

# Jessie Duncan Elementary School



## Upcoming Events

- Oct 6 - No School
- Oct 9 - Thanksgiving
- Oct 13- Power Assembly 10:30
- Oct 11th - DQ Hot Lunch
- Oct 18th - Parent Council 7 PM
- Oct 20 - No School
- Oct 24th - Kindergarten Parent/Teacher Interviews
- Oct 24th - Edo Hot Lunch

### Coming Up.....

- Picture Retakes - TBA
- Nov 1st - Hot Lunch Orders Due by 10 AM
- Nov 1st-2nd - Parent-Teacher Interviews
- Nov 9th-12 - Fall Break
- Nov 15th - Grade 3 Swimming Begins

## Principal's Message

Our first month of school is behind us already! It's been a busy month learning new routines, getting to know each other and jumping into our lessons. We have held three fire drills, celebrated Terry Fox and Orange Shirt Day and Clare Butterfly was here to teach us about our new tipi. This Friday we are looking forward to our first Power Award assembly and the opening ceremony for our Outdoor Classroom.

Our weather this past month has had some cold mornings and unseasonably warm afternoons. Even with the warm weather, we need to dress for multiple seasons all in the same day. Our mornings have been as cold as 0 degrees celsius and the afternoons have warmed to 24 degrees celsius. We ask that you send your children with the appropriate clothing to keep them warm during our recess times. Physical activity and the opportunity to move is very important and we always make every effort to go outside for recess. We have indoor recess when there is a steady rain or the temperature drops below -22 celsius. Otherwise we will be outside having a great time on the playground!

Our School Council had its first meeting of the year. Thank you to everyone who attended and for supporting our students. The continued support of our parents is important for the success of our school community. If you are interested in attending the next meeting, it will be held at 7:00 pm, October 18th, at Jessie Duncan. Come join an amazing group of parents!

Kory Sholdice  
Principal  
Jessie Duncan Elementary



### Student Dismissal Plans

Please communicate directly to the teacher or call the office when the usual after-school plans have changed for your child. We need parental consent to change the plan via phone, message or email.

Thank you for your help to keep dismissal for your child's after-school plans go smoothly each day!  
We appreciate it!





# Opening Ceremony



**The Opening Ceremony for our Outdoor Classroom will be Friday Oct 13th**

**1st ceremony 12:30 - 1:15  
(Grade 3 and Kindergarten)**

**2nd ceremony 1:45 - 2:30  
(Grade 1 and 2)**

**Thank you**

**Together we raised 431.60 for the Terry Fox Foundation**



# 2023-2024 Hot Lunch Schedule

## Jessie Duncan Elementary

Hot lunch orders are to be made online by 10am on the Due Date. **CLICK => Quick Links** menu tab on our website and click 'Online Fee Payments' at [www.jessieduncan.ca](http://www.jessieduncan.ca). You can order for as many months as you want. Hot lunch orders will be delivered to the student's classrooms at lunch time. **\*\*Cancellation:** *If you notify us prior to the due date of the hot lunch you can be refunded. If your child is sick on the date of the lunch, the teacher will save it for the next day, but it will be too late for a refund. If there is a yellow inclement weather day and buses are canceled but school is in session it is non-refundable as it is a school fundraiser. Red Days hot lunch will be rescheduled.*

### OCTOBER Orders Due Sept 27<sup>th</sup>

Oct 11<sup>th</sup>, Wed - \$7.00 DQ 3 Piece Chicken Fingers w/ ice cream sandwich & juice box

Oct 24<sup>th</sup>, Tues - -\$8.00 Edo Japan Chicken & Rice / Chicken & Ramen Noodles or 10 pc Sushi (Avocado, Cucumber, California rolls) w/ juice box & treat

### NOVEMBER Orders Due Nov 1<sup>st</sup>

Nov 15<sup>th</sup> Wed- \$6.00 DQ Burger w/ice cream sandwich & juice box (Hamburger or Cheeseburger)

Nov 28<sup>th</sup>, Tues - \$6.00 Pizza Stop XL Slice (cheese, Pepperoni) w/chips & juice box

### DECEMBER Orders Due Nov 29<sup>th</sup>

Dec 6<sup>th</sup>, Wed. - \$7.00 6" Sub Sandwich (Pizza or Ham) w/chips & juice Box

Dec 19<sup>th</sup>, Tues - \$7.00 DQ 3 Piece Chicken Fingers w/ ice cream sandwich & juice box

### JANUARY Orders Due Jan. 9<sup>th</sup>

Jan 17<sup>th</sup>, Tues. - \$6.50 Mac and Cheese w/ juice box & treat

Jan 30<sup>th</sup>, Wed. - \$8.00 Edo Japan Chicken & Rice / Chicken & Ramen Noodles or 10 pc Sushi (Avocado roll, Cucumber roll, California roll) w/ juice box & treat

### FEBRUARY Orders Due Feb 1<sup>st</sup>

Feb 14<sup>th</sup>, Wed. - \$6.00 Pizza Stop XL Slice (cheese, Pepperoni) w/chips & juice box

Feb 27<sup>th</sup>, Tues. - \$6.00 DQ Burger w/ice cream sandwich & juice box (Hamburger or Cheeseburger)

### MARCH Orders Due Mar 1<sup>st</sup>

Mar 12<sup>th</sup>, Tues - \$7.00 6" Sub Sandwich (Pizza or Ham) w/chips & juice Box

March 27, Wed - \$7.00 DQ 3 Piece Chicken Fingers w/ ice cream sandwich & juice box

### APRIL Orders Due April 2<sup>nd</sup>

April 10<sup>th</sup>, Wed - \$6.50 Mac and Cheese w/ juice box & treat

April 23<sup>rd</sup>, Tues - \$8.00 Pizza Stop XL Slice (cheese, Pepperoni) w/chips & juice box

### MAY Orders Due May 1<sup>st</sup>

May 15<sup>th</sup>, Wed. - \$6.00 DQ Burger w/ice cream sandwich & juice box (Hamburger or Cheeseburger)

May 28<sup>th</sup>, Tues. \$8.00 Edo Japan Chicken & Rice / Chicken & Ramen Noodles or 10 pc Sushi (Avocado roll, Cucumber roll, California rolls) w/ juice box & treat







**Paying for School Fees Just Got Easier**

**JESSIE DUNCAN ELEMENTARY**

Chinook's Edge School Division is pleased to announce our online fee payment portal, Student QuickPay. In an effort to reduce time, money and paper waste, parents of returning students can avoid the long lines of school start-up and pay their children's fees through a secure online website. Examples of school fees you can pay for online include *Elementary fees, hot lunch orders, swim lesson fees, library fines etc.*

With a few simple mouse clicks, parents can view assessed fees, any outstanding balances, and pay for multiple children at Chinook's Edge in a single transaction.

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

### **What do I need to use Student QuickPay?**

Parents will need access to the Internet and sign up for an account with a valid email address. They will also need a credit or debit card and have their child's student ID number readily available.

### **What are the costs to parents when using Student QuickPay?**

We do not charge a fee to use Student QuickPay, however, standard bank and/or credit card service charges may apply.

### **What are the methods of online payment?**

You can pay with Visa, MasterCard, American Express, PrePaid Credit Cards, and **Interac** Debit.

### **My child's information is displayed incorrectly. How do I change this?**

Please contact your child's school directly to change any student information.

### **My child has been assessed fees that should not be on their account. How do I change this?**

Please contact your child's school directly to inquire about student fees. You have the option to remove one or more fees from the payment total. You can return to StudentQuickPay at another time if you determine the fee is applicable.

### **How do I use Student QuickPay?**

1. Go to [www.jessieduncan.ca](http://www.jessieduncan.ca)
2. Click on the **Online Payments**.
3. At the Student QuickPay homepage, click on the **Sign Up** button if you do not have a login yet.
4. Enter your parent name, email and password.
5. Read and agree to the Terms and Conditions of the site, then click the **Next** button.
6. Add students to your account by entering their Student ID, Last Name, and Birth Date.
7. After adding all students, a summary page will be displayed that lists the outstanding fee totals for each student.
8. Review student fees and click the **Checkout** button when ready.
9. Pay for fees using a credit or debit card.

### **I'm having technical issues with my parent account. Who do I contact?**

Please email [feesupport@cesd73.ca](mailto:feesupport@cesd73.ca) for technical support.

