



May 26, 2024



WESTBORO ELEMENTARY

Weekly Newsletter

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

- May 28:** Class pictures in the morning
- May 29:** Book Club at lunch recess in the literacy room
- May 29:** Red Shirt Day
- May 30:** Place field trip - International Children's Festival of the Arts 9:30 - 2:30 p.m.
- May 31:** Games Club at lunch recess Math/Art Room
- May 31:** Kindergarten field trip - bowling 1:00 - 2:40 p.m.

NEW PRINCIPAL ANNOUNCEMENT

We are happy to announce that Mrs. Shelby Labrecque will be returning to Westboro Elementary as Principal for the 2024-25 school year! Mrs. Labrecque served as Assistant Principal at Westboro during the 2020-21 school year and is the current principal at Fort Saskatchewan Elementary. Please join us in giving Mrs. Labrecque a warm welcome back to Westboro!

RED SHIRT DAY

[Red Shirt Day™](#) of Action for Accessibility and Inclusion. Wear Red. Make a Pledge. Support Canadians living with disabilities.

Join [Easter Seals Ontario](#) in the movement for accessibility, inclusion, and equity! Take part in Red Shirt Day™ on **Wednesday, May 29, 2024** by wearing red, making a pledge, and supporting Canadians living with disabilities.

ADAPTABILITIES SUMMER PROGRAMS

Adaptabilities summer camps create amazing possibilities for a non-stop summer of fun! We nurture belonging, exploration and fun, while providing a safe camp experience.

Our summer programs are designed for children, youth and young adults with diverse abilities such as:

- Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)
- Down Syndrome
- Autism
- Anxiety Disorder
- Cerebral Palsy
- Obsessive Compulsive Disorder (OCD)
- Tourette's Syndrome
- Other Needs

Click the link below for more information and to register!

<https://adaptabilities.ca/our-services/summer-camps/>



YEARBOOK DEADLINE

The deadline to order your 2023-24 yearbook is fast approaching! Click on the link below order yours now!!



Westboro Yearbook - \$25.00



Scan the QR code or go to
<https://YBPay.lifetouch.ca>

Yearbook ID Code *14397224*

Orders due by June 14, 2024

2024-25 SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

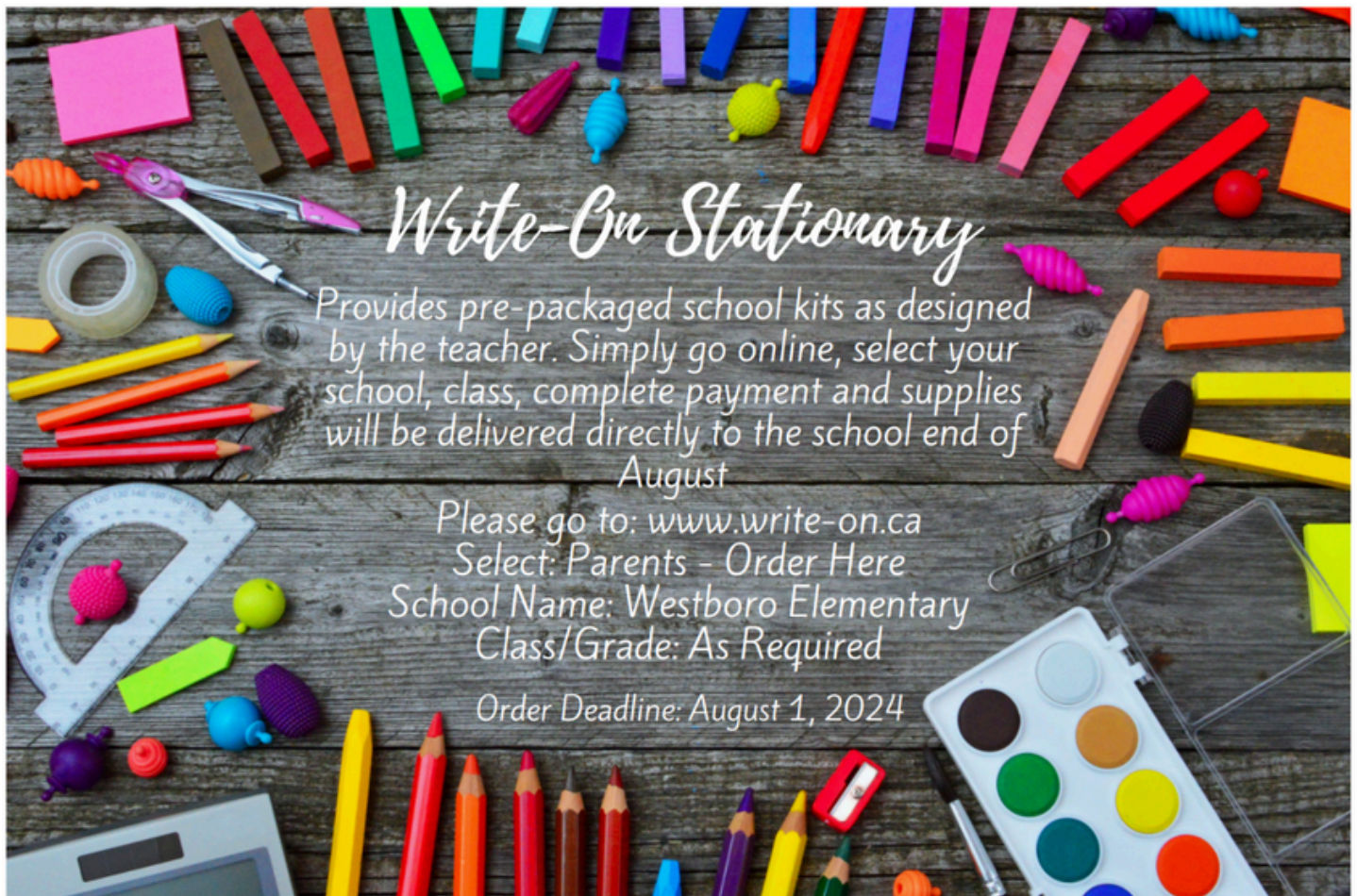
At Westboro we have two different options for school supplies to suit your needs:

Option One, Write-On Stationery, provides pre-packaged school kits as designed by the teacher; you simply go online select your grade, complete payment and the supplies will be delivered directly to the school the end of August.

FOR ONLINE ORDERS:

- Go to <https://www.write-on.ca/>
- School Name: Westboro Elementary School - SHERWOOD PARK
- Choose your grade and place your order
- Complete your order by clicking "PLACE ORDER"
- You will receive an automatic email confirmation to confirm your order has been received
- Write-On accepts VISA, MC, AMEX, Visa Debit and Interac Online.

Option two is to take the supply list on the back and purchase the items at your store of choice and send the supplies to school with your student on the first day! View the Westboro school supply lists here: <https://www.westboroelementary.ca/about/supply-list>



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Please go to: www.write-on.ca
Select: Parents - Order Here
School Name: Westboro Elementary
Class/Grade: As Required
Order Deadline: August 1, 2024

Strathcona County Information

TRANSITIONING TO JUNIOR HIGH-FOR PARENTS AND CAREGIVERS OF YOUTH STARTING JUNIOR HIGH IN FALL 2024

Transitioning from elementary to junior high school is exciting and can be stressful. Learn strategies to support your teenager at this free workshop for parents and caregivers of youth transitioning from grade 6 to 7.

Where: Online

Cost: Free

Click [here](#) to sign up.

For more information email: FamilyResourceNetwork@strathcona.ca

FREE COUNSELLING SERVICES

Feeling uncertain, stressed or overwhelmed? We know life can have its challenges, and we all need support at times. Strathcona County's Counselling team is here to support you when you're ready. Access affordable, same-day counselling, starting at \$0, and get support with:

- Family Violence
- Relationships
- Mental health
- Life stressors (finance, work, future worries, etc.)
- Grief and loss
- Developing coping strategies
- And more

Walk in or call in today. Learn more <https://ow.ly/I7Qv50Q2eaL>

FREE SUMMER PROGRAMS

Our FREE summer program schedule from the Family Resource Network (FRN) is here! Connect with other parents and caregivers, learn new skills and support your child's healthy development.

- Drop-in parented programs for infants aged 0 to 18 months
- Drop-in parented programs for kids 0 to 6 years old
- Registered programs for kids in grades 1 to 3 and grades 4 to 6
- Registered parenting skill-building sessions for a variety of age groups
- Special events for families and children of all ages

Register for programs and learn more about Strathcona County's Family Resource Network here:

<https://ow.ly/A66y50QzlrJ>