

Apsley Central Public School

Week at a Glance



September 11 - 15, 2023

Monday September 11 Day 5	Cross Country and Soccer Practices begin this week - watch for permission forms
Tuesday September 12 Day 1	
Wednesday September 13 Day 2	
Thursday September 14 Day 3	
Friday September 15 Day 4	

Calendar Watch

September 15-17	Rosh Hashanah (Judaism)
September 19	School Council at 5:00
September 20	School Open House 5:30 - 6:30
September 22	Terry Fox Run/Walk
September 28	Orange Shirt Day (in KPR schools)
September 30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Touching Base

We made it through the first week - heat and humidity included. It was an excellent week as we welcomed back 175 Apsley students. Students settled into their new classes and got reacquainted with old friends and even met some new ones.

Communicating with your child about their day at school can be quite challenging. What did you do at school today? This question leaves little room for expansion or reflection and leaves you as a parent wondering what is my child doing at school? When we change our questions, the answers become richer. Try using these questions and see how the answers grow.

1. Was today a good day or a bad day? Tell me more
2. What did you like better today: snack time or circle time?
3. Who did you play with today?
4. Did anybody get in trouble today? What would you do in that situation?
5. Did anyone do anything funny at school today?
6. What made you feel the happiest today?
7. What games did you play at recess?



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8. When did you feel most proud of yourself today?
 9. Tell me one new thing you learned today.
 10. What made you laugh today?
 11. Did anyone do anything nice for you today?
 12. What challenged you today?
 13. What was the nicest thing you did for someone else today?
 14. Who brought the best food in their lunch today? What was it?
 15. How would you rate your day on a scale of one to 10? What is one goal you would have to make the day (even) better?
 16. If one of your friends could be the teacher for the day, who would you want it to be?
 17. What's your teacher's most important rule, and did anyone break it today?
 18. Does your teacher remind you of anyone else you know?
 19. What did you have fun learning today?
 20. What's one thing you did today that helped a friend or your teacher?

School Organization

As mentioned in our last Week at a Glance, reorganization is always a possibility. We have had to make one small change to our classes to create a grade 1/2 with Ms. Osborne and Mr. Robin. All families affected have been notified of this change. (In other words, if you weren't contacted, things remain status quo for your child).

School Reminders



End of Day Pick Up If you are picking up your child at the end of the day, we ask that you wait at the front of the school by the flagpole. It can be quite hectic at the back gate and it is better to meet in a less congested location.

Student Verification Forms Please take a moment to review and update your child's information and make any other changes as necessary. Return to the school ASAP.

Plans of Care If your child has a medical condition or sensitivity, please contact us so we can create a Plan of Care to ensure their medical needs are met.

Bus Loading/Unloading Zone Please avoid these areas in the morning and after school when buses are present. You will be asked to move if you are parking there during the peak times.