.

Indigenous Perspectives

Our goal is to embed Indigenous ways of knowing and being into school life while encouraging empathy, understanding, and respect for all perspectives.



Alexis Nazeravich, Learning Centre Operations Coordinator (7 Oaks) supported our continued development of the Medicine Garden. The Medicine Garden was a collective effort that included Ms. Newman and Ms. Rarog and Ms. Lisa along with the collective effort of many students.



Mr. Dakota offered teachings to all of our students on a regular basis throughout the school year. Students learned Pow Wow games and words in Anishinaabemoowin.

Every student from grade 1 to 5 had the opportunity to join Pow Wow Club. From April to June Pow Wow Club ran once a week and was led by our Pow Wow instructors Mr. Dakota and Ms. Kathleen. This year we had 35 students take part in Pow Wow club.

Field trips to The Forks and Bunn's Creek help guide the learning around the 7 Sacred Teachings and The Medicine Wheel.

Every morning during the announcements students read our school Land Acknowledgement. Students have the opportunity to smudge at the beginning and end of every week.



Education for Sustainable Development

Our goal is to model environmental stewardship and ecological awareness while encouraging curiosity, responsibility, and care for the earth.

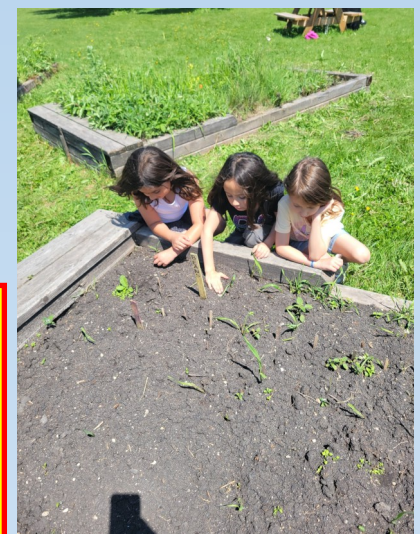


Students learned about the life cycle of a butterfly as multiple butterflies hatched and were released in the wild. Some of the butterflies did not survive and were given a dignified funeral.

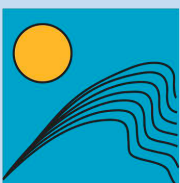
We composted, vermi-composted and recycled all year round. Students are a big part of helping these initiatives come to life.

Students from room 8 learned to grow plants from seed in our indoor hallway garden growing trays. The plants they grew were vegetables used to make a salad.

Our partnership with Learning For Sustainable Futures led to some amazing classroom initiatives like eliminating paper towel consumption, reusing rain water and addressing poverty in our city. This spring Collicutt participated in a university research study on the culture of sustainability within a school.



We added a second rain barrel to one of our eavestroughs. We are able to use this rain water to tend to the plants in our Medicine Garden.



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Celebrating as a Community

Our goal is to foster trust, connections and belonging while ensuring every child and family feels welcomed, valued and supported. We strive to strengthen relationships that build a caring, inclusive school culture.

As a community we came together twice to celebrate; The Community Get Together in September and The Family Fun Night in February.

Room 9 led multiple community initiatives to help feed and cloth the less fortunate in Winnipeg. As a community we collected clothing and Councillor Devi Sharma helped us make sandwiches for those that need it the most.



Room 5 participated in the Roots of Empathy program that gave students an opportunity to explore empathy in an authentic way with the help of a community mom and her new baby.



Our preschool program was an excellent way for future students to connect with each other and school. Moms, dads and grandparents joined Sonia to engage in early literacy and social and language development learning experiences both indoors and outdoors.



Identity

Our goal is to cultivate self-awareness, acceptance, and confidence in each student. We strive to honor individuality and celebrate diverse backgrounds while promoting fairness, equity, and a strong sense of belonging.



Our March Concert was one of the highlights of the year as it brought our community together at SOPAC for some unforgettable musical performances.



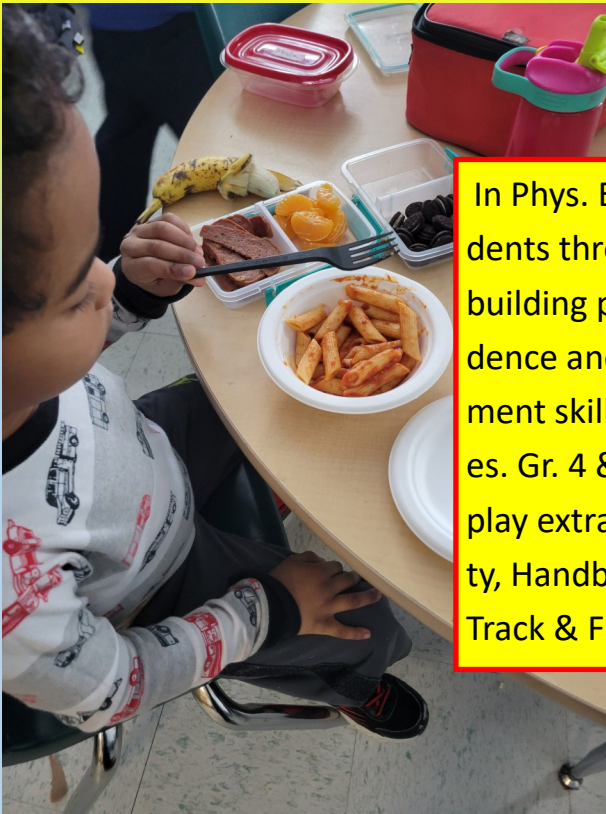
As allies, we promote the acceptance of and respect for others in a safe caring and inclusive school environment. We also proudly flew our Inclusive Pride flag all June.



Health

Our goal is to support the physical, emotional, mental, and spiritual well-being of all students. We hope to encourage balanced lifestyles and healthy habits while creating a safe and nurturing environment that promotes growth and resilience.

Tasty Tuesday happened once a month. Students had the opportunity to taste different fruits and vegetables and then we tallied the results.



In Phys. Ed., Ms. Schettler guides students through a variety of activities, building physical literacy with confidence and competence in both movement skills and healthy lifestyle practices. Gr. 4 & 5 students can also opt in to play extracurricular sports. (Cross Country, Handball, Volleyball, Badminton, Track & Field, Basketball.)



Thanks to our Nutrition grant and provincial Universal Nutrition budget we were able to provide each classroom with snack bowls. We were also able to have a Hot Lunch once a month at no charge to families.

