

## HAWKS NEWS

### Week at a Glance



#### Mon. Nov. 17

- Photo retakes in pm
- Gr.3 and Gr. ¾ classes to Blue Heron Reserve FT

Tues. Nov. 18

PAC meeting at 7 pm

#### Wed. Nov.19

 K and K/1 classes to gymnastics FT

#### Thurs. Nov. 20

 Coffee Talk with counsellor and CYCW at 8:05 in library

#### Fri. Nov. 21

 Spirit Day - Jersey Day or wear your Hawks' spirit wear



#### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Ey Swayel East Chilliwack Families,

BE KIND to one ANOTHER

Yesterday was World Kindness Day!

At ECE, we strive to help our students practice kindness—to others, to our school, and to the environment. Every day, we witness beautiful acts of kindness from our students, including others in their play, sharing materials, using their WITS, offering encouragement to peers, helping friends, picking up garbage, and leaving a situation better than they found it.

Equally important to their well-being is learning how to be kind to themselves, especially when they are trying something new or facing a challenge. We want ECE to be a place where every student feels safe, supported, and has a true sense of belonging. And we believe that this begins with kindness.

Kindness is a virtue we will continue to foster throughout the year! "Be kind whenever possible. It is always possible." Dalai Lama

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# Upcoming Dates

Nov. 28 - Spirit Day - "Twin Day" or "Look-a-like Day"

Dec. 1 - Deck the Halls / PAC pancake breakfast / PJ day or Hawks'

spirit wear

Dec. 5 - December assembly / Red and Green Day

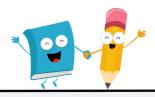
Dec. 12 - Christmas store / Christmas sweater/festive wear spirit day

Dec. 15 - Christmas store

Dec. 17 - Concert dress rehearsal

Dec. 18 - Concert #1 - 11:00 am

Dec. 18 - Concert #2 - 6:00 pm



Literacy is one of our school goals,

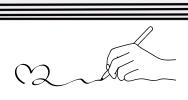
and this year, we are starting with a school-wide focus on writing. We want to increase our students' engagement in writing and improve their writing skills.

How can you support your child at home?
Make writing fun!
Write a story together or create a story map, letters, comic strips, poetry, or facts about a topic of interest.
Include pictures, use different

Coffee Talk is this coming week with our CYCW (Child and Youth Care Worker) and our school counsellor!
Please see the attached flyer for more information!







colours to write, use talking bubbles, get creative!



#### Equity, Diversity, Inclusion & Multicultural Awareness

We are privileged to be a diverse community at East Chilliwack Elementary. We strive to strengthen the connections in our community by learning from each other, and one way we can do this is by recognizing important dates throughout the year. We will share special dates typically found on our Canadian calendar, but please let us know of any we might miss. We want to build a culture of belonging, kindness and acceptance at ECE!

Equity, Inclusion and Diversity Calendar 2025 - 2026 (sd33.bc.ca)



Please visit our website

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https://eastchilliwack.sd33.bc.ca/ for our school calendar and more information about our school