

CORVETTE PUBLIC SCHOOL



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Corvette News Online # 18

Wednesday, January 16, 2022

Welcome to our Vice Principal

Mrs. Sandra Puglielli





School Advisory (Parent) Council

Congratulations to our 21/22 School Advisory Council

21/22 Corvette School Advisory (Parent) Council

Joan D.

Chantal G., **Co-Chairperson**

Patrina L., **Co-Chairperson**

Deep N.

Arif R., **Treasurer**

Emily S.

Nabeela U.



Our Theme This Year

As we **return** may we all **rediscover** the wonders of our school and the magic of curiosity and learning. As we **reconnect**, may we find that which brings us comfort - friendships, laughter, belonging and community.

return • rediscover
reconnect
Corvette 21-22



retourner • redécouvrir
se retrouver
Corvette 21-22



Upcoming Events

Jan 17 - Return to In-Person Schooling

Jan 21 - Cultural and Heritage Day

Jan 26 - Snuggle Up and Read Presentations (6:30 PM - Virtual)

Jan 27 - Virtual Rising Chefs @ 4:30 PM

Jan 28 - Virtual Sharing Assembly

Feb 4 - School Wide Kahoot! (Topic: Story book Characters)

Feb 17 - Family and Educator Conferences (PM)

Feb 18 - Family and Educator Conference (AM)

Feb 18 - PA Day

Feb 21 - Family Day - No School



Health and Safety @ Corvette

WEAR YOUR



MASK

To limit the transmission of the COVID 19 virus, students and staff are asked to:



KEEP YOUR
DISTANCE



Daily Screening Before Entry to School

Staying home when you are sick is one of the most important things we can do to slow the spread of COVID-19. Toronto Public Health has strengthened its screening tool, based on provincial direction, that all students and staff are expected to do before coming to school each day.

Please review and become familiar with the [screening tool](#), including the second page which provides direction on isolation measures in a variety of scenarios based on age and vaccination status.

Please complete the [TDSB Health Pass](#) or [Health Screening App](#) daily.



The TDSB Student Health Pass

This is the updated student Health Pass. All **Corvette students** will receive this pass on the first day of in-person school.





Please note there are Questions 1A and 1 B.

Please note that if students say “YES”, they will need to stay home and self-isolate.







STOP COVID-19 Screening for children/students

Please complete before entering the child care/JK-12 school setting. Updated January 10, 2022




1. A) Does the child/student or anyone in the household have 1 or more of these new or worsening symptoms, today, or in the last 5 or 10 days*?


<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Fever > 37.8°C and/or chills		Cough		Difficulty breathing		Decrease or loss of taste/smell	

B) Does the child/student or anyone in the household have 2 or more of these new or worsening symptoms today, or in the last 5 or 10 days*?

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Sore throat		Headache		Feeling very tired		Runny nose/nasal congestion		Muscle aches/joint pain		Nausea, vomiting or diarrhea	

- If the symptom is from a known health condition that gives them the symptom, select “No”. If the symptom is new, different or getting worse, select “Yes”.
- If there is mild tiredness, sore muscles or joints within 48 hours after a COVID-19 vaccine, select “No”. If longer than 48 hours, select “Yes.”
- Anyone who is sick or has any symptoms of illness, should stay home and seek assessment from their health care provider if needed.

 **If “YES”:** Stay home & self-isolate.   **Your household including siblings must self-isolate, regardless of vaccination status.**

 If child/student has one symptom from Part B stay home until symptoms improve for at least 24 hours or 48 hours if nausea/vomiting/diarrhea.

Please note that Questions 2, 3 and 4 have also been updated.

2. Has the student/child or anyone in the household had a positive COVID-19 test in the last 5 or 10 days*, or has the student/child been told to stay home and self-isolate? Yes
No



If "YES": Stay home & self-isolate.

3. In the last 10 days has the student/child been notified as a close contact of someone with COVID-19, or received a COVID Alert notification? Yes
No

• If the person is not a household member AND the student/child is fully vaccinated ** or public health has told you that you do not need to self-isolate, select "No"



If "YES": Stay home & self-isolate.

4. In the last 14 days, has the student/child travelled outside of Canada? Yes
No



If "YES": Follow federal quarantine [travel rules](#).



*Use 5 days: If the person is fully vaccinated or 11 years or younger. Use 10 days: If they are 12 years or older and not fully vaccinated; or immune compromised.

** Fully vaccinated means 14 days or more after a second dose of a COVID-19 vaccine series, or as defined by the Ontario Ministry of Health.



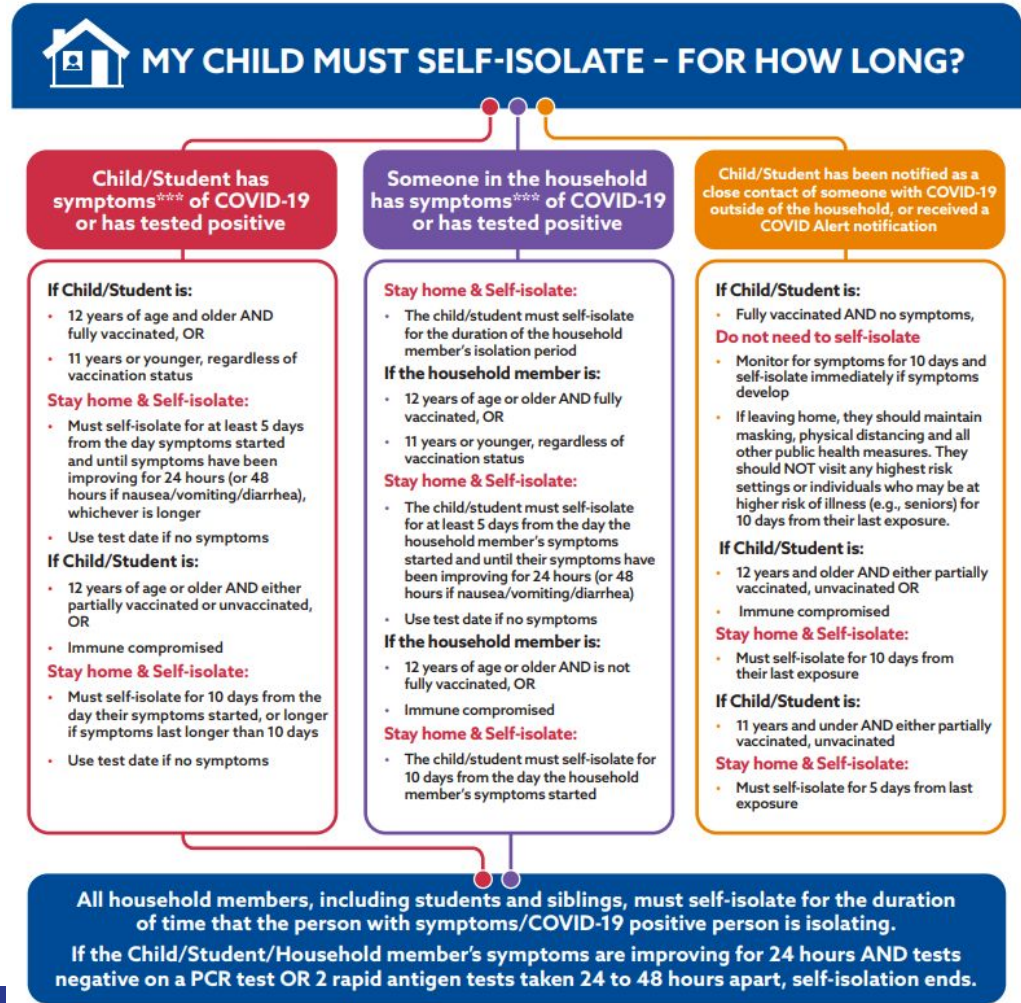
This flowchart is helpful in understanding the guidance of the TPH.

Schools in the TDSB will be using this flowchart when communicating with families about self-isolation.

This flowchart has also been printed and a copy will be sent home to families.

It can be downloaded from:

<https://www.toronto.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/994c-Screening-Questionnaire-Child-Care-Day-Camp-School.pdf>



Rapid Antigen Test

2 pcs of Rapid Antigen Test will be provided for in-person elementary students. They will be given to each child with instructions during the first week of school.

Staff and students are encouraged to use them at home when symptomatic.

If symptoms appear when students or staff are at school, a take home saliva PCR test may be available to them while supplies from the Ministry last.



Reporting Positive COVID 19 Cases @ Corvette

The Ministry of Education is no longer collecting COVID-19 case numbers from school boards. At the TDSB, when schools become aware of a PCR or Rapid Antigen Test confirmed case of COVID-19, directly impacted classes will continue to be informed through a letter which will be sent via email to families of students in the impacted classroom.



Dismissing Classes / Cohorts @ Corvette

As the Ministry of Education has stated that **classes will no longer be dismissed as a result of a case of COVID-19**, that guidance will no longer be provided by the school. Instead, parents/guardians and/or students will review the daily COVID-19 screening tool to determine if their child(ren) are permitted to return to school.

While individual classes will continue to be provided with COVID-19 case information, the COVID-19 Advisories page on the TDSB website will no longer be updated.



School News

Winter Weather

Winter weather will welcome us tomorrow morning.







We will be heading outside for recesses on Monday.

**Rain,
Shine
or Snow**



36 Hours

Snow Outlook: 20 - 25 cm 12:00pm Sun to 11:00pm Mon

	Sun Afternoon Sunny	Sun Evening Light snow	Sun Overnight Snow	Mon Morning Snow	Mon Afternoon Light snow	Mon Evening A few flurries
						
	-4°	-4°	-3°	-4°	-5°	-5°
Feels like	-9	-10	-12	-13	-14	-14
POP	10 %	60 %	100 %	100 %	80 %	40 %
Snow	-	~1 cm	10-15 cm	10-15 cm	1-3 cm	<1 cm
Wind (km/h)	16 E	21 E	28 NE	39 N	41 NW	37 NW
Wind gust (km/h)	36	38	60	62	71	68
Humidity	67 %	69 %	81 %	86 %	79 %	74 %

January is Tamil Heritage Month (click on the image)



Tamil Heritage Month Celebration

January 2022

Our histories. Our legacies. Our homelands.
எமது வரலாறுகள். எமது மரபுகள். எமது
தாயகங்கள்.

Vaccine Information

To register, please call Munira at 416 559 2904 or email her at mfatehi@esbgc.ca

The East Scarborough Boys and Girls Club runs Corvette's EarlyON Child and Family Centres.



COVID VACCINATION INFORMATION SESSION

Do you have questions about the 5 to 11 year old vaccine roll-out in Toronto?

Join us in a conversation with local public health nurses as they share up-to-date COVID-19 information and answer your questions about the COVID-19 vaccine for children.

- 5 - 11 year old COVID-19 vaccine roll-out
- Vaccine safety review and approval process
- Status of Covid-19 cases in Ontario
- Risks vs benefits
- Vaccine ingredients & allergies
- Myocarditis & pericarditis
- How to receive a one-on-one consultation
- Where to go for additional information

Date : Thursday, January 20, 2022

Time : 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Register now at www.esbgc.ca

For more information, please contact Munira at mfatehi@esbgc.ca or call (416) 559-2904

Virtual Snuggle Up and Read

A celebration of the love of reading



*A cup of hot tea
A cozy little nook,
Grab your family to snuggle up
And Read a Book*

Corvette Jr PS

Virtual Snuggle Up and Read | Wednesday, January 26, 2021

6:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Zoom Link to Follow



Guest Speaker: Author Ruth Ohi

Virtual Rising Chefs

Thursday, Jan 27, 2022

4:30 PM

Pizza Rolls

Please click this link to request an ingredient pack.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScsqQZU7jC8aT5ZP9FI98BCXVzA5DNqNyAnjIwKW0uH8NCkPQ/viewform?usp=sf_link

VIRTUAL RISING CHEFS
PIZZA ROLLS | ROULEAUX DE PIZZA
THURS., JAN 27, 2022
4:30 PM



Virtual Snuggle Up and Read

A celebration of the love of reading

Thursday, February 24, 2022
6:30 PM - 7:15 PM

This session is for parents, guardians and family members of children ages 0 - 8! (Pre-K to Grade 2)

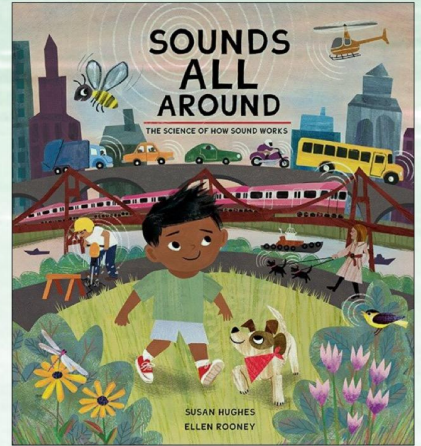
The focus will be on the importance of letter sounds / phonological awareness.

Join us!

Registration:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeqygMFWeVfarox2e5SNbCj3rW0qJnYTeIUeXJUbwH8VqEVLQ/viewform?usp=sf_link

SNUGGLE UP AND READ:
CORVETTE PARENT/CAREGIVER ACADEMY
FEBRUARY 24, 2022
6:30 PM (ZOOM)



All student participants will receive a book and materials to support the love of reading!

Kindergarten Registration



Registration for all TDSB Kindergarten programs begins in February. We look forward to welcoming you and your child at our school in September!

To attend Junior Kindergarten in September, children must turn four-years-old by December 31 (**born 2018**). To register for Senior Kindergarten, children must be five-years-old by December 31 (**born 2017**).

For more information about the Kindergarten program and registration requirements, please visit www.tdsb.on.ca/kindergarten

More Corvette specific information will be forthcoming.



Celebrating Literacy



CORVETTE JR PS

**CELEBRATE
LITERACY**

JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 2022



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World Read Aloud Day - February 2, 2022 (02/02/2022)

We will be celebrating with our students as we record them reading books aloud and sharing this recording with our school community!

What book will you read aloud to the family on February 2?



What is your favourite book?

Reading is a joy! Whether you are reading a picture book, a book about dinosaurs or a novel! It is pure joy!

This month of January we would like to celebrate your child's love of reading.

Please complete this form to let us know what your child's favourite book is and we will share it through our Twitter account!

Our school's Twitter account is:

https://twitter.com/TDSB_Corvette



If the author is on Twitter, we will try to tag them and let them know about one of their fans!

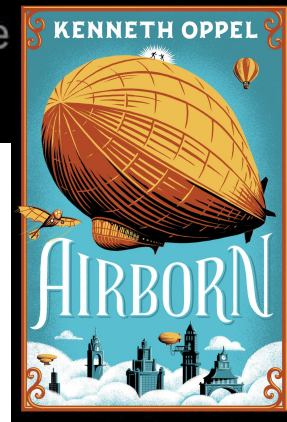
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To our surprise, some authors responded and engaged with our students!

These are a sample of what we received.



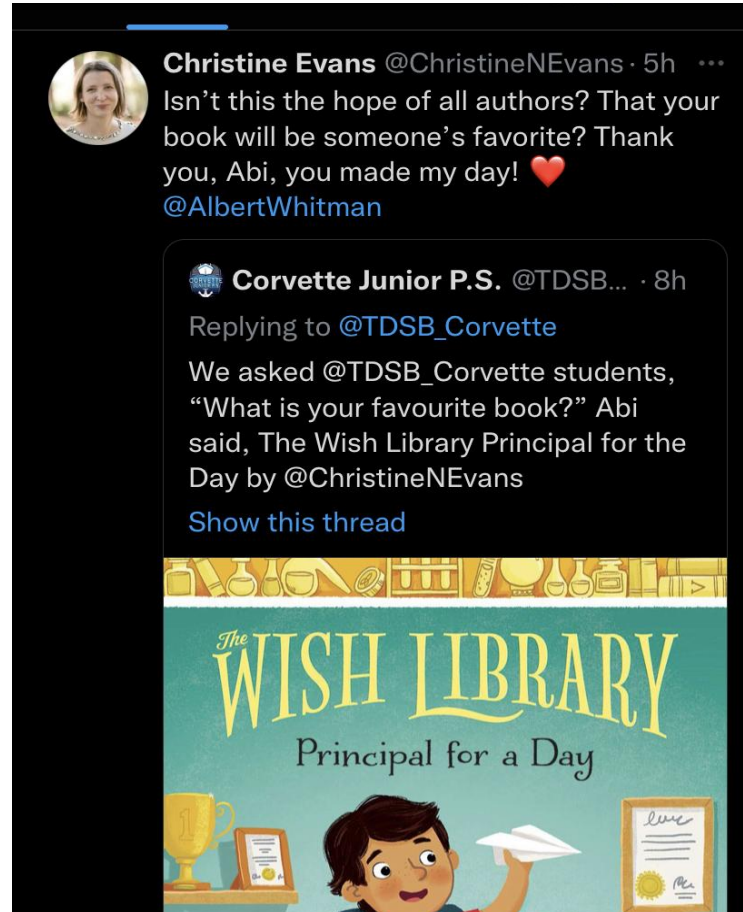
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pic.twitter.com/5tq8P9O2pr



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Lori Alexander @LoriJAlexander · 1d



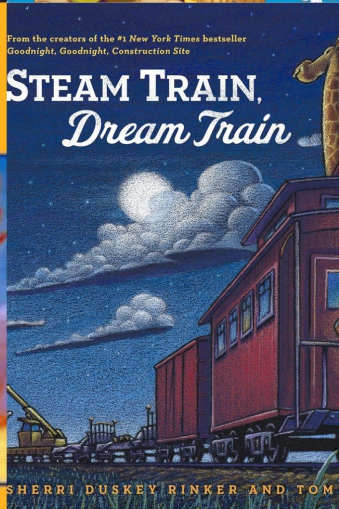
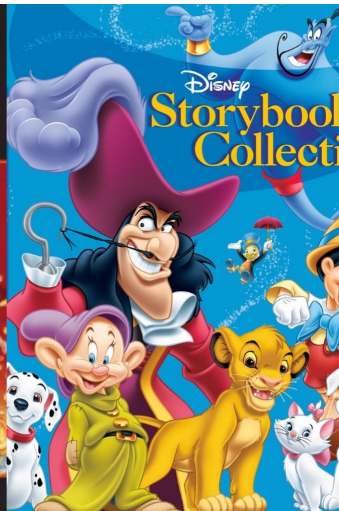
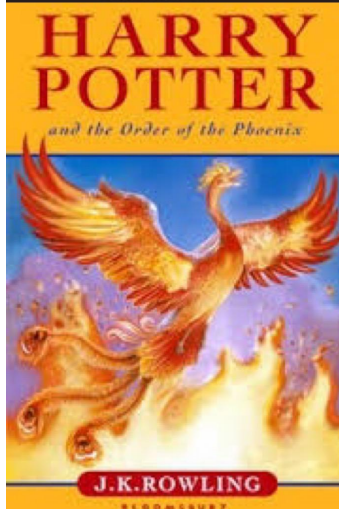
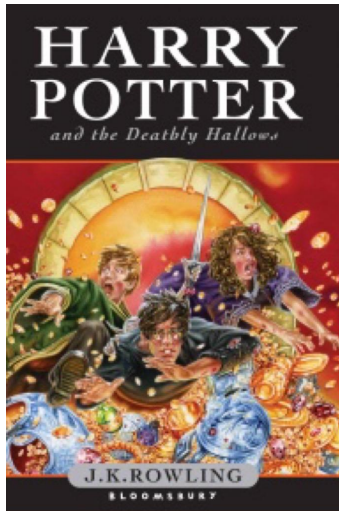
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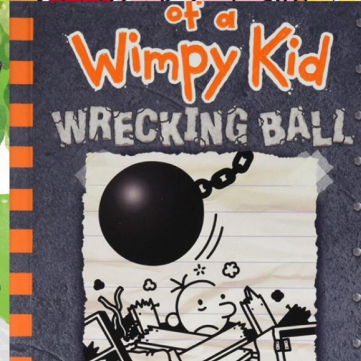
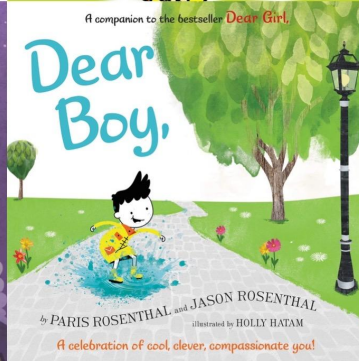
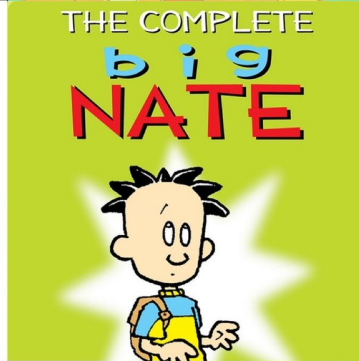
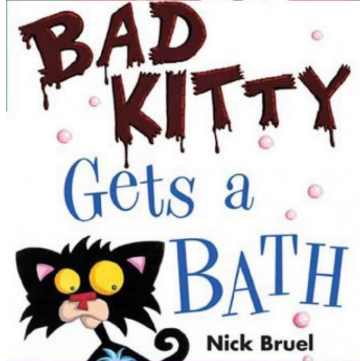
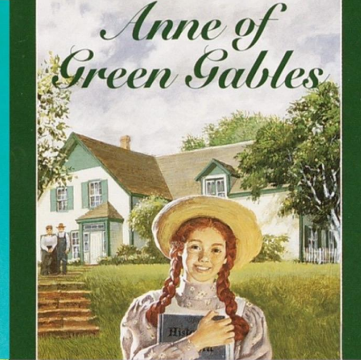
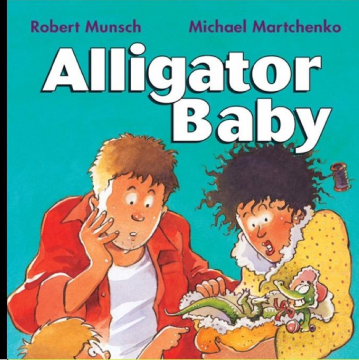
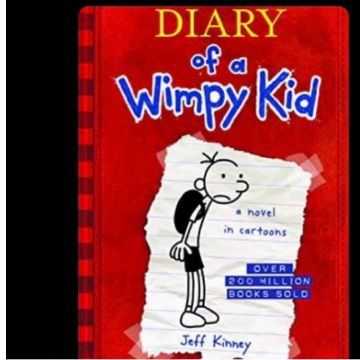
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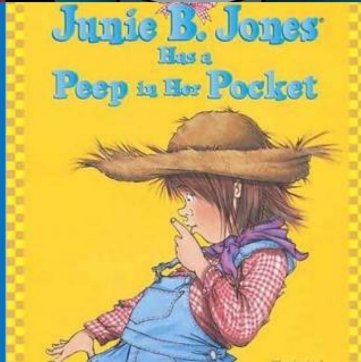
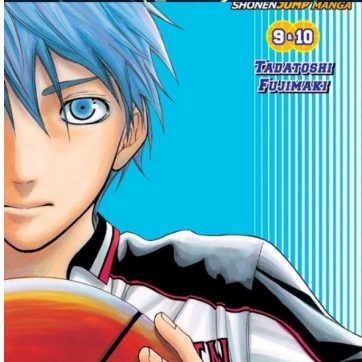
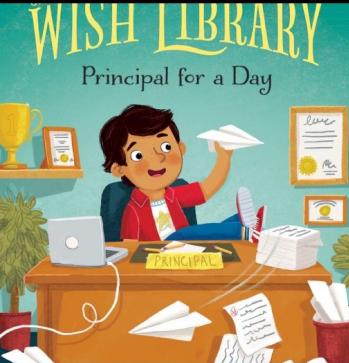
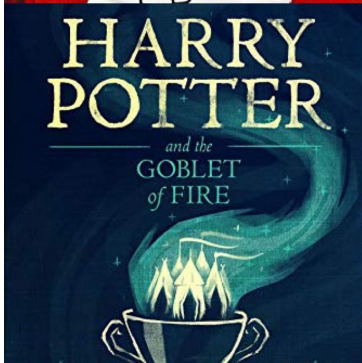
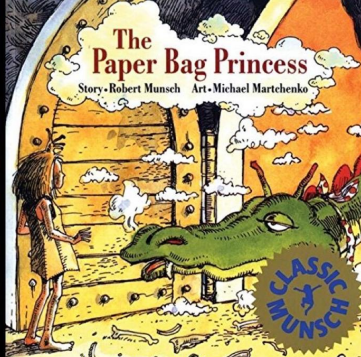
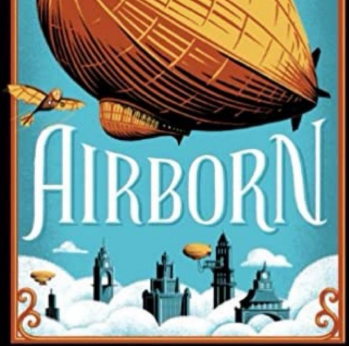
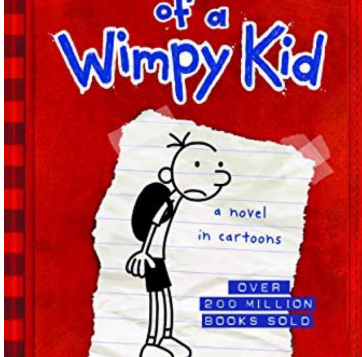


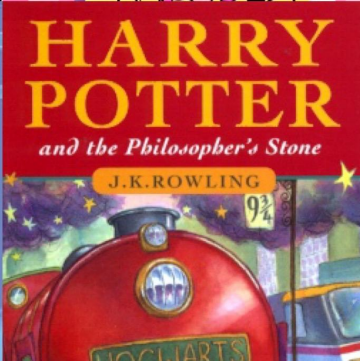
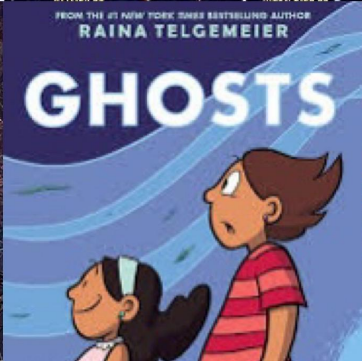
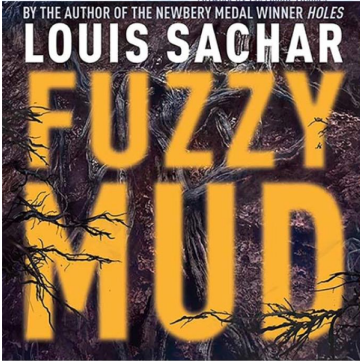
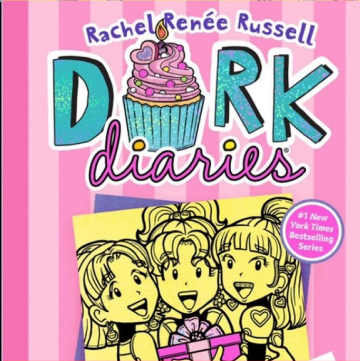
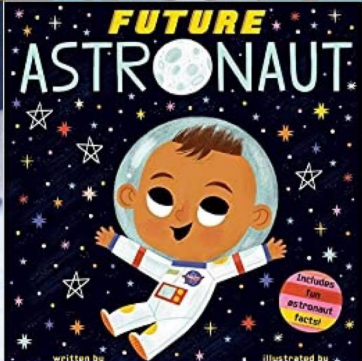
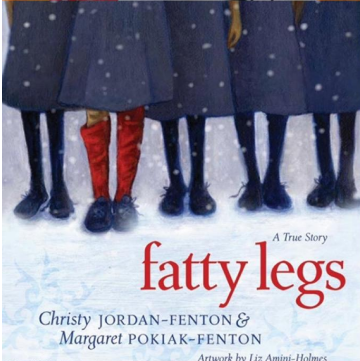
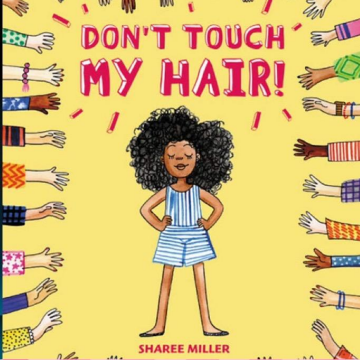
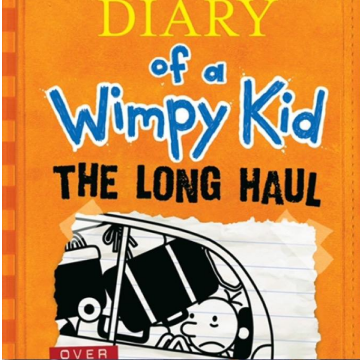
Lori Alexander liked your reply

We asked [@TDSB_Corvette](#) students, “What is your favourite book?” Subaru said Future Astronaut by [@LoriJAlexander](#) pic.twitter.com/x32hSPm1qm









Family Literacy Day - January 27, 2022



We will be sharing resources to help families plan for **Family Literacy Day!**

Storybook Kahoot!

Friday, February 4, 2022

2:45 PM - Kindergarten to Grade 1 / 2 (Ms. Puglielli)

2:45 PM - Grade 2 / 3 to Gr 6 (Mr. Cabrera)

To continue our theme of the love of reading, we will focus our Kahoot! on the picture books that we love and on the non-fiction facts that we have been reading in class!

Congratulations to our past champions!

Ms. Li's French class

Mr. Wichman's class

Mr. Robinson's class

Bargina - Mr. Ojjo's Class

Kahoot!



Reporting Schedule

Reporting Schedule

February 2 - Family / Educator Conference Invites goes home

February 15 - Communication of Learning (Year 1 and 2) and Grade 1 - 6 Report Cards goes home

February 17 - Virtual Family / Educator Conference (PM)

February 18 - Virtual Family / Educator Conference (AM)

The image shows two overlapping forms from the Ontario Ministry of Education. The top form is the 'Kindergarten Communication of Learning Initial Observations' form, which includes fields for Student, Year 1/2, Teacher, Board, Address, School, and Principal. It also has sections for 'Days Absent' and 'Total Days Absent', and a 'Key Learning / Growth in Learning / Next Steps in Learning' section. The bottom form is the 'Elementary Progress Report Card' form, which includes fields for Student, Grade, Board, Teacher, School, Address, and Principal. It also has sections for 'Days Absent' and 'Times Late', and a 'Strengths/Next Steps for Improvement' section. Both forms feature the Ontario Ministry of Education logo and a 'Board Logo' field.

Friday, February 18 is a PA Day

Friday, February 18, 2022 is a **PA Day** and classes will not be held on this day.

School will resume on Tuesday, February 22, 2022





School District News

Students in Grade 3 in the current school year can apply for the Middle French Immersion program in the TDSB (though not at Corvette).

For more information or to apply, please visit:

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Elementary-School/School-Choices/French-Programs/Application-Process/Middle-French-Immersion>


**Middle
French Immersion**
(Grade 4 Entry)

**Applications Open:
January 3, 2022**

**Deadline to Apply:
January 28, 2022**

Applications open to Grade 3
students not currently in
a French Program



Community News



 **SCARBOROUGH COVID-19
VACCINE CLINIC**

For more information on COVID 19 Vaccines, please visit

<http://scarbvaccine.ca>



We Offer Care for Infant to School-Age
416-266-4990

We currently have spaces in our program for:
Infant (birth) to Toddlers (18 months)

*Open 12 months a year from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

*Nutritious morning and afternoon snacks offered

*Trained and experienced RECE educators who will provide an environment that meets the individual needs of your child

*Located within Corvette P.S.

*Subsidies available through City of Toronto

Connecting with the School

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