

Delisle Composite School

Welcome back! Quarter 1, 2022

Administration Message

Hey all,
The school year is absolutely flying by again as we start our second quarter in the high school! One piece of feedback that we heard in September from some parents in Grade 9 was that how difficult it has been to be in and get to know the school even with their children here. Sometimes I forget the impact of the last two years in which we closed the doors of the school and had very strict guidelines around coming in. Please let me stress to all parents and families that our doors are open and we are happy to have you come in the building. Our goal is to have a building where all of you feel comfortable coming to, attending and spending time in as a part of our educational community. Please know that my door is always open and how much I look forward to seeing you in and around this building! Enjoy the start of winter!

Kirk Schlosser, Principal



Find us on: Twitter, Instagram, Facebook

Delisle Composite has several social media avenues to stay connected!

The SLC (Student Leadership Committee) has an Instagram page where they keep us up to date on spirit days and other activities. They are at: **dcs.slc**

The school Twitter accounts shares about the great learning happening in classrooms. **@DCS_Rebels**

The SCC has both Facebook and Twitter. Find them at: **Delisle Composite High School** on Facebook and **@ScCDcs** on Twitter.



Edsby

Invitations have been sent out for parents to access Edsby via the app. Students may now access their classes with the app as well. The division technology team continues to work on issues with the gradebook in Edsby, so for now only Q1 classes will have marks posted.

If you accidentally have declined the invitation or if the invitation gets sent to a spam folder, contact us at the school and we can resend an invitation.

Instructions on setting up your Edsby account:

1. An invitation will be sent to the email you have provided to your school.
2. The first time you accept an invitation, you will need to select the "I don't have an Edsby account" option.
3. Edsby will create an account for you, with your username being your **email address** and it will prompt you to choose a password. Click the "Create Edsby Account" button when you are done.
4. Congratulations, your account is now created!
5. For any other invitations you receive, for students at this or other schools in Prairie Spirit School Division, you can now select the "Login to your existing Edsby account" option and the new student will be added to your account.

NOTE: if the app asks you to "enter your school or district's server address" please enter "prairiespirit"

SCC News

The SCC is an important part of our school community, connecting families, communities, and the school. However, we are in need of members! The SCC meets once per month, and the time can be determined with what works best for members. Please contact the office if you are interested!

2022 Delisle Composite School Remembrance Service

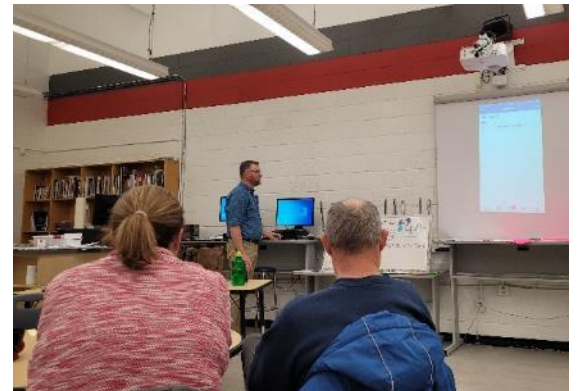
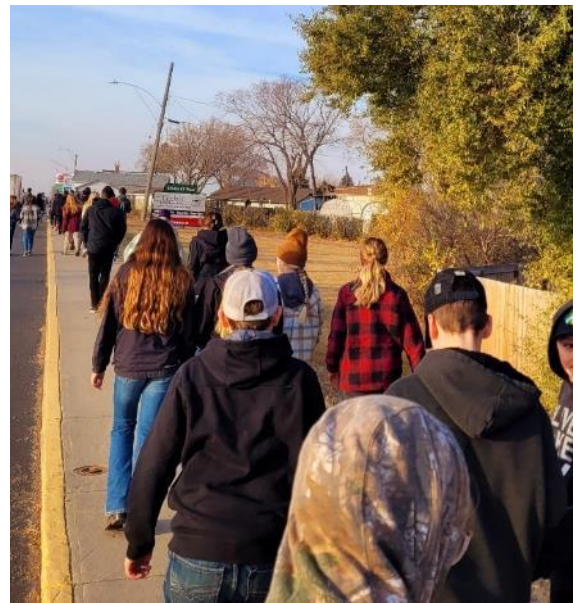
Please feel free to watch the virtual Remembrance Service at the link below or search the title above in YouTube.

<https://youtu.be/CX9sQoxgHrY>



School Goals 2022-2023

This year we are continuing our learning in the areas of Reconciliation, Mental Wellness, and outcome-based assessment (and learning Edsby!)



Tipi raising with Delisle Elementary next door; classes participating in Walk for Wenjack; Orange Shirt Day and bulletin board done by Ms. Curtis's classes; Mr. Cumming helping parents with Edsby; Sector Facilitators Mr. Martin and Mr. Krips helping grade 7s choose instruments to learn.



Notes from around the school:

SLC: The Student Leadership Committee at DCS has been hard at work this school year. We began the 2022/2023 year with a full afternoon of outdoor activities, coming together as an entire school for the first time in almost three years. Our first spirit week of the year was a huge success, and we hosted an electric pep rally to acknowledge the strength and spirit of our autumn sports teams. The SLC also had another fantastic pep rally, this time for Halloween. We are also working with the school division to plan, fundraiser for, and deliver a renovation of our school's courtyard into an outdoor classroom and mental health space. The SLC is also committed to working towards reconciliation, searching for authentic opportunities to weave indigenous perspectives and outcomes into all that we do at DCS. All in all, the SLC is brimming with exciting energy as we navigate the opportunities within a "new normal".

DCS Writing Club: Newly formed for the 2022/2023 school year, the DCS Writing Club is a group of Grade 10-12 students who are working together to plan, create, and refine a Writing Magazine that will be available for the community to read. In the spirit of 'Coffee Perks', our young writers have the desire to create a product which showcases a variety of types of student writing from all grades in our school, while also providing fun and unique takes on local issues, topics, and themes. Stay tuned for our first issue, and talk to Mr. Knapman to get involved!

Provincial Honour Band: Congratulations to Owen Lenton on qualifying for the Provincial Honor Band, made up of top musicians from across the province! Great job Owen!



Football: The season went well for Delisle Rebels football, as they finished league play with a perfect 6-0 record. They defeated Melville in quarter final action 33-8, and travelled to Melfort on November 5 for the provincial semifinal. Unfortunately, the boys didn't come away with a win, and Melfort went on to win the provincial title. Congratulations on a great season!



Junior volleyball: This fall DCS had two junior volleyball teams. They have had lots of games with Asquith, Vanscoy, Hanley, LCBI, the Colonsay tournament, and are hosting their own home tournament on November 5 (this ended up being cancelled due to weather.)

Senior girls volleyball: The senior girls team competed in several tournaments this year and some exhibition games. They were in Clavet on the blizzard weekend for conference playoffs, and despite a good effort, didn't move on. Thanks to Mrs. Rolston and Mrs. Atchison for coaching!



Senior boys volleyball: The senior boys team combined forces with Asquith this fall to field a team. The boys have had a busy and successful season, winning the Dalmeny tournament and their own home tournament, and many exhibition games against LCBI, Outlook, Martensville, Dalmeny, Biggar, Tommy Douglas, and Warman. They are in Saskatoon for Regional playoffs on November 18 and 19. The top three teams from there advance to Provincials.



Cross Country: It was a small group of cross country runners this year, with Evyn and Benson competing at Langham for Districts. Both had excellent times in some difficult weather!

GSA: Junior GSA has started up with a few meetings already happening. The year plan includes supportive lunch hours, looking at LGBTQ issues, and recognizing important days in the LGBTQ community.

Yearbook: The 2021-2022 yearbooks arrived this fall. Editors Kate Wright and Samantha Adams created a fantastic book of memories of a very memorable year! As Kate and Samantha have graduated, we will be looking for new students who are interested in photography and design to work on this year's book!

Interns: We have three intern teaching candidates from the University of Saskatchewan this fall. Hailey Firby is interning with Mr. Lesperance in grade 7. She is originally from Kenaston, with a Social Studies major and an ELA minor. She is helping out with junior volleyball and the jr GSA. She has been to Europe and Africa, and loves her two dogs Oakley and Daisy.

Nic Prediger is interning with Mr. Pylypow in grade 9. He is originally from Prince Albert, with a Social Studies major and an ELA minor. He is helping coach football, but is very familiar with Delisle already as he played junior hockey here with the Delisle Chiefs. He has travelled to 7 different countries, and his favorite NHL team is the Toronto Maple Leafs.

Steven Bachiu is interning with Mr. Schlosser, Mrs. Kielo, and Ms. Hill. He has lived from Manitoba to BC and in between! He has a degree in Engineering/Physics and is coming into education later in his career. He's a nationally ranked squash referee, and once met Bill Nye when Mr. Bachiu presented at a conference right before him!

Amazon scholarship: Kaitlyn Wright, a recent 2022 graduate of Delisle Composite School has been awarded a prestigious \$30,000 university scholarship from Amazon Future Engineer. Kaitlyn, who is getting set to study Computer Science at the University of Saskatchewan, is one of only 10 Canadian students receiving the scholarship. Congratulations Kate!

Home Ec Renovation: We are excited to receive an upgrade to the Home Ec room! Thanks to the Division Facilities crew for all of their hard work. It is looking amazing!

Breakfast program: DCS is able to provide free breakfast to students four times a week, thanks to funding from the PC Charity Power Full Kids Eat Well grant. Mrs. Kielo and the Commercial Cooking group does all of the baking for this, as well as providing a healthy affordable lunch option every Friday at noon for students to purchase.





ALLERGY ALERT

**THERE ARE DCS STUDENTS AND STAFF THAT
HAVE SERIOUS AND/OR LIFE-THREATENING
ALLERGIES TO PEANUTS, TREE NUTS,
POPCORN AND SCENTS.**

- **PLEASE DO NOT BRING FOOD WITH
PEANUTS OR OTHER TREE NUTS INTO THE
SCHOOL.**
- **DO NOT POP POPCORN AT THE SCHOOL.**
- **REFRAIN FROM WEARING STRONG SCENTS.**

**Thank you for helping provide a safe learning
environment that is accessible to all our students.**



At DCS, there are an unusually high number of days when staff and students are accidentally “twinning” and they always make us smile!

We also had a staff spirit week for fun, but in part to camouflage and surprise Mrs. Kielo with a Rock-Into-Your-50s theme day for her 50th birthday! Happy birthday Mrs. Kielo!!



Happy Halloween from DCS!

Meet the staff!

(Last year's pictures...the company has had many issues getting us this year's photos!)

<p>Diane Busby Admin Assistant</p> 	<p>Kirk Schlosser Principal</p> 	<p>Edla Landry Vice-Principal</p> 	<p>Katie Curtis Teacher</p> 
<p>Nathaniel Danielson Teacher</p> 	<p>Davin Fischer Teacher</p> 	<p>Nicole Gobeil Educational Assistant</p> 	<p>Chelsea Rolston Educational Assistant</p> 
<p>Shelby Knapman Teacher</p> 	<p>Taylor Simonsen Teacher</p> 	<p>Kelsey Lesperance Teacher</p> 	<p>Erin Hill Teacher</p> 

<p>Ty Pylypow Teacher</p> 	<p>Linda Peters Counsellor</p> 	<p>Cherryl Schumacher Educational Assistant</p> 	<p>Ken Byers Teacher</p> 
<p>Barb Kielo Teacher</p> 	<p>Kristin Starling SERT</p> 	<p>Sandra Traynor Educational Assistant</p> 	<p>Shawna Wirz Teacher</p> 
<p>Missing: Jenna Atchison Educational Assistant</p>	<p>Faye Mooney Custodian</p> 	<p>Jody Colborn Custodian</p> 	



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Delisle Composite School

Check out the school website for more detailed information:

<https://blogs.spiritsd.ca/delislecomposite/>



Welcome to DCS

Welcome to Delisle Composite School! We are a Grade 7 to 12 school of approximately 240 students in the awesome community of Delisle. Our students come from many surrounding areas such as Vanscoy, Pike Lake, Grandora, the RM of Montrose, the RM of Vanscoy, and the RM of Carmen Park.

We are part of the Prairie Spirit School Division, and are located 36km from the city of Saskatoon. We offer a wide range of courses as well as many extra-curricular activities and sports for students to get involved in.

Please feel free to contact the school at (306) 493-2433 or email dcs@spiritsd.ca for more information.

Twitter

Tweets from @DCS_Rebels

