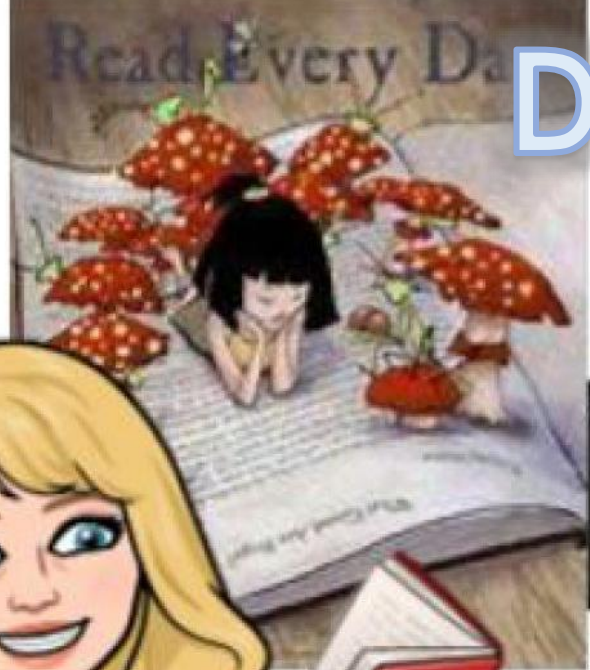


Digital "Meet the Teacher" Presentation



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

Welcome to

MRS. DABGHI'S CLASSROOM

In Gr. 4/5, we...

- set goals and make plans to achieve them
- listen to one another's ideas
- learn from one another
- show kindness in the classroom and on the playground
- give each other space to be individuals
- read! 😊



Our Classroom Team



Mrs. Dabghi:

- homeroom teacher Monday-Wednesday
- ELA, Visual Art, Math, Soc.St.



Ms. Brouet:

- Library Exchange, Drama

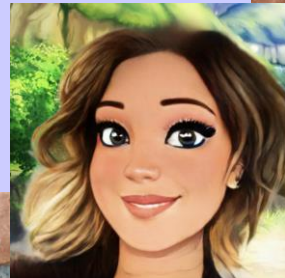


Ms. Lamontagne:

- co-homeroom teacher Thursday-Friday
- Science, Writer's Workshop, Math

Mrs. Baker:

- Health, PE, Dance/Music



Our schedule:



Gr. 4/5	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:55-9:20	Spelling	Spelling	Spelling	Spelling	Spelling Quiz
9:20-10:00	SocSt	PE <small>(Mrs. Baker)</small>	PE <small>(Mrs. Baker)</small>	Science	9:20 Library 9:35 Science
10:00-10:40	SocSt	Dance <small>(Mrs. Baker)</small>	Drama <small>(Mrs. Brouet)</small>	Science	Science
10:40-10:55	Recess				
10:55-11:35	Library <small>(Mrs. Brouet)</small>	Drama/ Ketchup Period <small>(Mrs. Brouet)</small>	Music <small>(Mrs. Baker)</small>	ELA <small>DEAR/Grammar</small>	ELA <small>DEAR/Cursive</small>
11:35-12:15	Visual Arts	Health <small>(Mrs. Baker)</small>	Health <small>(Mrs. Baker)</small>	PE <small>(Mrs. Baker)</small>	Math Stations
12:15-12:35	K-3 Lunch Recess/Grade 4-8 Lunch				
12:35-12:55	Grade 4-8 Lunch Recess/K-3 Lunch				
12:55-1:35	Math	Math	Math	Math	Spirit Buddies
1:35-2:15 <small>1:40-1:55 Body Breaks</small>	ELA (Book Clubs) <small>Learning space with Gr. 5/6s</small>	ELA (Book Clubs) <small>Body Break</small>	ELA (Book Clubs) <small>Learning space with Gr. 3/4s</small>	Writer's Workshop <small>Body Break</small>	Writer's Workshop <small>Body Break</small>
2:15-3:05	ELA (Book Clubs)	SocSt	SocSt	Math (IXL)	ELA/ <small>Ketchup Period</small>
3:05 Class Dismissal 3:10 Buses leave	Mrs. Dabghi Ms. Lamontagne				

Communication:

Planners

- We use our planners every day to record important reminders/homework, and to send notes/calendars/newsletters home.
- Please check your kiddo's planner, read and initial it each day.
- Jot us a note to let us know if after school plans change; please also remember to notify your bus driver if your child will not be riding.
- Please let us know if your child will be getting picked up earlier in the day, or if they will be missing school time for appointments so we can keep the attendance correctly recorded. You can also enter your child's absence directly into Eadsby with your parent access.



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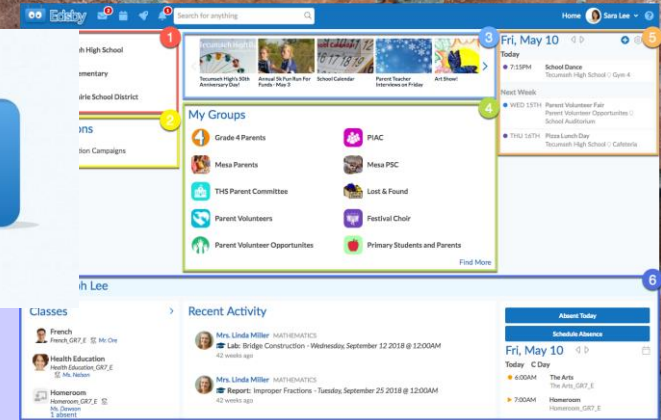
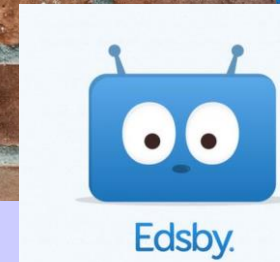
- Notes and reminders will be sent home daily in **planners**
- Schoolwide information can be located on the **school website** (including monthly school newsletters)

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

- Classroom information will also be shared via **Edsby**



Edsby.



- Please contact the office if you have questions about connecting to our classroom via Edsby.
- This is a fantastic peek into what we're doing with our time together at school, and may occasionally help answer the question, "So, what did you learn today?"
- Any photos posted on Edsby are for parent/guardian viewing and are NOT to be copied and/or shared to personal social media profiles

Read Every Day

"I do believe something very magical can happen with a good book." – J.K. Rowling

Quick reminders:

- Duo tangs are to be brought to school each Monday for a weekly tally count
- The challenge is to read a minimum of 100 minutes per week
- Duo tangs need to have minutes recorded and signed by the grown-ups at home (students cannot sign for the grownups)
- Each thousand minutes read will earn a new tag on the Reader's Wall of Fame
- Any reading minutes outside of school hours count, even "side by side", partner reading, and **audio books**



Language Arts

Weekly spelling lists:

- Monday – pretest
- Tuesday to Thursday – booklets
- Friday – quiz (notebooks go home for the weekend to be corrected, checked and signed and returned the following Monday)

Book Clubs:

- Groupings will be based on interest
- Students will read, analyze, and respond in writing and with discussion based on prompts provided
- There will be a minimum of three book club rotations through the year

Writer's Workshop:

- Writing paragraphs with transitions
- Descriptive writing
- Narrative writing
- Procedural writing
- Cursive writing
- Keyboard practice
- Poetry month in April



Math

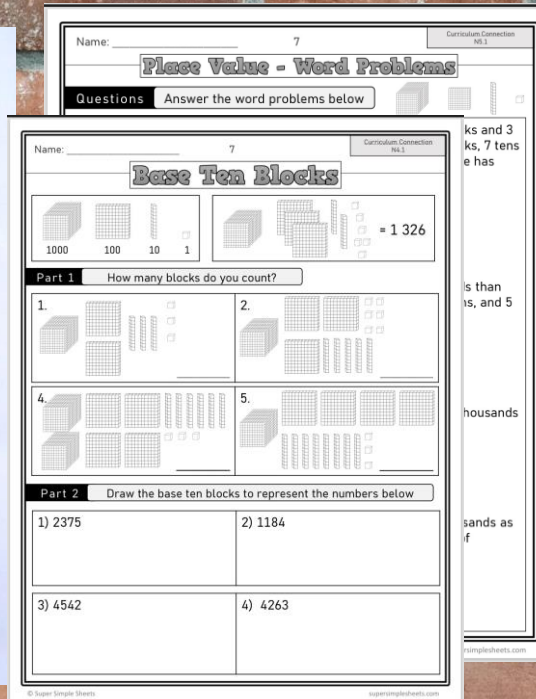
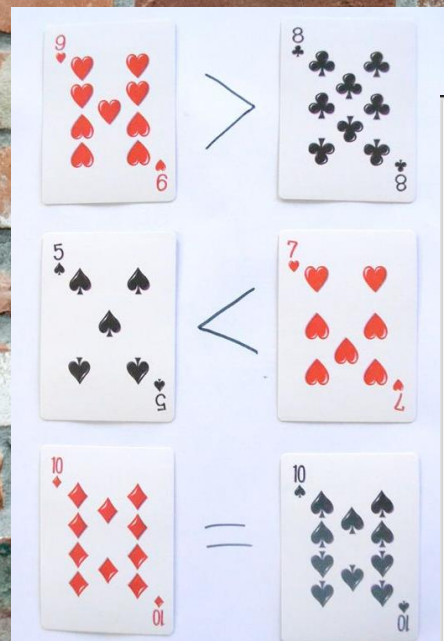
<https://ca.ixl.com/signin>



Programs:

- Sask Math 4 and 5 Workbook Assignments
- IXL Math (online practice)
- Hands on manipulatives
- Problem Solving
- Individual, partner and group work
- Individual Assessment

* A variety of at-home practice activities will be sent home for additional reinforcement opportunities over the course of the year



Ms. Lamontagne...

Gr. 4 Science:

- Rocks and Minerals
- Sound
- Light
- Habitats



Gr. 5 Science:

- Human Body Systems
- Simple Machines
- Matter
- Weather



Mrs. Dabghi...

Gr. 4&5 Social St:



Theme – Saskatchewan & Canada

- Land (Imaginary Islands)
- People/History
- Resources & Wealth
(Ex: Agriculture, Mining)
- Government




Dabghi Dollars \$\$\$\$\$\$

Awarded for practicing good habits:

For example...

- Bringing R.E.D. duo tang on Mondays, with at least 100 minutes recorded and signed by a grownup
- Returning spelling quiz notebooks each Monday, checked/corrected/signed

\$25	Read Every Day Dollars	
Name:	_____	
Date:	_____	
Authorized by:	_____	

Holidays

Save up for
end of year
prizes!

Birthdays

Potential Field Trips:

AG-Experience

Batoche – June (Gr.4)

Fort Carlton – June (Gr.4)

Other? (TBD)



Fundraising:

- Turkey Trot (October)
- Milk Monitors



Special Projects

- **Imaginary Islands** – December
- **Mouse Houses** – February
- **Heritage Fair (Gr.4)** – May
- **Fur Trading Posts (Gr.5)** - June

Dates TBD



Odds 'n Ends

- **School Fundraisers**

- Turkey Trot (details will be sent home soon)
- Hot Lunches ([Healthy Hunger](#))
- Fun Night (Sept. 8) – Parent Volunteer Sign-Up...
<https://volunteersignup.org/MFA7H>

- **Playdates & Birthday Arrangements**

- Please **arrange playdates outside of school** to prevent confusion with last minute planning at school – *I will assist in creating an optional parent contact list*
- Please **do not send birthday invitations** to be distributed at school
- Birthday treats are welcome to be sent to school but should be pre-portioned and easy to distribute (i.e. cupcakes/cookies)

- **SCP School is a nut-free facility**



- **Milk Cards - \$25 for 15 milk** – please send cash in an envelope or baggie clearly marked with “Milk Money” and your child’s name/grade, or purchase online with our school’s new online payment system, **RYCOR - link on school website** <https://blogs.spiritsd.ca/scpschool/rycor/>

- **Sharing** – can be brought **once a week**, on any day, there is no set schedule:
*No Pokémon or sports trading cards please – emailed photos of them are welcome



...fascinating

thoughtful

...kind

unique



**WE
ARE**



...capable



...fun

creative

patient

Please contact us any time with questions, concerns, or happy anecdotes (those are our favourites)! Looking forward to a wonderful new year of learning with your child!