

Glenbow School Newsletter

January 2021



MESSAGE FROM ADMINISTRATION

Hello – Bonjour Parents of Glenbow School

Welcome – Bienvenue to the new year! We hope all members of the Glenbow School community had a Christmas break which allowed you all to take a step back, relax with close family and rejuvenate. The staff at the school did and we are all excited to see our students return January 11th! As usual, here are a few important informational items you need to be aware of along with the rest of the monthly newsletter.

Inclement Weather/School Closure/Bus Cancellation Info

With winter arriving, parents are reminded to make sure their children are prepared for the cold weather and have the necessary clothing and supplies to keep them comfortable and safe. On that note, here is a [letter](#) to parents with information regarding emergency school closures. It is important to remember it is ultimately the responsibility of the parent(s) to determine whether or not it is safe for a student to leave for school under severe weather conditions.

Indoor Recess Policy

When the weather is extremely cold, students will be kept in when temperatures become extreme. Typically, this occurs when temperatures are in the range of -20 to -25 along with consideration of wind chill.

IMPORTANT DATES

Jan 11th – In person classes resume

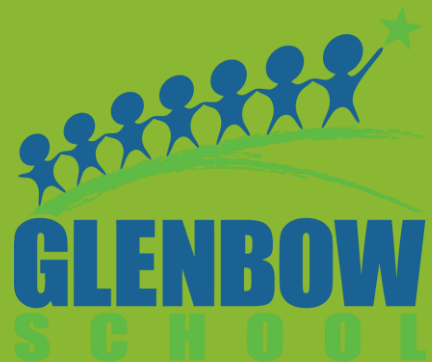
*Jan 13th – School Council Zoom
Meeting 7pm*

*Jan 29th – No School, Professional
Learning Day*

Feb 15th – No School - Family Day

*Feb 16/17th – No School - vacation
days*

*Feb 18/19th - No School - Teachers
Convention*



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In-school – Online Learning Decision

A reminder to families the period to decide the learning method (in-school or online) for students in Grades 1 to 9. SchoolEngage accessed via PowerSchool Parent Portal is where parents indicate their decision. The form will open at 8 am on January 11 and families will have until 5 pm on January 15 to commit your child(ren) to a learning method from February 8, 2021 until the end of the school year. If no selection is made, those students will remain in their current learning method. Further information regarding this important decision can be found in the letter ([here](#)) sent out from Greg Luterbach, Superintendent of Schools last Friday, January 8.

Kindergarten Registration

On Monday, January 18, Kindergarten registration for the 2021-2022 school year opens for students in Rocky View Schools. Registrations will need to be completed online. In order to be eligible for Kindergarten for this fall a child must turn 5 by the end of December, 2021. Further information about registration can be found [here](#).

Thank-you, as always, to our Glenbow Parents for your continued support, and all the best in 2021!

Fraser Montgomery
Principal

Message from School Council

Welcome back! We hope you had a fun and restful Christmas break. First, we'd like to thank everyone for sending in all of your wonderful comments for the Staff Word Wall. We had an overwhelming response! The comments are being posted in the Learning Commons this week. They will be ready on Monday to welcome back all of our amazing Glenbow staff members. We know they will appreciate all of your kind and encouraging words.

We hope you will join us for our School Council meeting on Wednesday January 13 at 7pm over Zoom. Please contact the office to have the zoom link emailed to you. At the meeting we will hear updates from our Rocky View trustee and our school administration. Have a fantastic and safe January!
Amanda Heninger - School Council Co-Chair

Kindergarten Registration begins January 18th

Registration for Kindergarten and new students, grades 1-4 begins January 18, 2021.

Register Online:

<https://rockyview.schoolengage.ca/>

For assistance with online registration call 403.945.4115

For the 2021/2022 school year children entering kindergarten must be five years old on December 31, 2021. Alberta Education requires a Canadian birth certificate or immigration documents to register for school in Alberta.

Glenbow School Mission:

As a community of learners who CARE we:

Celebrate our learning, our creativity, our successes, and our diversity.

Accept each other for who we are.

Respect ourselves, others, and our environments.

Explore our wonders, our ideas, and our world.





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