

Bobcat Express



St. Stephen Middle School

Week of September 28

Dear Families,

Thank you to all Bobcats for doing a terrific job in following the new guidelines and protocols. Everything is going very well at the school and a reminder that the **SSMS Operational Plan** can be found on our website.

Welcome to Ms. Tara Linton who is joining the SSMS Team as a grade 8 teacher. On Monday, we will begin with the new classes as shared with families last week.

On Wednesday, September 30 we encourage all students to wear an orange shirt in recognition of **Orange Shirt Day**. This annual date is an opportunity to create meaningful learning and conversations around the legacy of Residential Schools. Please connect with your child about what they are learning. For more information, please link to: www.orangeshirtday.org.

Please be sure to reach out with any questions or suggestions. Information on our first Parent School Support Committee meeting will be shared next week.

Have a nice week ahead.

Bronwyn Tanner

Monday September 28	<ul style="list-style-type: none">SSMS Dismissal times: 2:56: Students walking or being picked up 3:10: Buses: 127, 128, 133 & 136 3:20: All other bus students
Tuesday September 29	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Grade 7 Immunization clinic (all day, small gym)
Wednesday September 30	 <p>Orange Shirt Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Grade 7 Immunization clinic (all day, small gym)
Thursday October 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Fire Drill (Block 4, weather permitting)
Friday October 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Have a great Friday!



[ASD-S website](#)




[SSMS website](#)

Questions about the New Brunswick Curriculum?

Please reach out to your child's teachers and reference the provincial curriculum documents at [Link to all subjects for middle level](#)



Thank you to the  and Manager Paul Corbett for the generous contribution to the SSMS breakfast and lunch program! Breakfast trays are in each classroom daily with a variety of healthy snack choices, including fruit, yogurt and granola bars. The weekly funding donation from the St. Stephen Superstore will make a big difference to our school in our ability to have healthy options available each day.



Bobcat Gallery

Pictures from the Terry Fox Walks last week



Out and about at SSMS...



Students in Mme. McGinn's class pose with Greta, the Betta Fish.



A big thank you to Mr. McGinn for his painting and mural work over the summer months. Our small gym has had a complete makeover and the large gym has had several athletic murals added. Wow, what a difference!

Upcoming Dates

October 7: Picture Day (Harvey Studios)

October 12: Thanksgiving

November 11: Remembrance Day

November 20: No classes for students, Report Card preparation (.5 day) and PL (.5 day)

SSMS Mission

Opening Doors to Opportunities
Challenge. Encourage. Achieve

Ouvrir les portes aux possibilités.
Défier. Encourager. Attendre

SSMS Vision

SSMS commits to providing diverse learning opportunities to foster productive citizens.

SSMS s'engage à offrir diverses expériences d'apprentissage pur développer des citoyens responsables et productifs.