École Julie-Riel Family Centre 316 Ashworth Street 204.253.2363

May 2024



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Please check the newsletter for details pertaining to our school's community event on May 7th. All current Family Centre families are invited to attend. Please note that you must RSVP by May 1st.			Stay & Play 9-11 Stay & Play 12:45 - 2:45	2 Closed all day for Ready for School program	3 Closed School PD day
6	Stay & Play 9-11 Stay & Play 12:45 - 2:45	7 Closed all day for Ready for School program Community Event at the school 3:30-6:00 See newsletter for details	8 Stay & Play 9-11 Stay & Play 12:45 - 2:45	9 Closed all day for Ready for School program	Stay & Play 9-11 Closed PM
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20	Closed Victoria day	21 Stay & Play 9-11 Stay & Play 12:45 - 2:45	22 Stay & Play 9-11 Stay & Play 12:45 - 2:45	Stay & Play Fun in French 9-11 Stay & Play Fun in French 12:45 - 2:45	Stay & Play 9-11 Closed PM
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A place for families and their children (0-6 years)
to play, learn and grow together

Bring your children (0-6 years) for free play, songs, stories, movement, arts and crafts, a healthy snack and much more. Join us to make new connections and meet other families from the community. Take the opportunity to slow down and join in on playtime with your child. Feel free to invite your friends with young children! We look forward to welcoming you!

School Community Event - Indigenous Land-Based Gathering

You are invited to an evening of community-building and Indigenous learning at École Julie-Riel.

Families will have the opportunity to engage with an Indigenous elder around the fire in the school yard, and also with school staff who will facilitate activities related to the Seven Sacred Teachings inside the school.

Stew and bannock will be served and will be blessed by elder Chickadee Richard. Sharing of Indigenous food enriches cultural connections and brings everybody together.

This come and go event takes place at EJR on <u>Tuesday, May 7th, from 3:30 pm until 6:00 pm, rain</u> or shine. Please dress for the weather.

Please <u>RSVP</u> (by using this link or https://forms.office.com/r/C3zdf3cS8U) **by May 1st** so we can ensure that there is enough food for everyone.

Our Everyday Stay & Play

Our Stay & Play sessions start with free play, then gym time, followed by crafts and a snack. We then end our program with a story, and some songs and rhymes.



The Centre continues to be **closed** for *Stay & Play* on Tuesdays and Thursdays for our *Ready for School* program and will reopen with regular hours starting May 21st.

Friendly Reminders

Remember to bring clean indoor shoes for everyone attending the Centre.

Children must be accompanied by their caregivers at all times while at the Centre, as we are not a childcare facility. Our goal is to provide families with opportunities to engage in interactive and fun activities together.

We kindly request that you leave your cell phones aside during your time at the Centre to create an immersive and interactive play experience for you and your child.

Please use **Door 2** on the north side of the school when visiting the Centre.

Are you or your child feeling sick? Please take a break from the Centre and join us when you're feeling better.

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