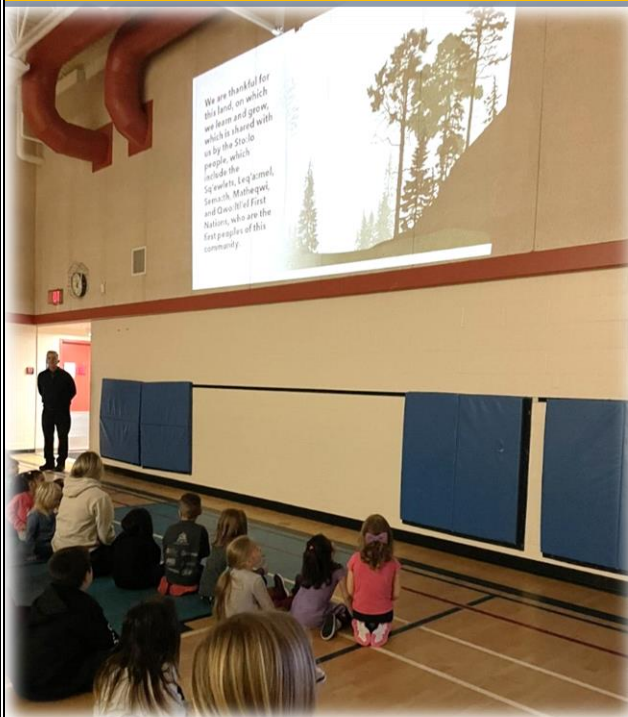




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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE: Dear Parents, Grandparents, Guardians and Supporters of Deroche Elementary: Pictured above is our school gathering each Monday to speak about the "zones of self-regulation", being safe and the importance of kindness. We also learn about the background of our holidays and customs such as Orange Shirt Day, Remembrance Day, Martin Luther King Day, Diwali, Hannukah and Christmas. Ms. Macintosh prepares the excellent illustrations and content, and the rest of our staff are involved in planning the "Spirit Day" activities that reinforce our learning. Also pictured above is a snapshot of our new raingear. A grant from the provincial government has allowed our school to purchase rainwear for our school which is a great help to our Outdoor Learning Program. Thank you also to BC Company "Jan and Jul" for the generous discount! 2023 is starting well at Deroche Elementary, and I hope the same is true for your family.

Mike Abercrombie - Principal

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Upcoming Field Trips: Watch for field trip permission forms coming home today. All classes will be going to the Mission Leisure Centre on February 2nd and 9th for a skating session, and Division 1 & 2 will be going to the Stave Falls Powerhouse on February 6th. We're excited about these special outings! Please sign and return permission slips for your child.

PAC News: Don't forget – PAC meets next Wed January 25th at 2:15 pm at the school. Also remember to save your returnable cans/bottles as a way to support our fundraising efforts. See backside for details.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Jan 25 Indigenous Cultural Day
- Jan 25 PAC Meeting at 2:15
- Jan 27 PRO-D – No School
- Feb 2 Skating at Leisure Centre
- Feb 6 Powerhouse Field Trip
- Feb 9 Skating at Leisure Centre
- Feb 17 PRO-D – No School
- Feb 20 STAT – Family Day
- Feb 24 Half Day – 11:00 Dismissal

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