

# Queen Elizabeth Elementary



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## NEWSLETTER #8 – April 9, 2021

Dear Queen Elizabeth Families,

We hope that everyone had some time to relax and enjoy some “creatively arranged” family time during Spring Break and the Easter Long Weekend. We know that people are getting weary and anxious to enjoy one another’s company more freely, but we must all adhere to our tight restrictions in order to get to a healthier, happier, place.

Here at school, we continue to follow our safety protocols and appreciate all your support in completing the daily health assessment for your children. Though it is definitely not “business as usual”, staff are working hard at providing students with rich, and engaging learning opportunities. This past week, all classes enjoyed the interactive, virtual presentation of DreamRider Productions, creator of the Planet Protector Academy. Students learned songs and simple dance moves as they learned and reviewed ways to help our planet, Earth.

We will be continuing to enjoy some virtual assemblies and presentations this year. In the coming weeks, classes will be enhancing their learning of Indigenous culture with the showing of AXIS Theatre: *Th’Owxiya: The Hungry Feast Dish*. In addition, classes will be enjoying “an exciting French opportunity which is artistically, culturally and linguistically rich: Canadian magician Marx Tardif’s virtual magic show.” This production will be available to classes, in both bilingual and English versions.

We also were told that individual school photos can be arranged! Mountain West will be coming on Friday, April 16. All information was emailed to parents last week. All forms, viewing & ordering will be online.

Option 4 families, please contact your child’s teacher to let them know if you will be taking a photo. We hope to have the individual photographs put together into a class composite and don’t want to miss including everyone!

We look forward to seeing everyone’s smiling faces soon!

Have a wonderful, safe weekend! Stay close to home.

Mrs. S.C. Car

### Photo Day – Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup>



Student portraits will be taken outside on Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup> by Mountain West Studios. Please visit <https://www.mountainwest.ca/elementary> where you will find information on “how to prepare for photo day”.

A few days after photo day you will receive a **Webcode Flyer** from the school

- View your images and order online
- Orders will be mailed to your home
- Digital download information will be emailed to you in approximately 3- 4 weeks

For more information please visit [mountainwest.ca](https://www.mountainwest.ca) or email them at [help@mountainwest.ca](mailto:help@mountainwest.ca) for any assistance.

**Upcoming Dates**

Friday, April 16 – starting in the morning  
Monday, April 26  
Sunday, May 9  
Monday, May 24  
Sunday, June 20  
Tuesday, June 29  
Wednesday, June 30

Individual Student Photos  
Professional Day – No school for students  
Mother's Day  
Victoria Day – Schools Closed  
Father's Day  
Last day for students  
Last day for staff



***Bringing summer into the school with this beautiful artwork from Div. 4***