



ICES PARENT UPDATE
March 8, 2021



Thank you to our School Council for providing funds to have Kristy Parsons paint our front entry for Easter!

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION – OPENS TODAY!

To register your child, two documents need to be completed and submitted. Additionally, a copy of the child's Birth Certificate or Canadian Documentation needs to be provided. Options for completed forms:

- emailed back ices@lethsd.ab.ca & business@immanuel.cs
- brought to the front doors
- sent with a sibling to bring to the school office

**Please see the 2 attached documents (fillable registration form & FOIP/CEM form)*

EEP EXPRESSION OF INTEREST – MARCH 15 – 31

With changes in funding structures and increasing demand for Early Education Programs across Lethbridge, all families will complete an “**Expression of Interest**”

for their school location preferences regarding 2021/2022 programming. Families will rank their choices of location. Children must be four years old as of Dec. 31, 2021 with the intent of doing one year of Early Education Programming, followed by one year of Kindergarten, and Grade 1 the following year.

Children who turn three by Dec. 31, 2021, and who meet the Alberta Education criteria for a severe developmental delay, will also be accepted. These are the only three year-olds accepted at this time.

A link to the "Expression of Interest" forms will be available starting March 15th at www.lethsd.ab.ca, and can be completed electronically. The "Expression of Interest" process will take place from **March 15-31**.

New families who indicate ICES as their school of choice will need to follow the new family admissions process as outlined on the school website before receiving approval to register.

For more information, please refer to the division website

REPORT CARDS & PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Our Report Cards will be accessible on Monday, March 15th and Parent/Teacher interviews will be on Friday, March 19 *via Teams*. Once again, Conference Manager will be available for booking a time with your child(ren)'s teacher. Conference Manager will open on March 11th and close on March 18th.

**Please see the attachment regarding accessing Conference Manager*

MARCH DISMISSAL TIMES

3:00 – bus students

3:03 – Kindergarten, 1A, 2B, 4

3:06 - 1B, 3A, 3C, 5A

3:09 - 2A, 3B, 5B

THIS WEEK:

Monday, March 8 – Kindergarten Registration opens

Wednesday, March 10 – Early Dismissal; Jersey Day

Thursday, March 11 – Conference Manager opens for booking P/T Interviews

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, March 15 – Report Card Two; EEP Expression of Interest forms open

Wednesday, March 17 – Friends of Immanuel Fundraiser & Auction

Friday, March 19 – Parent/Teacher Interviews (on Teams) – no school

Thursday, April 1 – Easter Chapel – Grade 3 leading