



# 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**

### Student Enrollment Verification Forms

Student Enrollment Verification forms are now available on your PowerSchool account (lower left column). These are to be completed for every student, even those who have just registered need to complete this form to confirm that your information is up to date. We currently only have **194** out of **471** forms completed, so please get the forms done ASAP. **These are due by November 30th.** Please click on this attachment for step by step instructions.

[Verification Form - Step by Step Instructions](#)

### School Photos & Retakes

Individual school photos were taken in September and are available to preview and purchase online at <https://smartphotography.ca/>. Our Photo Retake Day is on Thursday, November 2, if your child missed the original photo day or you would like retakes.

### Halloween - School Spirit Day

Halloween is coming soon and the excitement is building as our hallways are turning spooky! On Halloween Day, students who are dressing up should come to school dressed in their Halloween costumes. Classroom activities/Halloween parties will take place according to each teacher's classroom schedule; many fun activities have been planned. Although Halloween is a time to dress-up and have fun, our school dress code remains in effect; costumes should be appropriate for the school setting. **Just a reminder that weapons are also not allowed at school.**

Please remember that there is **NO SCHOOL** on Tuesday, November 1. This is a Professional Development Day for staff.

### Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent Teacher conferences will be held the week of November 6 -10. We hope to meet with all parents to share information about your child's progress. Your child's teacher will be reaching out to schedule conference times.

## **Purdy's Sale is Now On!**

Our Grade 6 classes are fundraising for their year end trip - help support them by purchasing some Purdy's Chocolates. Last day to order Purdy's is November 28th with pick-up the week of December 11th - 15th. Chocolates make a great gift! Check out what is available here: [Purdy's Ordering](#)

## **Remembrance Day**

We will host our Remembrance Day Assembly on Friday, November 10 at 10:30 am. All students will be given a poppy to wear for Remembrance Day; donations to the Legion Poppy Fund are appreciated.

## **Movember is Coming**

Starting November 2nd until December 2nd, if your child is able to bring in a donation for Movember, that would be greatly appreciated. For every dollar your child brings in, their name will be entered on a ballot. If you would rather donate online, please follow this link <https://movember.com/m/9954689?mc=1>

For every dollar, your child brings in, they will get one ballot (\$5 = 5 ballots). At the end of the month at the assembly, we will draw a name, that child will be able to shave Mr. Maron's Mo!!

Thank you in advance for your donations to a great cause!!

## **November Break**

The week of November 13 - 17 is Mid Term break. There will be no school for students or staff. Please see the [2023-2024 school year calendar](#)

## **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.

## **Black Gold School Division Highlights**

Black Gold School Division highlights are available on the website at any time. 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 November 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, November 22nd 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 few meetings; we love to hear new ideas!

## **Parents Association 50/50 Raffle**

The PA has a 50/50 Raffle open right now. Buy a ticket for your chance to win some cash and support our school. Raffle tickets can be purchased online by anyone who lives in Alberta, so share the link with friends and family! Money raised will help support PE and Music equipment and special events for our students. The draw date is October 27, so get your tickets now. Good luck to everyone!

## **Bake Sales are Back**

Thank you to all of the Grade 3R and 2/3E parents for the wonderful baked goods provided for our first Bake Sale of the year. It was a great success!

Our next Bake Sale is being hosted by **4S and 3D** on **Tuesday, November 21, 2023 - every item is 50 cents.**

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

## **Popcorn Day**

Our first Popcorn Day will be starting on October 26th. Students can purchase a bag of popcorn for 50 cents with a maximum of 2 bags per child. Money can be sent with your child prior to or on the day of the sale.

## **Popcorn Day - Schedule**

## **Hot Lunch**

Hot Lunch takes place each Friday (Thursdays if there is a PD day). Hot Lunch is available for students **GRADE 1-6 ONLY**. If you would like to order lunches for your child, please go to [Healthy Hunger](#).

The order deadline is 5 days before the lunch date- (Saturdays for Friday lunches). No refunds are available. If your child is absent on a hot lunch date, you may come and pick the lunch up at noon, or donate it to the school to feed a child in need.

If you have any questions, concerns or feedback about the Hot Lunch Program, please email [marleemoreau@hotmail.com](mailto: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 ECPS families! Pizza can be pre-ordered on Healthy Hunger 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**

Today is your last chance to order from our DFS Fundraiser. Catalogues were sent home a few weeks ago and the order deadline is today!

### **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!

Thank you so much for your support!

## **See below for upcoming Important Dates!**

- **Oct. 25th - No Pre-K Classes today**

- Oct. 26th - Popcorn Day - 50¢ per bag - maximum 2 bags
- Oct. 27th - PA 50/50 Raffle Draw
- Oct. 27th - Halloween Dance @ 5:30 -7:30 pm
- Oct. 31st - Halloween Day - Classroom activities
- Nov. 1st - **NO SCHOOL** - PD Day
- Nov. 2nd - Photo Re-Take Day
- Nov. 3rd - **Hot Lunch**
- Nov. 5th - **Daylight Savings Time - Fall Back 1 Hour**
- Nov. 6th - 10th - Parent Teacher Conference Week
- Nov. 10th - **Hot Lunch**
- Nov. 10th - Remembrance Day Assembly
- Nov. 13th - 17th - **NO SCHOOL** - Mid-Term Break
- Nov. 21st - Bake Sale - Grade 4 Ms. Scheetz & Gr. 3 Mme Davey - Items 50¢ each
- Nov. 22nd - **NO Pre-K** classes today
- Nov. 24th - **NO Kindergarten** classes today
- Nov. 24th - **Hot Lunch**
- Nov. 28th - Purdy's Orders due
- Nov. 29th - **NO Pre-K** classes today
- Nov. 30th - Popcorn Day - am
- Dec. 1st - **NO Kindergarten** classes today
- Dec. 1st - **Hot Lunch**