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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE: Dear Parents, Guardians, Relations and Supporters of Deroche Elementary:

It is very exhilarating to witness children spontaneously applying the skills, values and training that our staff, past and present, as passed on to our students. I am sure as parents, grandparents and guardians you also have enjoyed watching your children apply what you have taught them. This week I had the opportunity to watch a group of our students demonstrate the cultural and academic lessons they have learned. Above, are pictures of some of our students playing the drum and singing one of the Indigenous songs they have learned and as well a group of students quietly cooperating with each other to put letter cubes into words. These magical moments happened with very little prompting from their teacher and are evidence that our school's vision of supporting our children's academic, cultural and social emotional growth is slowly, but surely, becoming a reality. Thank you for the privilege of being a part of this amazing endeavour!

Mike Abercrombie - Principal

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Hot Lunch for Divisions 1 and 2 on Tuesday January 19th. Also check out the flyer on the back of this Bulletin for information about a Parent Seminar on mental health on January 18th.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan. 12	Div. 3 & 4 Hot Lunch
Jan. 19	Div. 1 & 2 Hot Lunch
Feb. 12	No School Pro D Day
Feb. 15	No School Family Day Stat
Feb. 26	Half-Day 11:00 AM Dismissal
Mar. 12	No School Pro D Day
Mar. 15	Spring Break Begins
Mar. 29	School Re-opens after Spring Break
Apr. 2	No School Good Friday
April 5	No School Easter Monday

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