

School Hours
 Welcoming Bell 8:55 a.m.
 Classes Begin 9:00 a.m.
 9:00 a.m. – 11:55 a.m.
 11:55 a.m. – 12:35 p.m. Lunch
 12:35 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

John Diefenbaker Public School

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3 <i>Clan Shirt/Clan Color Day</i>	4 LAST DAY FOR JIGGING CLASS 4:15 – 5:00 p.m.	5	6
9	10 <i>Clan Shirt/Clan Color Day</i>	11	12 Grade 8 Immunizations	13 <i>Canteen</i> Candygrams Delivered Today Red & Pink Spirit Day
Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week				
16	17	18	19	20
NO SCHOOL				
23	24 <i>Clan Shirt/Clan Color Day</i>	25 Pink Shirt Day	26	27 <i>Canteen</i>

FEBRUARY IS SASK. INDIGENOUS STORYTELLING MONTH & INCLUSIVE EDUCATION MONTH

During instructional time, 8:55 am–3:30 pm, we ask that all families and visitors check in at the office. If assistance is required, we will help your student get to their classroom. We want to ensure we are protecting instructional time for teachers during the day. If you need to speak with one of the teachers, consider sending an Edsby message to communicate with teachers or to request a meeting. Thanks for your cooperation in helping our teachers navigate the day to maximize student learning.

STUDENT PICK-UP/DROP-OFF

For the safety of our staff and students, the **staff parking lot is not a pick-up or drop-off point**. Help us to keep our children safe!

official John Diefenbaker Public School shop!

Customize your own JD merchandise at <https://jdps.entripyshops.com/>. Adult and youth sizes available.



Lunch Hour

Please provide necessary utensils in your children's lunches. We do not distribute utensils. Also, the school has no microwaves to heat up lunches.

Allergen Aware: Reduce the Risk

There are children in our school with severe life-threatening food allergies (anaphylaxis) to nuts and peanuts. This medical condition can result in death within minutes. Although this may or may not affect your child's class directly, we ask that any foods you send to school with your child be free from nut or peanut products. More information about anaphylaxis is available at the school. Please contact us. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

INCLEMENT WEATHER



For the most part, we want our students to enjoy playing outdoors before school, during both recesses and the noon hour. On rainy days, we allow students to come into the school upon their arrival and remain indoors during all breaks. In the winter, we use -30 degrees Celsius as our cut-off to remain indoors. If the temperature, and/or wind chill in combination with the temperature exceed -30, then all students are permitted in the school in the morning and during break times. **We do expect all students to be dressed appropriately for the weather**, as there are many cold days that students are expected to be outdoors.



Valentine's Day is coming up and the SLC will be selling Candy Grams starting on February 2nd. Candy Grams are a fun way to send something sweet to your crush, your friends, or even yourself!

Cost of the candy grams is \$1.00 each and all money raised will go to the SPCA. A note will be sent home with your student with all the details.

