

Clayton Elementary

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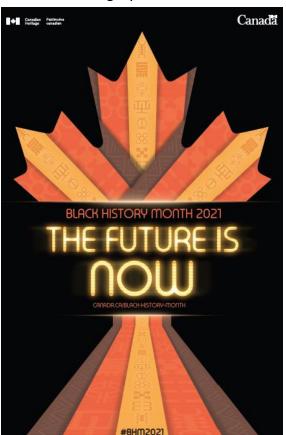




Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Jan 31	Feb 1	Feb 2	Feb 3	Feb 4
	Jumpstart 2:30-4:30 for those confirmed	Last day to order Valentine's Cookie kits – see below	Jumpstart 2:30-4:30	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Feb 7	Feb 8	Feb 9	Feb 10	Feb 11
	JumpStart 2:30-4:30		JumpStart 2:30-4:30	

Black History Month

Every February, people in Canada are invited to participate in Black History Month festivities and events that honour the legacy of Black Canadians and their communities.



Our students will be learning about the many historical contributions of Black Canadians for the next few weeks. The symbols are the poster explained here:



Literal meaning: Measuring

Symbolic meaning: Excellence, superior quality



Literal meaning: Seed of the wawa tree

Symbolic meaning: Skilfulness



Literal meaning: 5 tufts of hair **Symbolic meaning:** Skilfulness, priestly office, loyalty, adroitness



Literal meaning: Linked hearts **Symbolic meaning:** Understanding, agreement, unity



Literal meaning: When you climb a good tree **Symbolic meaning:** Support, cooperation, encouragement



Literal meaning: The builder **Symbolic meaning:** Creativity



Literal meaning: Zigzag, twisting **Symbolic meaning:** Initiative, toughness, adaptability, resoluteness



Literal meaning: Wisdom knot **Symbolic meaning:** Wisdom, ingenuity, intelligence, patience

Clayton Idol

Clayton Idol is back again! We are having a virtual concert again this year. <u>Clayton Idol is where we showcase all the amazing talent at Clayton Elementary.</u> Students can sign up solo or with friends. We've seen everything from amazing singing and dancing to stand-up comedy, beautiful musical instruments, puppet shows, dramatic poetry readings, martial arts demonstrations and so much more. Sign-up sheets will be posted outside the office starting Monday, Feb 7. <u>All students are welcome to audition though not all</u> students will be selected for the final show.

Regent Road Elementary

Thank you to everyone who completed our survey. Here is a quick update:

- FAQ will be coming out soon
- Survey results and announcement about what is happening to the Clayton site coming soon after
 School Board meeting
- There were not enough students in Grades 1-3 who wanted to stay at Clayton to make the proposed K-3 annex of Regent Road Elementary.
- Byron Gammel starting as principal at Regent Road (housed out of Clayton) on March 1. He and Darcy will be setting up office space in the teacher resource room (Room 5). Darcy will be Head secretary at Regent Road and Clayton will be getting a fill in head secretary for the last few months of Clayton.

Health and Safety

A few reminders:

- Please check with your child every morning before sending them to school and keep them home if they are showing any signs of illness this is the best way we can keep our school healthy and safe for all.
- If you have questions about if you can send your child to school, please refer to
 http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19
 website. After reading there, please
 make your best judgement. The guidelines seem to be changing often so please make this website
 your go to for current information, rather than the news or social media.

Valentine's Cookie kits

Please go to

https://munchalunch.com/schools/Clayton/ to order!! Orders due by Feb. 2 – delivery on Feb. 14th

