



CHRISTIAN LIFE SCHOOL

Newsletter

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UPCOMING NEWS:



If your child is late, please drop them off at the church doors and have them stop upstairs at the school office so they may receive a late slip before going to class.

If your child is going to be absent, please call the school office at 250-785-1437 or email at office@christianlifeschool.ca



PAT Meeting

Monday, Sept. 29 @ 7pm

More information about the Parent Advisory Team on page 6.

Please contact PAT@christianlifeschool.ca if you have any questions!

GET INVOLVED



It's getting cooler out—

Please remember that students will be spending time outside and will need weather appropriate gear.



**Terry Fox Run— Sept. 26
(info on page 5)**

**PAT Meeting
Sept. 29 @ 7pm**

**Truth & Reconciliation Day
No School—Sept. 30**

DAILY HEALTH CHECK

Please make sure to do a health check each morning before sending your child/children to school.

KINDERGARTEN - Mrs. Amendt

No news this week.



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GRADE 1 - Miss Riediger

Bible memory: Psalm 9:1 is due Thursday, September 25: "I will praise you, O Lord, with all my heart. I will tell of all your wonders."

Sight Word Practice: We are working on unit 3. The words will be tested on Friday, September 25: down, my, big, in, jump

Agendas: Please read and initial the agenda each night. Please also check the plastic pocket at the front of their agenda as that is where they will put any notes or mail.

Terry Fox Run: We will be participating in the Terry Fox run on Friday afternoon on the school property. Students will learn about Terry Fox this week.

Phonics: We have been reviewing the letter names and sounds. We are also learning about short a.

GRADE 2 - Mrs. Rempel



Highlight from last week: Celebrating the first birthday of the year.

This week:

Memory verse: Exodus 4:12 Now go. I will help you speak. I will teach you what to say.

Bonus Verse: Psalm 150:2

Math: Our focus this week is skip counting. Students are encouraged to practice counting by 2, 5, and 10 at home.

Our weekly math fact quiz will be on Tuesday.

Home reading books and a log will be sent home next week. This week a reading passage is being sent home for your child to practice their reading fluency for four days this week. It is due back in class on Friday. Please watch for a note about that in your child's agenda.

GRADE 3 - Ms. Lawson

1. Read 15 minutes, 3 nights per week and sign reading log calendar
2. Bible memory is due on Thursday - Hebrews 10:23
3. We will be participating in the Terry Fox Run on Friday, September 26. Be on the lookout for permission slips.
4. Our phonics focus this week is soft c (c says /s/ when followed by an e, i, or y) and soft g (g says /j/ when followed by an e, i, or y)

GRADE 4 - Mrs. Awojuola

No news this week.

GRADE 5 - Ms. Moore

No news this week.

GRADE 6 - Mrs. Hallarda

Math: Number Concepts

Social Studies: Universal Declaration of Human Rights of Canadian Citizens

Science: Structures and functions of the Nervous System

Bible: Study the creation of God (Book of Genesis)

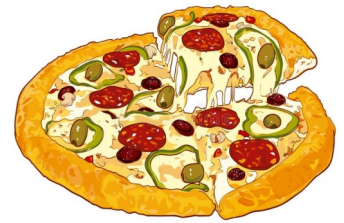
Careers Class: Classroom Jobs

ADST: Focus on planning, organizing and implementing the PIZZA sale

Language Arts: 20 Spelling Words and 20 minutes of home reading

The agenda and reading log need to be signed by parents every day.

PIZZA SALE this Wednesday, Sept. 24, 2025!



Jr. High - Mr. Samsom

What Careers 8 & 9 this fall are working on:

*Learning how to discuss how jobs and experience build together into a career, and how our careers might be understood in light of the Christian understanding of vocation.

*Learning how to read and write resumes.

*Learning how to research the necessary credentials and training for a job or career.

O LORD Jesus Christ, who in your earthly life did share our toil, and hallow the labour of our hands: Prosper those who maintain the industries of this land, and give to all who labour pride in their work, a just reward for their labours, and joy both in supplying need and in serving you; who with the Father and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, ever one God, world without end.



Our school is excited to take part in the 45th Anniversary of Terry Fox's Marathon of Hope. Terry started a marathon against cancer. Together, we can help finish it.

Our Terry Fox School Run will take place on Friday, September 26th.

(Kindergarten to Grade 2 will remain on the school property, while Grade 3 to Grade 9 will go for a walk around the neighbourhood.)

As a school, we have a goal to raise \$500.00 (or more).

To donate you can:

1. Scan the QR code
2. Type Christian Life School into the search bar
3. Click on View School
4. Click on Donate
5. Click on Donate to this school



OR

1. Go to www.terryfoxschoolrun.org
2. Click on Donate to a School
3. Type Christian Life School into the search bar
4. Click on View Page
5. Click on Donate
6. Click on Donate to this school



Terry's Story

At the age of 18, Terry Fox was diagnosed with osteogenic sarcoma and was forced to have his right leg removed. Determined to help others suffering from cancer, he decided to run across Canada, running a marathon a day for 143 days, to raise funds for cancer research. Unfortunately, Terry's cancer returned, and he was forced to end his Marathon of Hope, but his legacy had only begun.

Today, the future of cancer research is very bright. The Terry Fox Foundation funds a variety of different cancer research projects such as lung, breast, ovarian, colorectal, pediatric, prostate, brain and blood. With your support, we will continue to make a difference in the fight against cancer.

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PAT News

Hello, we pray that the first few weeks of school have gone well for everyone, and we would like to extend a warm welcome to all our new CLS families. The PAT is starting to think about the year ahead and thought this would be a good time to give you an overview of what PAT is, how we support the school, and the significant impact you as parents/caregivers can have in the life of CLS.

What PAT is: Parent Advisory Team. The PAT is made up school parents with the primary goal of supporting the school both financially, and through building community within our school families. We want to support each other as we help our kids grow both spiritually and academically.

How we do this: To support the school financially the PAT typically runs two to three fundraisers per school year. Community and connections are built through fun family events. The PAT is not separate from the school but a part of it. We work with Principal Jones, the teachers, and the students to help meet needs and make CLS a great place to learn and grow.

Past Examples: Through fundraisers, the PAT has been able to help the school purchase Chromebooks, make upgrades to the library, purchase new sports equipment, make upgrades to the playground and throughout the school, and provides an avenue to Government grants. Family events such as gym nights, sledding parties, and BBQs have helped bring CLS families together.

Your Impact: You are most likely reading this because you have a child (ren) in CLS, which means you can be part of the PAT. The PAT hold a monthly meeting that all CLS parents/caregivers are welcome and encouraged to attend. This is your opportunity to speak into, and contribute to, the life of our school. Your involvement make a positive difference!

DRESS CODE (as found on page 40 of our Family Handbook)

We believe that Christian Life School is in place to help parents as they guide their children through childhood and on to adulthood. We believe that modesty is a Biblical guideline and a reflection of our view of God. We recognize styles change, and may vary, but that modesty should remain as a constant guideline. Students will be encouraged to wear clothing that is clean and neat, properly fitting (not too loose or too tight), avoids negative or suggestive slogans, and communicates modesty. Scriptural support for a dress code can be found in I Tim. 4:12, and I Cor. 6: 19-20. If students are dressed inappropriately, teachers will meet with students one-on-one, (discipling), to discuss the situation.

Some guidelines are as follows:

- Shorts and skorts must not be shorter than mid-thigh (between the start of the leg and the knee).
- Skirts should be moderate and appropriate
- Writing or pictures on the seat of the pants is not allowed.
- All shirts/tops must be a minimum of a “t-shirt” style.
- Midriffs, cleavage or undergarments are not to be showing.
- No hats are to be worn in the building. On Dress Up day hats will be allowed if they match the theme and still promote positive messages.

A student who violates the dress code will be asked to change.



SEPTEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2 School Begins	3	4	5	
	8 Kindergarten Begins	9	10	11 Meet the Teachers @ 7pm	12	
	15 School Photos 	16	17 Gr. 5&6 Field Trip	18 Jr. High Field Trip	19 Pro D Day—No School Gym Strip Store Closes	
	22	23	24 Jr. High Field Trip Gr. 6 Pizza fundraiser	25	26 Terry Fox Run	
	29 PAT Meeting @7pm	30 Truth & Reconciliation Day—No School				