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KINDERGARTEN STANDARDS & PROCEDURES





Gerald McShane School Kindergarten Information 2020-2021



The Quebec Preschool Education Program

The Ministry of Education Preschool program covers six competencies.
For more information please visit the Ministry of Education web site:
www.education.gouv.qc.ca

Important Days:

Phys. Ed. **KA**: Tuesday & Wednesday – Ms. Karine
KB: Wednesday & Thursday – Ms. Karine

**This period lasts only 30 minutes and therefore the children will not have time to change their clothes, however they should come to school with their phys.ed t-shirt or white t-shirt, black shorts/pants and running shoes. **

Music **KA**: Monday & Friday – Mme Alessia
KB: Monday & Friday – Mme Alessia

During this period, the children will engage in songs and movement. They will discover new and fascinating instruments.

Art **KA**: Tuesday - Mme Gaetanne Fournier
KB: Tuesday - Mme Gaetanne Fournier

During this period, the children are introduced to various art techniques.

Bibliothèque: KA and KB visit the library every 3 weeks (COVID-19)

Show and Tell: MORE INFO WILL FOLLOW

Spiritual Animator: Ms. Mary (once a month)

Scholastic Book Order: Each month your child will be invited to view the Club de Lecture books from Scholastics. If you choose to order books please do so ONLINE with the class code provided by the teacher.

Cahier de chansons et Dictionnaire Thématique: Every Friday, a new song and list of french vocabulary words will be posted through TEAMS. Please review songs and words with your child over the weekend.

Workbooks: We have printed workbooks to be used in the classroom (alphabet, math, colours, pre-writing & pre-reading).



Report Card: Covid Year- A progress Report card in October. Report Card in January and June.

Term Folder: At the end of the term the students will bring their term work home to keep.

Absences/Lates: Please call the school (514-321-1100) in the morning before 7 :30am to let us know the reason for your child's absence. If you know your child will be absent, please write us a note in the agenda. If late, the student must report to the office before going to class. Being punctual is a skill and must be developed at an early age. As such, parents must ensure that their children are in school by 7 :55am.

Agenda: Please complete page 1 and read the school rules and regulations and sign pg. 2 of the agenda. The agenda should always go back and forth from home and school and it should be a source of communication between us. Please let us know of any schedule changes concerning your child, such as pick-up, bus or daycare routines. Also, please initial it every day so we are aware you have seen our notes or memos.

Birthday Invitations: In order to alleviate hurt feelings we will **only** distribute birthday invitations if **all** children in the class have been included. In addition, parents are asked **NOT** to bring in any baked goods to celebrate birthdays.

KA- children KB- children

E-mail: This year Gerald McShane is green, therefore, monthly calendars and most memos will be sent via e-mail.

Dress Code: Students are expected to wear school color; white top and black pant, skirt, tunic. A red, white, and black sweater can be worn in school when needed. All long hair should be tied back.

Change of clothes: Please bring to school a t-shirt, pair of socks, underwear and a pair of pants in a ziplock bag. Please label all items including the ziplock bag. The extra clothes will remain in school.

Snacks: Gerald McShane is a **nut-free school**. Therefore, it is crucial that you do not send any snacks that contain nuts. Please do not send chocolates, chips, candy, chocolate cookies, chocolate cake or fruit roll-ups. Fruits, vegetables and milk products are a healthier alternative. If you order a Hot Lunch (can be done on the EMSB website), please include two snacks from home. The milk program and the breakfast program will begin soon.

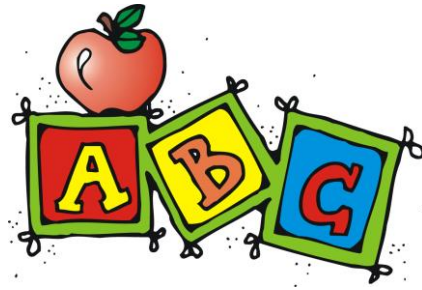
Recess: The children will be going outside three times throughout the day, as per the government's regulation to include an extra recess in the afternoon.

Morning recess is from 10a.m. – 10:20a.m., lunch recess is from 11:50a.m.-12:15 p.m. and afternoon recess is from 1:15p.m.-1:35p.m.

Things to practice at home: Getting dressed, zipping jackets, zipping school bags, bathroom hygiene, shoe tying, printing name, reciting phone number, address and birthday.

Les Thèmes de l'année:

Bienvenue, la rentrée, les pommes
L'automne, l'action de grâce, l'halloween
Jour du souvenir, les parties du corps
Noël, l'hiver
La Saint-Valentin, 100 jours d'école
La Saint-Patrick
Pâques, le printemps
La fête des mères
La fête des pères, la fin de l'année, l'été



*Additional themes may be added throughout the year

Gerald McShane website: www.emsb.qc.ca/geraldmcschane or follow us on Facebook where photos and important dates are posted.

Please feel free to contact us at 514-321-1100 or write us a note in the agenda. We will contact you as soon as we can.

We look forward to introducing your child to a new world of discovery and learning this school year.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mme Patricia Tramontin – KA Kindergarten teacher
Mme Anny Boivin – KB Kindergarten teacher



...a fun place to
play and learn!

Éducation préscolaire

A l'éducation préscolaire, conformément au régime pédagogique, les résultats sont transmis à l'intérieur des bulletins sous forme de cotes indiquant l'état du développement des compétences ou le niveau de développement atteint par l'élève (étape 3). Ces compétences sont présentées dans le tableau suivant.

Compétence	Libellé du bulletin
Agir avec efficacité dans différents contextes sur le plan et moteur	Se développer sur le plan sensoriel et moteur
Affirmer sa personnalité	Développer sa personnalité
Interagir de façon harmonieuse avec les autres	Entrer en relation avec les autres
Communiquer en utilisant les ressources de la langue	Communiquer oralement
Construire sa compréhension du monde	Se familiariser avec son environnement
Mener à terme une activité ou un projet	Mener à terme des projets et des activités



Règles



Je lève la main pour parler.



J'écoute.



Je fais attention aux autres.



J'attends mon tour.



Je fais attention au matériel.



Je fais de mon mieux.



Je suis prudent(e).



Je partage.



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