

# N.J. Macpherson School



## Life-long Learning

## Literacy, Academics and

Life!

N.J. Macpherson (NJM) has a strong academic focus with an emphasis on literacy, numeracy and healthy lifestyles. Students participate and apply their knowledge to a variety of activities, projects and experiences. NJM is proud to offer an enhanced fine arts program which includes music, art, dance and drama.

Meaningful learning experiences for students engage the whole child as well as motivate and inspire a love of learning and the life-long pursuit of knowledge.



### **Real World Experience**

### Classroom Environment

NJM's classroom environments offer unique learning opportunities and individualized instruction designed to foster independence and build selfconfidence. Inquiry and competency based learning are integral parts of our philosophy at NJM.

- Warm and nurturing JK-5 English learning environment focused on meeting the needs of all learners.
- Innovative teaching and the celebration of positive student behaviour, are combined with a comfortable and welcoming atmosphere.
- The following opportunities allow us to share success, celebrate achievement and support students in their learning: assemblies, learning fairs, family lunches, open houses, concerts, and more.

### **Quality Education**

NJM supports, celebrates and recognizes student success by identifying and acknowledging positive behaviour. Setting goals and working toward them as a school community sets the stage for success. Students can count on a strong network of support and positive direction as they focus on achieving our school goals of being respectful, responsible and building relationships.

Ongoing professional development (PD) for educators is a vital link between current research and classroom practice.

PD enhances program delivery and learning experiences for students.





# N.J. Macpherson has a lot to offer...

- Strong academic focus: literacy and numeracy
- Student leadership opportunities
- School-wide writing activities
- Enhanced fine arts drama, music and visual arts with a designated teacher
- Active choir program
- Indigenous language and culturebased education (ILE): classroom integration and camp experiences
- Programs to support, recognize and celebrate positive behaviour
- Physical education teachers and extracurricular sports and clubs
- Recycling and composting program
- YWCA after-school program
- Multi-Sports Program for students in Grades 4 and 5
- An Active Parent Advisory Committee (PAC)

### Canadian Parents for French (CPF)

N.J. Macpherson School is supported by Canadian Parents for French (CPF), a national volunteer-based organization of parents who value and promote French language learning opportunities.

www.cpf.ca or www.cpfnwt.ca

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#### **École Įtłò** (JK-5 100% French Immersion) 5700 51A Avenue, 867-873-3477

### École Sir John Franklin High School

(9-12 English and French Immersion, 9-12 Post-Intensive French) 4071 52 Avenue, 867-669-0773

École William McDonald Middle School

(6-8 English and French Immersion,6 Intensive French; 7-8 Post-Intensive French)50 Taylor Road, 867-873-5814

**Mildred Hall School** (JK-8 English) 5408 50 Avenue, 867-873-5811

Range Lake North School (JK-8 English; 6 Intensive French; 7-8 Post Intensive French) 170 Borden Drive, 867-920-7567

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Junior Kindergarten-Gr 5 English



