



ÉCOLE CORINTHIA PARK SCHOOL

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School Fees are Now Overdue

School fees are now past due. Please log onto your PowerSchool account to view and pay your child's school fees. If you have trouble paying the full amount, please call the school to make payment arrangements or to request to have your fees waived. Fees for the school year are:

- Grade 1- 3 Technology Fee - \$20.00**
- Grade 4-6 Technology Fee - \$50.00**
- Kindergarten Enhanced Program Fee - \$100**
- PreK 3 Year Old Program - \$60**
- PreK 4 Year Old Program - \$80**

Other school fees may be charged for field trips, sports and special events throughout the school year. A full list of all possible fees is available on our website under **Parents - Fees and Payments - 2023/24 Student Fees**

School Photos

Individual school photos were taken on September 19 and 20 and are available to preview and purchase online at <https://smartphotography.ca/>

Item Drop Off

If you are bringing lunch, homework, water bottles, etc. for your child, please leave the items in the bin outside the door with your child's name on it and our helpers will come and get it and deliver it to your child.

Free Family LRC Pass

This pass includes a family pass to use for a 1-week duration. Should you wish for your name to go on our list, please contact us at: ecps@blackgold.ca When your turn comes up, you will receive a black pouch with the pass and a notebook to record your fun in. We send the pouch out on a Wednesday to be returned the following Wednesday. The pouch must be returned to the school on time and with the pass card. There is a \$20 fee for the lost or not returned card. Thank you to the Leduc Recreation Centre for helping our families stay active together!

📎 [Copy of LRC2023__SchoolPass_Poster_Library.pdf](#)

Colder Weather is Here

With the colder weather coming, please remember to send your child appropriately dressed. We are finding many students do not have coats or sweaters and need to borrow from the office. Thank you for your help with this.

ÉCPS Cougar Clothing

Show your Cougar pride and wear your ECPS clothing on Corinthia Casual Thursdays! You can order online anytime with this [link](#) .

[Follow Us on Facebook!](#)

Find and follow/like the **École Corinthia Park School** Facebook page for updates on events and announcements from the school.

[Student Accident Insurance](#)

Students are covered with Accident Insurance during the school day and on all school based activities. Parents have the option to purchase a Student Accident Plan for coverage outside of school hours. Please click on this [link](#) for more information.

[Bus Loop and Parking Reminders](#)

The areas around the school are extremely busy before school and at dismissal time. To prevent injury to members of our school family, **[private vehicles are not permitted in the loop between 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. and 2:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.](#)**

Please ensure that your child uses the main crosswalk in front of the school when crossing Corinthia Drive. As well, please remember that the Staff parking lot is strictly for staff parking. Parents are not permitted to park and drop off children in this area.

[Black Gold School Division Highlights](#)

Please click on this [link](#) to view the most up to date school division highlights.

[Caregiver Education Sessions](#)

Alberta Health Services offers free mental health programming for parents and caregivers of children and youth. Many virtual sessions are available to support families. Click the link below to view the sessions being offered in October and to register for a session.

Link for [Virtual Education](#)

[School Council & Parent Association News](#)

Our next School Council and PA Meeting takes place on Wednesday, October 18 at 7:00 pm in the Library. Come and meet our executive and find out what we are doing to support École Corinthia Park School students! Thanks to all the parents who joined us for our first two meetings; we love to hear all the new ideas!

[Bake Sales are Back](#)

Beginning this month and every **3rd Tuesday** of the month, two classes will take their turn to host a bake sale, fundraising for year-round extracurricular activities, field trips, playground equipment, library resources and many other areas.

We are happy to announce that **HOME-BAKED GOODS HAVE BEEN APPROVED** for the 2023/2024 school year, but please remember that our bake sale offers **“NUT FREE” BAKING ONLY**. Please be sure all home-baked goods have been prepared in a “nut free” environment and in individually packaged portions. Please be sure all purchased baking is “nut free”, individually packaged, and delivered in its original packaging. When your turn comes to donate baked goods, your child’s classroom will be notified at the beginning of the month. An advanced list is posted on the school website.

This month the bake sale is being hosted by 2/3E and 3R on **Tuesday, October 17, 2023 - every item 50 cents each with a limit of 1 item per child.**

For the full year schedule, please click this link: [Bake Sale Schedule](#)

For this month's information, please click on this link: [October Poster](#)

[Popcorn Day](#)

Our Popcorn Days will be starting on October 26th, each bag is 50 cents with a maximum of 2 bags per child. If you would like your child to have Popcorn please send them with the money prior to or on the day of the sale.

[Popcorn Day - Schedule](#)

Hot Lunch

We are having Hot Lunch on Fridays (Thursdays if there is a PD day). We are using [Healthy Hunger](#) to facilitate our Hot Lunch program. Hot Lunch is provided for students **GRADE 1-6 ONLY**. If you would like to order lunches for your child, please go to [Healthy Hunger](#).

The website allows parents to order up to 5 days before the lunch. There are no refunds available once the 5-day deadline has passed. Should your child be absent on the day of hot lunch, you will not be provided a refund. You may, however, come and pick the lunch up at noon, or donate it to the school to feed a child in need.

ORDERING MUST BE DONE ON THE SATURDAY PRIOR TO THE HOT LUNCH DATE!!!

If you have any questions, concerns or feedback about the Hot Lunch Program, please email marleemoreau@hotmail.com.

Volunteers Needed for Hot Lunch, Bake Sales and Popcorn Days

We are in need of Volunteers to make these programs a success. Please sign up at [Sign Up Genius](#) to join the crew! One time or on a regular basis - everything helps! The school requires that you have a Volunteer Form completed prior to starting. Thank you for your support!

Family Halloween Dance

Save the date! Our Family Halloween Dance is taking place on Friday, October 27 from 5:30 - 7:30 pm. This is a free event for our ÉCPS families! Pizza will be available to pre-order for those who wish to do so and there will be a concession available. **Please note:** All students attending the dance must be accompanied by an adult.

Dieleman Fundraising Campaign

We are kicking off a new fundraiser and counting on your support! The best way to share your fundraiser is by creating an online account. Out of town friends and family may shop using your participant ID which is emailed to you when you create an account. If you already have one just login and re-send your link out!

*****Catalogues were sent home with your youngest child this week!*****

WHY: To help fund our programs and special functions such as field trip support, PhysEd equipment, school dances, and other school activities and events!

GOAL: For our supporters to participate and sell 10 items.

Helping us reach our goal is Fun and EASY. We have partnered with Dieleman Fundraising to make it happen! Browse the online shop for over 400 awesome products!

Shop Online and Share with Family and Friends: Email, Text, & Post to Social Media!

TO REGISTER:

Visit: <https://www.dfscanada.com/shop-now/>

To register you will need: Our Organization ID: 8220

Create an account by entering your information and choosing a password, once you are in your dashboard you can use SOCIAL SHARING to send emails, text messages and post right to Facebook. The links will connect directly to your shopping account. All orders placed with these links will be affiliated with the supporter that you registered!

Place Orders By: 10/20/2023

The more email invites you send, the more supporters we will get! Break out your email contact list, share on social media, and help spread the word! Don't forget to register for your Super Seller Rewards Club Account! You can find the registration link in your online dashboard!

Need Help? Check out our Helpdesk for FAQ or open a ticket for a quick response!

Visit: <https://support.dfscanada.com/support/tickets/new>

Thank you so much for your support!

Important Dates:

- Oct. 9th - NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Day
- Oct. 10th - NO SCHOOL - PD Day
- Oct. 12th - Kindergarten - Mme Shipley to Safety City @ 9:00 - 2:00
- Oct. 13th - **Hot Lunch**
- Oct. 17th - Bake Sale 3R & 2/3E responsible to bring 18 treats per child - 50¢ per item
- Oct. 18th - **No Pre-K Classes today**
- Oct. 18th - School Council/PA Meeting - 7:00 pm - Library
- Oct. 20th - Kindergarten - Mrs. Weatherby to Safety City - 9:00 - 2:00
- Oct. 20t - **Hot Lunch**
- Oct. 25th - **No Pre-K Classes today**
- Oct. 25th - Popcorn Day - 50¢ per bag - maximum 2 bags
- Oct. 27th - Halloween Dance @ 5:30 -7:30 pm
- Oct. 31st - Halloween Day - Activities TBD
- Nov. 1st - **NO SCHOOL - PD DAY**
- Nov. 2nd - Photo Re-Take Day