

Principal's Report - February 9, 2022

Staff/Organization:

- New Multi Language Learner Teacher - Stella Pantopoulos [with us on Day 5 each week]

Covid Safety Measures:

- Staff/Student absenteeism - not as high as expected; doing fairly well (all things considered)
- Partial rotary continues - Music and PE; Sci/Tech added
- Masks off allowed during outdoor NB; most students still keeping them on
- cohorting continuing
- Covid Exposure Notifications being sent, but cohorts no longer dismissed

Learning/staff activities:

Teachers:

- Staff Meeting - focus on our relationships with Indigenous people - Territorial acknowledgment

Students:

- Term 1 Reports will be sent home on Feb 16
- Term 2 began on Wed. Feb. 2 - Music/Art flips
- Be Kind Presentations - Guidance/CYW facilitated class discussions in January
- Spirit Events - Olympics/Team Canada this Friday; another planned the Friday before Family Day
- Food Drive was amazingly successful - huge thank you to Doon community for your support

Clubs/intramurals

- Chess Club - continuing
- Volleyball - Mr. Nagge and Ms. Vicente - four classes/day (two classes each NB)
- gym cohorts in all cases
- still moving forward slowly

Grad - preliminary guidelines

- Awaiting some specifics from board; will share info at subsequent meeting
- Coordinating with other intermediate admin; consistent approach