



District Highlights

December 2023

Upcoming Events

December 7

NJM Winter Concert
6:30pm

December 12

COW Meeting
District Office @ 12:00pm

December 12

Board Meeting
District Office @ 7:00pm

December 12

MHS Winter Concert
(JK-Gr 2)
6:30pm

Message from the Superintendent

Once again the end of another year has come more quickly than it feels like it should. The fall of 2023 started as no one would have hoped for or would have expected with a city-wide evacuation. However, once again the resiliency of our community shone through and now with schools back in the winter and holiday mode, hopefully the evacuation feels like a distant memory.

The past month I had the pleasure of engaging in some professional conference learning with District Office colleagues and attending a meeting of the Alberta School Boards Association with the YK1 Board of Trustees. These items are not part of our typical monthly activities however, they once again display the commitment of YK1's Board and educators to ensure that we are engaged in topical and up-to-date promising practices to impact our systems.

I am very much looking forward to the many events happening at our schools over the next few weeks and I know parents and families will be excited to see student performances and the joy that this time of year can bring.

We are also focused on the philanthropic side of the season with schools doing hamper collections, toy drives and ensuring that as much goodwill as possible is spread through the community.

This past calendar year has once again illustrated that things won't always go as planned, yet the energy and compassion of those in our systems extend further to provide as much assistance as can be mustered.

To our students, staff and families, I wish you a restful break with renewed focus on the value of connection, family and friends and a hope for health and prosperity for everyone in 2024.

Season's Greetings!



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December 13

RLN Winter Concert

6:00pm

December 13

MHS Winter Concert

(Gr 3-8)

6:30pm

December 14

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6:30pm

December 19

last day of classes

January 4, 2024

classes resume

YK1 - Transportation Update - December 4, 2023

As YK1 continues to work on processing the wait list and appeals for transportation, we ask for your patience as we get to our final considerations.

A recent meeting confirmed that some shuffling of routes may need to occur as we accommodate further students on our buses, so we ask that you give us the time to ensure that every student and family who can be accommodated will be.

We understand the wait is frustrating but hope to have further information to you this week or next



Happy Holidays

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