

Educational Plan 2024-27



Empowering Students.

Soaring to Success.

School Profile

The village of Donalda is a rural community located along Highway 53. Donalda School accommodates approximately 80 students from pre-kindergarten to grade nine that live within the village and surrounding rural community.



DONALDA SCHOOL EAST

Mission & Core Values

The Donalda School community works alongside one another to empower students in their learning allowing them to soar to success.



Planning for 2024-2027

<u>Annual Education Results Report - 2023</u> Clearview's Education Plan 2024-27 (linked here)

From the AERR results and following the vision of Clearview, we will continue to focus on literacy and numeracy, which will ultimately impact student engagement.



Trends

- Despite the transient nature of a portion of our student population, we have seen a slight increase in students over the past few years with a K-9 population of 76 this current year.
- Our teaching staff of 5.2 FTE is sufficient in delivering quality instruction and our six support staff (includes full and part time) provide a high level of student support to meet the needs of our students.
- The School Council and parent population continue to to be a great source of support for the school and its programming.





Challenges

- Increased costs of services that support student programming (example transportation costs).
- Increased academic, social, and physical needs of our students.
- Inclusive programming
- Length of bus routes



Stakeholder Engagement

School Division

- Provided direction on divisional initiatives at LLT meetings
- Professional Development for all staff
- Board Visits

Teachers & Staff

- Opportunity to contribute ideas at Staff Meeting & Team Meetings
- Implement evidence-based instructional practices
- Professional Development & Growth Plan
- One on One Staff Meetings three times a year



Stakeholder Engagement

Parents

- School Council executive members review our education plan and provide direction and support
- Parent Council meetings will provide an opportunity for the parents to inform the principal of educational needs of the students, and collaborate on school improvement
- Open communication through Seesaw, School Messenger and weekly newsletters
- Parent-Teacher Interviews
- School Hosted Events



Highlights & Successes

- Growth in our literacy data in all our grades
- Musical productions
- Sports teams
- The nutrition program delivered by TC Catering
- Social Emotional Learning Block
- Student of the Week with Bussin Bussin Socks



Indigenous Student Success

- As a school division we have been making intentional efforts to increase our knowledge and understanding of Indigenous Culture which is directly impacting our school.
- We are currently seeking local Knowledge Keepers in the Donalda Community to work alongside our staff and students.
- Students are learning about Indigenous culture and history imbedded into social studies, science and SEL classes.
- Teachers are continuing to learn how to develop and implement lessons that celebrate Indigenous culture, and raise awareness in our community.



Literacy Focus: Data Informed Evidence-Based Instruction

Outcomes:

- Data driving literacy instruction and intervention.
 - 3Ts will provide a snapshot of student understanding and growth three times a year, as well as highlight students that will need intentional tier I, II & III supports.
 - Biweekly curriculum based measures will monitor the progress of specific students' growth that will assist in navigating which supports are beneficial.

Success Measures:

- Percentage of staff utilizing Layers of Reading strategies (Target 100%).
- Anecdotal evidence from staff reporting implementation of new literacy strategies based on Layers of Reading.
- Percentage of students experiencing one year of growth in reading comprehension as measured by 3T assessment (Target 85%).
- Growth in the progress of specific students that are being monitored.





Literacy Focus: Data Informed Evidence-Based Instruction

Strategies:

- Donalda School Literacy Learning
- 3T Assessments will be used to "red flag" students that need additional support, as well a monitor the growth in literacy learning for our school:
 - TOSREC
 - TOWRE-2
 - TOSWRF-2
- Curriculum-based measures will be used to monitor the progress of our "red flagged students" to direct implementation of tier I, II or III interventions.

Resources to Support Outcome:

- School resource funds allotted to support implementation of new strategies derived from the Layers of Reading
- Funds allocated to literacy resources as needed





Numeracy Focus: Evidence-based Instructional Activities for Teaching Mathematics

Outcome:

- Create a high level learning environment in mathematics class.
- Teachers will learn instructional strategies to implement in their math classes that promotes a high level of engagement and critical thinking.

Success Measures:

- Administrator walk throughs & observations
- Staff anecdotal evidence
- Student improvement on Provincial Assessments





Numeracy Focus: Creating High Level Learning Environment

Strategies:

- Implement strategies to increase students opportunity to respond
- Provide students opportunities to collaborate
- Provide visual representations and allow students to create visual representations to demonstrate their understanding

Resources to Support Outcome:

- Teachers will participate in professional development at school based PD days
- Funds allocated to numeracy resources as needed
- Focus on PD Days





Career Education

- CTS opportunities
- MyBlueprint resource
- Nutrition Program

- Leadership Opportunities
- Collaboration & Team Work
- Project Based Learning



Date	Learning Activities	
August 27, 2024	Classroom Prep Day Teachers	
August 28, 2024	Division PD Day All Staff	
August 29, 2024	Staff Meeting & Inclusion Workshop All Staff	
August 30, 2024	Grade Team Meetings (Review Behavior Plans) & Inclusion Workshop • All Staff	
September 27, 2024	 Morning: (all staff - 4 hours) - Invite Barb Pears, Jennifer Brown & Parents Staff Meeting Grade 3/4 Team Meeting Grade 5/6 Team Meeting Afternoon: (teachers) IPPs 	
October 11, 2024	CRM, Numeracy/Literacy Teachers	
November 1, 2024	Numeracy/Literacy Teachers	



Date	Learning Activities		
November 4:, 2024	Grade 3/4 Team Meeting • Kallie, Hayley, Julie • 3:30 - 4:30 pm		
November 5, 2024	Grade 5/6 Team Meeting • Krystal, Clorinda, Colleen, RaeAnna, Julie • 3:30 - 4:30 pm		
November 7, 2024	Staff Meeting (1 hour) • All Staff		
November 22, 2024	CRM, Numeracy/Literacy teachers		
January 29, 2025	January 29: Inclusion Morning: (all staff - 4 hours) - Invite Barb Pears, Jennifer Brown & Parents Staff Meeting Grade 3/4 Team Meeting Grade 5/6 Team Meeting Afternoon: (teachers) CRM Review IPPs		
February 13-14, 2025	Teachers' Convention Teachers	DONALDA SC	HOOL

Date	Learning Activities		
March 7, 2025	Staff Meeting (1 hour) • All Staff		
March 10, 2025	Grade 5/6 Team Meeting Krystal, Clorinda, Colleen, RaeAnna, Julie, Hillary 3:30 - 4:30 pm		
March 11, 2025	Grade 3/4 Team Meeting Hillary, Hayley, Julie 3:30 - 4:30 pm		
March 21, 2025	CRM, Numeracy/Literacy Teachers		
April 22, 2025	Division PD Day All Staff		
May 28, 2025	Grade 3/4 Team Meeting Hillary, Hayley Julie 3:30 - 4:30 pm		
May 29, 2025	Grade 5/6 Team Meeting Krystal, Clorinda, Colleen, RaeAnna, Julie, Hillary 3:30 - 4:30 pm		
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Date	Learning Activities
May 16, 2025	Inclusion Transition Meetings - Invite Barb Pears, Jennifer Brown & Parents Morning: (all staff - 4.0 hours) Grade 3/4 Team Meeting Grade 5/6 Team Meeting Staff Meeting Afternoon: (teachers) CRM
June 26, 2025	Last Day Morning: (all staff - 4.0 hours) Staff Meeting School Clean-Up Afternoon: (teachers) Classroom Prep



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