





# Meet your Teachers



Mme Ria



Mme Anna



Mme Madison

Hi! These are our current 2021-2022 Kindergarten teachers. There will be a few changes in 2022-2023.

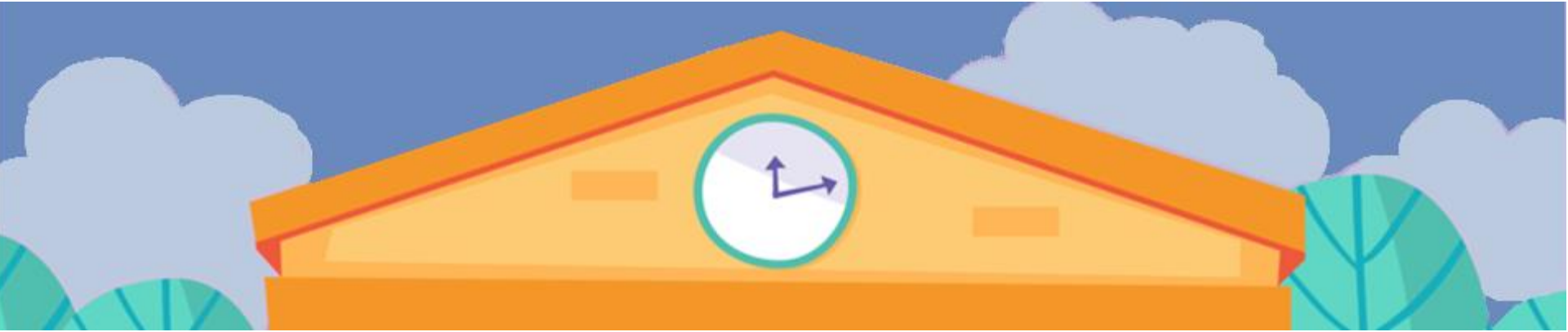




# Meet your new school team!



Mme Andrea Tyler is the Principal at École Voyageur.





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Mme Wendy



Mme Shar



Mme Julie



M. John



Mme Jill



# Information About our School

- École Voyageur is a French Immersion school for Kindergarten to Grade 5.



- Our office is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

- Kindergarten is a half-day program:

- AM – 8:30-11:30 a.m.
- PM – 12:30-3:25 p.m.

- Our enrolment is approximately 250 students

- We believe that everyone can learn French, while having fun!



# Home & School Partnership



- We believe in a team approach to your child's education: parent/guardian, school team, and child.
- Teachers communicate regularly with caregivers regarding classroom activities and student progress. E-mails, blogs and Instagram are used to share students' learning.
- Triad-Conferences (parent-student-teacher) occur at the end of Term 1 and 2 to celebrate and share student learning between the home and school.



# Information About Transportation

**Bus Information:** families will receive bus information at the end of August.



**CPDN and VIP daycares** pick up and drop off students at kindergarten. Notify teacher and daycare if there is a change in routine.

**Drop off and Pick up:** Main doors located at the front of the school. Contact teacher and school office for changes in routine.

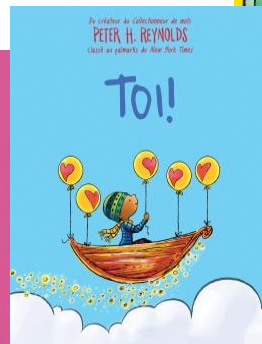
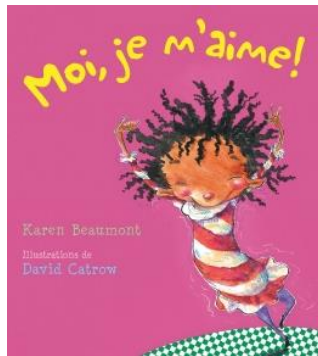


# A Virtual Peek into our School: The Library



Mme Tracey Cox

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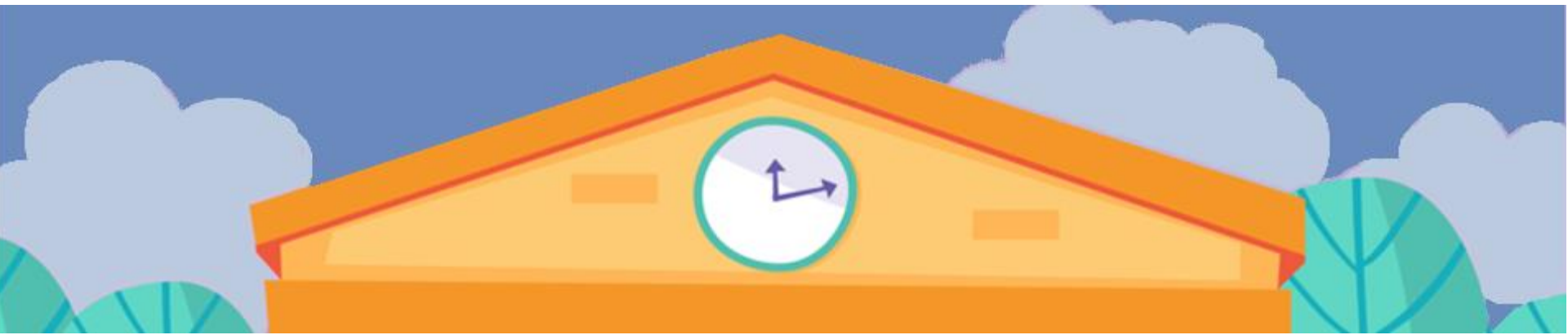




# A Virtual Peek into our School: The Gymnasium



Mme Beaudin  
Éducation Physique

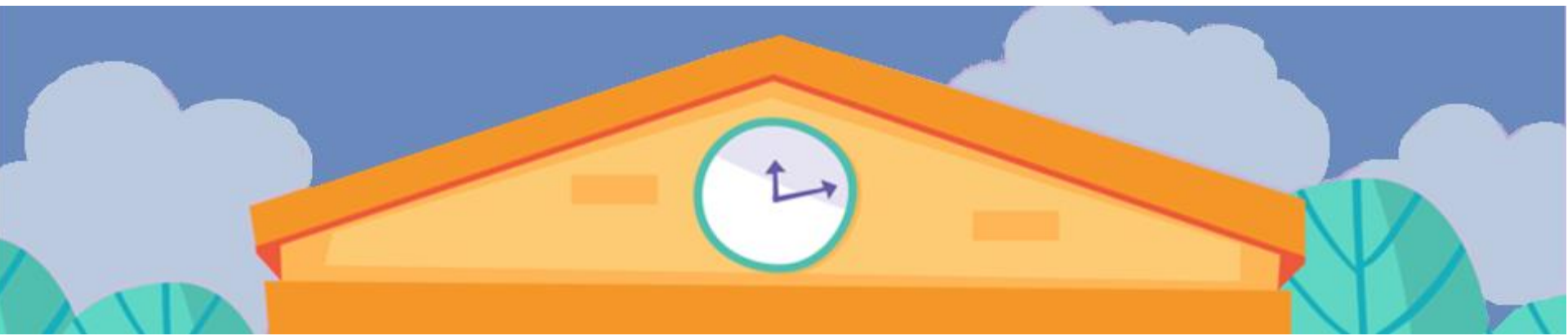




# A Virtual Peek into our School: Music Room



Mme Leanne  
La Musique.





# Our Schoolyard



Students have the opportunity to play and learn outdoors!

- Field
- Hard-top
- Swings
- Play structures





# Take a peek into our Kindergarten classroom





# Play-based Learning

Play-based learning is the philosophy of Kindergarten in SJASD.  
Children learn through play!





# Play-based Learning

What are children learning when they play?

- ~ Problem Solving & Critical Thinking
- ~ Literacy & Language Skills
- ~ Creativity & Imagination

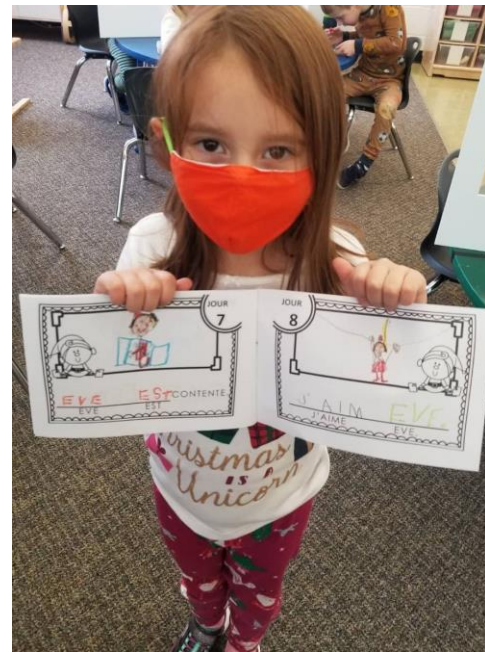
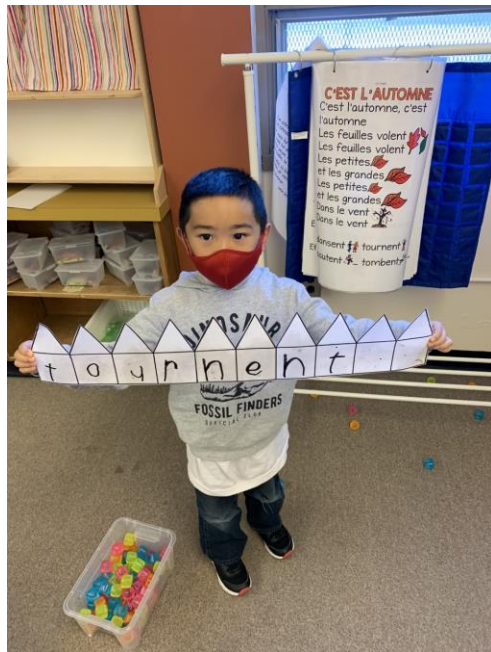
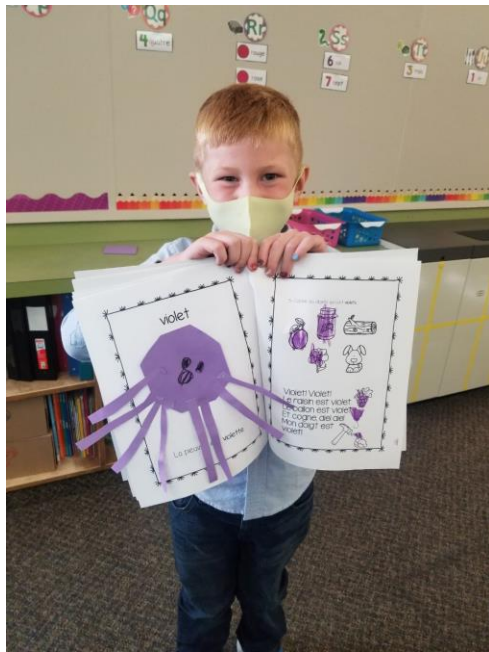
- ~ Social & Emotional Skills
- ~ Numeracy & Inquiry Skills
- ~ Motor Skills





# Literacy in Kindergarten

Literacy Development is a key focus throughout the Kindergarten day.





# Numeracy in Kindergarten

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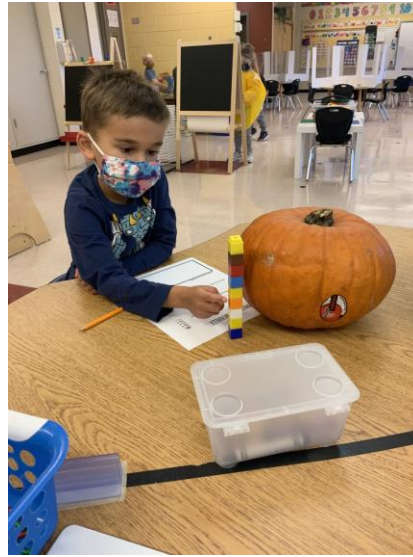






# Learning in Kindergarten

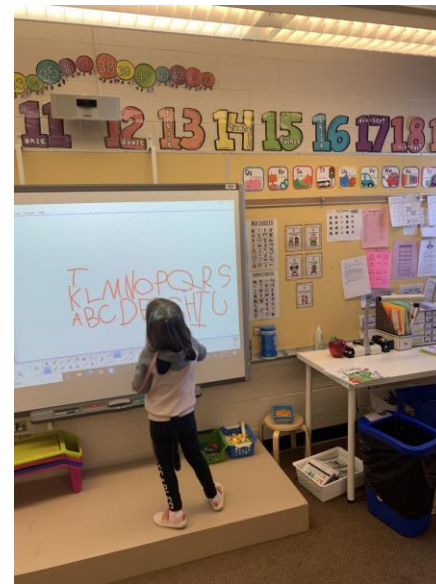
All other subject areas are integrated into play-based learning throughout the day.





# Technology in Kindergarten

Technology is infused throughout the day.





# A Day in the Life of Kindergarten!

- Routines

- Play-based learning

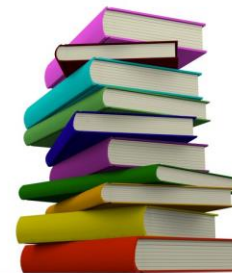
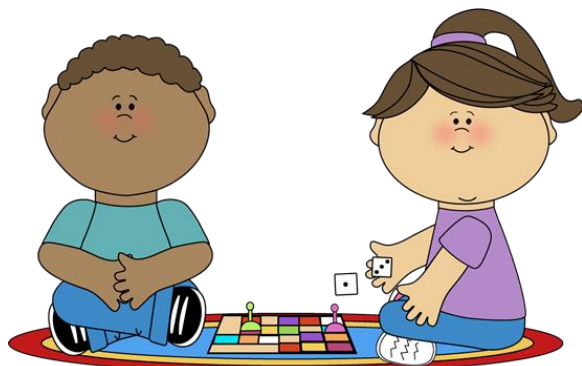
- Snack

- Physical Education

- Music

- Library

- Recess





# How will my child learn French?

THERE ARE 5 AREAS IN LEARNING A LANGUAGE:  
LISTENING, UNDERSTANDING, SPEAKING,  
READING AND WRITING.



The main focus in Kindergarten is speaking, listening and understanding.

We expect that children will develop language at different rates. They will acquire French while they continue to develop English or other languages at home. They will learn to understand and repeat simple sentence structures and to follow instruction given to them in French. You will be amazed at what they learn in just one year!



# How will my child learn French?



## When does the program begin?

The French Immersion Program begins in Kindergarten at the following French Milieu Schools in St. James-Assiniboia School Division:

École Assiniboine  
175 Winston Rd.,  
R3J 1N1  
204-885-2216  
assiniboine@sjasd.ca

École Bannatyne  
363 Thompson Dr.,  
R3J 3E5  
204-888-1101  
bannatyne@sjasd.ca

École Robert Browning  
130 Browning Blvd.,  
R3K 0L8  
204-837-8381  
robertbrowning@sjasd.ca

École Voyageur  
37 Voyageur Ave.,  
R2Y 0H7  
204-888-3390  
voyageur@sjasd.ca

In a French Milieu setting, all students in the school are studying in the French Immersion Program and all school activities are conducted in the French language.

## Language:

The goal of the French Immersion Program is to provide students with the tools they need to be proud, engaged, plurilingual, global citizens. Students at the Kindergarten level are totally immersed in the French language and the language of instruction is French.

At the Early Years level, teachers use a variety of strategies to teach the language such as songs, poems, rhymes, actions, gestures and games. This gives students an opportunity to use their second language skills to develop their fluency and a more diversified vocabulary. Classrooms have many posters and vocabulary word walls to help students with their oral and written skills in French. Many French books are also used as classroom resources.

## Culture:

An integral part of the curriculum is to develop a positive attitude towards the French culture. The students easily compare their new found language with their own culture. Early Years schools host an array of activities such as Festival du Voyageur Week, musical performances by French artists, etc. to expose students to the French language and to further develop an awareness of the French culture.

## Frequently Asked Questions:

### 1) What will my child do in French Immersion Kindergarten class?

A typical day in the life of a Kindergarten child will include calendar time, learning centre time, play centre time, circle

For more information regarding French Immersion, please visit our website.



# For More Information on Kindergarten...

Be sure to check out our divisional Kindergarten Information video after this evening's presentation.

[www.sjasd.ca](http://www.sjasd.ca)

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[Kindergarten  
Program Video](#)



# Registration



## Step 1: Forms

Visit: [www.sjasd.ca/school/voyageur](http://www.sjasd.ca/school/voyageur)

Click: Parent/Community tab, then Registration tab.  
Download and complete forms.

Step 2: Submit forms to [voyageur@sjasd.ca](mailto:voyageur@sjasd.ca)

Step 3: Register for Literacy Links if you would like to participate: [literacylinks@sjasd.ca](mailto:literacylinks@sjasd.ca) or submit form with registration package.

Step 4: You will be contacted to confirm that we have received your child's registration form and you will be given an appointment time to bring in the following documentation:



# Registration



1. Birth Certificate (Original birth certificate is required. Photocopies are not acceptable)
2. Manitoba Health card showing child & parent names
3. Two Proofs of Residency (eg. MB medical card, valid Manitoba driver's licence, lease agreement, house title or other official documents indicating address of residence.)

\*\* If your child is not born in Canada, you will be required to provide citizenship papers or one of the following documents: Permanent Resident card, Record of Landing, Valid Work Permit/Visa, Valid Study Permit





# Welcome to Kindergarten!

We are thrilled to partner with **The Learning Partnership** to offer the Welcome to Kindergarten program!

This exciting evening will take place in the spring. You and your child will get lots of ideas of how you can be talking, reading, singing, creating and playing together over the summer.

**STAY TUNED...**details will be emailed to you in the spring!



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# What can I do over the summer?



~ Free ~ Free ~ Free ~

## Sign up for Literacy Links!

- Offered to all students entering Kindergarten in St. James-Assiniboia
- Trained facilitator works with you and your child to give you a sneak peek of Kindergarten learning
- Sessions will be virtual and scheduled around your availability
- To register, complete Registration Form on website and email it to: [literacylinks@sjasd.ca](mailto:literacylinks@sjasd.ca)

## Register Today!



# Any Questions





See you soon!

