



NEWS FROM THE NEST

November 11 – November 15, 2024
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Dear Parents and Supporters of East Lake School,

I thought I'd share some interesting data about our school this week. We are currently serving just over 1000 students. We have 10% of our population accessing Individualized Program Plans for support at school. Our school population of English as an Additional Language Learners is 32.7%. We have 18 buses that bring kids to school each day. Over 80 adults support 40 classes of students. We are the largest elementary school in Southern Alberta.

As a parent reading this you might wonder how your child "fits" into this? How do we make sure your child isn't lost amidst the large numbers of students in our school? In short, your child is a unique and important individual inside a classroom community. We look to offer high quality literacy and numeracy learning experience, to build future ready citizens and to create an inclusive community. Our role as Adult Eagles is to establish and to maintain relationships, to teach, to model, to communicate and to be creative in meeting student needs.

At East Lake we engage in systems, structures and routines that are universally designed to support our student Eagles. All of these pieces from scheduling, PBIS, Teacher Champion Committees and professional learning are designed and thoughtfully layered to support students and the adults that care for them.

What is the future of our big and beautiful building? East Lake could be seeing changes next fall depending on the outcome of the Student Spaces in Chestermere discussion where it is proposed our school shift to K-9. All parents are asked to please share their thoughts here <https://rvsengage.com/chestermere-student-accommodation>. The engagement is available until November 26, 2024.

Your partner in Education,

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This Week:

November 11
Remembrance Day
No School

November 14
Photo Retakes &
Classroom Pictures

Upcoming:

November 20
Parent Council &
Friends
6:00 pm

November 22
Popcorn Fundraiser

November 26
Purdy's Chocolate
Fundraiser Order
Deadline

November 27
Kindergarten
Parent Teacher
Conferences
5:00 – 7:30 pm

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Individual Photo Retakes and Class Pictures



Thursday, Nov 14/24



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