



# WEST KILDONAN COLLEGIATE

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**Dear West Kildonan Collegiate Families;**

## **Attendance Notification System ...**

WK's attendance notification system is called **School Messenger**. After an unexcused absence by your son or daughter, you will automatically be contacted in the evening by email and/or a phone call. Attending courses daily is a priority in order for students to build positive relationships in class, complete assignments, have an understanding of the valuable skills and concepts being taught and earn a mark/credit. At WK we seek to understand each student's situation, learning style and interests. We value working together with families to help school be engaging and a worthwhile journey for each of our students.

Along with School Messenger, teachers and support staff communicate concerns and celebrate accomplishments with families by phone, e-mail or via teacher websites/online programs. Families are encouraged to access PARENT CONNECT, an online program to review a student's ongoing attendance, to view report cards and to message student's teachers. *(please see reverse for detailed instructions on how to sign in to Parent Connect)*

Yours Truly,  
Heather Marks  
Principal

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