

Learning about Soil in Grade 3

Grade 3s in Ms. Karrin's class have been learning all about soil! This week we examined the process of erosion (the movement of soil and rock due to water, wind etc) and what factors can slow down erosion such as the presence of more plants. We are ready to use this knowledge in our own school garden and have already been getting it ready!



Ms. Choo's Class - Earth Day Activity

Giving our class worms a new home in the school garden.



Tuesday Teacher Appreciation Day - Thank You School Council



From Autism Awareness Month

Here is the collaborative work displayed in the hallway along the main entrance.



Children's Mental Health Week

See the calendar to see how you can help raise awareness in our school and community.

**Children's Mental Health Awareness Week
May 6 - 10**

<i>Monday</i> May 6	<i>Tuesday</i> May 7	<i>Wednesday</i> May 8	<i>Thursday</i> May 9	<i>Friday</i> May 10
Wear green to support Mental Health Awareness!	Put on pajamas and let's practice mindfulness !	Wear white to whiteout negative thoughts!	Wear Mandela swag or black for gratitude!	Wear rainbow to be inclusive!

Red Dress Day

[May 5th is Red Dress Day and the National Day of Awareness for Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls and Two-Spirit People \(MMIWG2S\).](#) Click the link to read an article discussing how to talk about this topic to elementary students, links to read alouds suggested in the article and a template for students to create red dresses. The kindergarten classes will be creating a display by the office.

Asian Heritage Month

Asian Heritage Month has been proudly recognized at the TDSB during the month of May. This year's theme is Our Journeys: Thriving Through Struggle and Triumph. The committee has assembled various educational opportunities and resources for our students, staff and TDSB community. [Learn More.](#)

Jewish Heritage Month

May is Jewish Heritage Month at the Toronto District School Board. This year, the Jewish Heritage Committee has developed lesson plans and activities for students K-3 using the book, The Mouse Who Danced the Hora by Pamela Mayer, illustrated by Christine Davenier, to teach diversity and equity through Jewish wedding traditions, and learning to dance the Hora. [Learn More.](#)

Kickstart - Free 6 Weeks of Soccer!

The Kickstart after school program is the result of a partnership between Toronto Community Housing and the MLSE Foundation. The program promotes soccer programming, social and emotional well-being and provides healthy snack choices. [Read the flyer for details.](#)