



Principal's message

As April unfolds, we are beginning to sense the arrival of spring. Despite the lingering chill in the air during March, we've had a few glimpses of warmer days. We are hopeful that as we progress further into the month, the weather will continue to improve, bringing with it the joys of spring. April holds a special place in our hearts as we celebrate Khalasa Sajna Divas this month. It is a time of reflection, gratitude, and celebration of our rich cultural heritage. From the entire Gobind Sarver team to all our wonderful families, we extend our heartfelt wishes: "Vaisakhi Diyan Lakh Lakh Vadhayan!"

In addition to this celebration, we are excited to announce that we will be hosting our second year of the First Nation students from Lac La Biche School. This culture exchange program is incredibly important for our students, offering a unique opportunity for learning, understanding, and friendship. We look forward to fostering connections and mutual respect through this meaningful exchange.

Let us all embrace the spirit of this beautiful season, the significant observance of Vaisakhi, and the enriching culture exchange program as we continue our journey together.



Core value and Learner attribute of the Month

Unity

We value the common spirit within the hearts of all humanity. Recognizing this enables us to have more mutually enriching interactions and to create a more connected community.

IB Learner attribute

Reflective

We thoughtfully consider the world and our own ideas and experience. We work to understand our strengths and weaknesses in order to support our learning and personal development.

Important announcements

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(MOTHER TONGUE MONTH)

ਘਰਿ ਘਰਿ ਮੀਆ ਸਭਨਾਂ ਜੀ ਆਂ ਬੋਲੀ ਅਵਰ ਤੁਮਾਰੀ ॥੬॥

Maharaj ji's words remind us that our language adapts with societal influences, but it's crucial to remember our true identity we should reflect on how our speech is evolving. Research indicates that children who are fluent in their mother tongue develop stronger cognitive skills and intellectual abilities. Gobind Sarvar's ambition is to connect our students with their mother tongue, heritage, and roots. We seek parents' support to achieve this goal. Let's all consciously speak our "ਮਾਂ ਬੋਲੀ" (mother tongue) at home this month.

At school, we will celebrate Heritage Week and Cultural Day on April 26 from 6:00 - 8:00 pm. Look out for more information on your child's Google Classroom and email from the office.

Events:

- April 22: Dada Dadi & Nana Nani Day
- April 23: Art of Punjab
- April 24: Sports of Punjab
- April 25: Story telling
- April 26: Celebrating Sikh Heritage month (6:00 pm-8:00 pm)

Dates to remember

April 19th : Culture exchange day

April 26th: Celebrating Sikh heritage day: Half day Pick up at 12:00 pm. Please see the attached flyer for the celebration.

Please check Google classroom everyday updates

Culture exchange day

Celebrations of culture can serve as powerful tools for fostering open-mindedness and respect towards other cultures. They offer us the chance to gain insight into different perspectives, both of others and ourselves. By immersing ourselves in a culture, we expand our horizons and deepen our understanding of the world around us.

On April 19th, Khols Heart Lake First Nation School will be visiting us on Sikh heritage Day, which we are eagerly anticipating. This visit presents a wonderful opportunity to exchange values, share our culture, and strengthen our connections.



Swimming Lessons

We are very excited for our swimming lessons this year! The lessons will start this month. Please check your child's Google classroom for the homeroom teacher's notices and guidelines.

We request parents to volunteer for our Jr-k to Grade 2 students for changing after the lesson.

