



## Cobra Communicator

***We are a village, growing together***

November 15 , 2024.

Dear Families,

On Monday, we held our Remembrance Day assembly. Hosted by Ms. Cheung's class, it was an amazing tribute. Our choirs sang beautifully and the students did such a great job preparing for their letter presentations.

It was great to see so many parents attend the parent-teacher interviews. If you were unable to attend, please contact your child's teacher. We value our partnership in education and we are thankful to have such a caring and involved community.

If we can support you in any way, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. We value our parents/guardians as valued partners in education.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Sincerely,

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## Upcoming Events:

Date	Day	What's Happening at School?
Monday, November 18	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pizza Day for those who ordered</li> <li><b>Author Visit- Sita Jit</b> -Grades 4-5 9:30-10:30, Grades 3-4 11:15-12:15</li> <li>Intermediate Girls' Volleyball areas- BHSS</li> <li><b>Pokemon Club- snack recess in the library</b></li> <li>Alice in Wonderland rehearsal-lunch recess</li> </ul>
Tuesday, November 19	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Eco Schools/Healthy Schools club meeting -snack recess</li> <li>Orchestra- lunch recess</li> <li>Primary Choir-snack recess</li> <li>Trivia Club- snack recess</li> <li>Quiet Club- snack recess</li> </ul>
Wednesday November 20	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Subway Subs for those who ordered</li> <li>Snack Shack - 8:45 am</li> <li>Choir- snack recess</li> </ul>
Thursday, November 21	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alice in Wonderland rehearsal-lunch recess</li> </ul>
Friday, November 22	5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hero Burger for those who ordered</li> </ul>

## Mark your calendars:

**Nov, 25** - MFD Visit - Gr 3 (9:30) & Gr. 4 (10:00)  
**Nov. 27** - Photo Retake Day  
**Dec. 2 & 3** - Dental Screening  
**Dec. 2**- School Council Meeting 6:00-7:30 p.m.  
**Dec. 11** - **Kindergarten and Primary** Winter Concerts  
**Dec. 12** - Strings Showcase Grades 4-8  
**Feb. 3-5** - Lake St. George - Grade 7  
**March 6 & 7** Milne - Grade 2  
**March 17 & 18** - Milne - Grade 4  
**March 19 & 20** - Milne - Grade 7  
**March 25**- Grade 7 visit to MSH  
**June 19**- Grade 8 graduation- CVPS

### School Holidays

**Winter Break** - Dec. 23, 2024 to Jan. 3  
**Family Day** - Mon., Feb. 17  
**Mid-Winter Break** - March 10, to March 14  
**Good Friday** - April 18  
**Easter Monday** - April 21  
**Victoria Day** - Mon. May 19

### P.A. Days

Friday, January 17, 2025  
 Friday, January 31, 2025  
 Monday, June 9, 2025  
 Friday, June 27, 2025

## Sita Jit - Author Visit

On Monday, November 18th, Sita Jit will be coming to CVPS and speaking to our students in grades 3-5. You can read more about Sita by clicking on this [link](#). The following is her bio from her website:

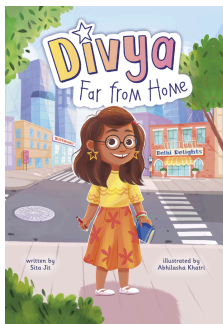
### Welcome! I'm Sita Jit!

I am a children's book author and former educator. I have previously taught in elementary schools and worked as a curriculum consultant for almost twenty years. It was a difficult choice to step away from teaching but now I get to focus on writing full time. I write picture books, chapter books and middle grade novels that are full of heart, joy, community, intergenerational relationships and Indian culture. I am currently working on a spooky (!! ) middle grade novel that I'm soo excited about.

Thank you for visiting!

This is the book that Sita will be sharing with our students during her visit:

<https://sitajit.com/books/divya-far-from-home/>



### Divya Far from Home (Book 1) by Sita Jit

Nine-year-old Divya's life is turned upside down when her family moves from Delhi, India, to a new city halfway across the world.

[sitajit.com](https://sitajit.com)

If you would like to purchase a book for your child, please send \$12 for a soft cover book or \$23 for a hardcover book.

Please take a moment to fill out this [Google Form](#) so that we can try to get enough books from the publisher for Monday or as soon as possible.

### Multi- Year Strategic Plan

Recently, York Region District School Board launched its new Multi- Year Strategic Plan.

Developed by the Board of Trustees and based on feedback from staff, students and community, it lays out three priorities:

- Student Achievement
- Health and Well-Being
- Human Rights and Inclusive Education

The plan aims to build unity while helping students to achieve excellence by promoting and supporting high expectations for all, building healthy environments and positive relationships and learning and growing together while affirming our diverse identities.

This plan will guide the collective work of the board for the next 4-5 years and we look forward to sharing its success with you in the coming months.

To learn more about the Multi- Year Strategic Plan please visit [www.yrdsb.ca/MYSP](http://www.yrdsb.ca/MYSP)

**A Career that works for you.**

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We believe that every student can be successful. That drives our work.”

We are looking for individuals who share this commitment to student learning well-being, and achievement.

We have ongoing job postings in a variety of positions. Learn more about why YRDSB may be the right place for you.

Meet some of our staff and explore career opportunities. [www.yrdsb.ca/careers](http://www.yrdsb.ca/careers) or scan the QR code.



## Fresh From the Farm




For those families who ordered from Fresh from the Farm fundraiser, the produce is being delivered to CVPS on **Monday, November 18th**.

**Please come to the office any time after 12:50 pm to pick up your order.**

Thank you for supporting our fundraising efforts and we hope you enjoy your fresh produce!

## From Your School Council

### Hot Lunches:

		
<b>Mondays</b> November 18, 25 December 2, 9, 16	<b>Wednesdays</b> November 20, 27 December 4, 11, 18	<b>Fridays</b> November 22, 29 December 6, 13, 20

## Mabel's Labels

Our school is fundraising with Mabel's Labels! If you're not familiar with Mabel's Labels, they are personalized, durable, waterproof labels. They are great for everything from shoes, clothing tags, water bottles and backpacks. You can customize them with your name and a design, and they are dishwasher, laundry and microwave safe.

Mabel's Labels also offers clothing stamps, silicone bands for water bottles and medical alert labels. This is a great way to ensure your items don't end up in the lost & found or mixed up. To reduce the spread of germs, we highly recommend labelling but they are also useful for everyday

life. To support our fundraiser, visit [campaigns.mabelslabels.com](https://campaigns.mabelslabels.com) and select CORNELL VILLAGE PS. You can pick out whatever labels or product you want, and it will ship for free directly to your house!

Thank you for supporting us!



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