



Dear FSE Families,

We are certainly moving along in our learning at FSE! Please be sure to check out our [daily announcements](#)!

For a safe, positive, focused learning, we have created a Calendar B Kindergarten class. We have been able to reconfigure our Kindergarten classes for optimum learning. We recognize the changes this creates for our Kindergarten families and we appreciate your understanding and cooperation. Ms. Thompson will be teaching our Calendar B class and Ms. Frey will continue with our Calendar A class. This is going to be an awesome team! The new Kindergarten groups will be in effect the week of **Monday, October 5**. Start time for all ECS classes will be 8:30 a.m.

**On Wednesday, September 30** FSE will have their first virtual assembly, our FSE Orange Shirt Assembly. The Orange Shirt Assembly focuses on honouring indigenous history as well as understanding the impact of residential schools. The assembly will begin at 9:00 a.m. We look forward to our grade 6 led assembly!.

At FSE, we will begin the administration of the STAR and MIPI on **September 28** and will have these assessments completed by **October 2**. Our teaching staff will then use the information in their planning for student learning. The Division administers the STAR 360 and Math Intervention/Programming Instrument (MIPI) assessment tools for all in-school learners as part of Elk Island Public Schools' (EIPS) ongoing efforts to enhance the literacy and numeracy of students,

FSE and FSC now have video surveillance, for the safety of all. They are located at entrances and in the main hallways.

The Division is now accepting applications for fee waivers. Parents/guardians can find the form and information on the Division website, and the associated information on all school websites has also been updated. The deadline for receiving fee waiver applications is **December 15**. An extension will be granted for students transitioning from out-of-school learning to in-class learning and for families new to Elk Island Public Schools after December 15.

In Partnership with FSE Families,  
Jacqui Holmes, Principal



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