

THE SCHOOL SCOOP

HONORÉ MERCIER SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 2024

Dear Honoré Mercier Community,

We're delighted to be part of a school that provides a wide range of enriching and enjoyable activities.

Schools play a crucial role in fostering our children's educational and personal growth, and offering a diverse set of activities truly enhances the overall learning experience.

From academic enrichment, sports, and arts to extracurricular activities and field trips, these opportunities allow students to develop new skills, broaden their interests, and create lasting memories.

These activities also support the development of essential life skills such as teamwork, leadership, time management, and problem-solving. It's important to encourage our students to make the most of these opportunities and to appreciate the positive impact they have on their growth and education.

We're excited to see how ECA and P.E.L.O classes are already sparking their curiosity with a variety of new experiences. Thank you for your ongoing support in helping our students thrive.





This month, we will be holding our first parent-teacher interviews, which will take place in person this term. More information will follow in a separate memo.

Since the beginning of September, we have successfully completed our four mandated fire drills—two during class, one at lunchtime, and one during after-school daycare. I'd like to extend sincere gratitude to the entire school community for their cooperation and commitment to safety.

Acknowledging and appreciating the collective responsibility shown by our students, teachers, and staff reinforces the importance of teamwork and following procedures, helping us maintain a secure and productive learning environment.

We recently had the wonderful opportunity to welcome Officer Julie Mazerolle to our school to speak with our younger students about Halloween Safety. She will be returning throughout the school year to provide other presentations tailored for our older students as well.



Our Honoré Mercier B.A.S.E. program promotes a culture of student success through various activities aligned with six core educational areas: Homework and Snack, Creative Arts, Media Awareness, Physical Activity, Environmental Consciousness, and Specialty Programs. These initiatives encourage children's overall growth and development, emphasizing social skills like respect, cooperation, and openness.

Program Highlights Include:

Homework Assistance: Provides a supportive environment with time, materials, and guidance for completing assignments.

Educator-Led Activities: Enjoy hands-on learning through art, science, baking, cooking, and environmental projects, as well as leadership activities.

Extracurricular Activities: ECA opportunities like Sport Life, Latin dance, Sports ball, and video animation.

Garden Club: Engages students with nature and sustainable practices.

Theme Projects and Festivals: Special events, celebrations, and community projects throughout the year.

BASE Pedagogical Days

Students registered for the B.A.S.E. program can attend daycare on a Ped day. Fun and engaging activities are planned for the students both in school and outings.

Fieldtrips such as Apple picking, Olympic pool, Cabane à Sucre, Park Safari, Bowling/movies etc....

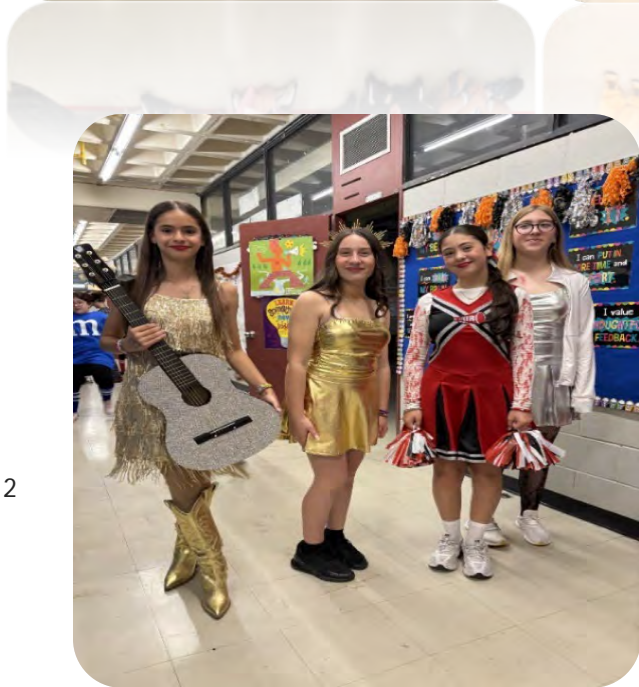


*I also want to thank our **School Staff**, and everyone involved in the Halloween activities. These festivities bring joy and foster a wonderful sense of community within our school!*

*A special thanks to our **Home and School Association** and all **Parent Volunteers** for their hard work, their time and creativity in organizing the Halloween Haunted house. We thank you for providing the treats, supplying all the students with pumpkins, and the visit from Mickey and Minnie.*

Your time and dedication make events like these possible, creating unforgettable experiences for our students. Thank you all for your ongoing support and collaboration in making our school a vibrant, safe, and engaging place for learning and growth.





HONORÉ MERCIER SCHOOL STAFF



HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

*We are thrilled to announce that **The Adventures of Eva the Louse** book and audio track officially launched on Wednesday, October 30, 2024, at the Palace Center in Laval! Students from 13 EMSB schools participated, and their performances were outstanding.*

*We extend our heartfelt gratitude to **Mrs. Veronica and Mrs. Melissa** for their tireless work with our students, practicing with them and ensuring they were prepared for this special event. Their dedication has truly made a difference.*

To our incredible students, we are all extremely proud of each and every one of you for your dedication, time, and devotion to this project.

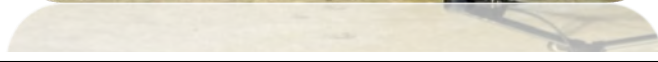
Finally, we also thank all the parents involved for their hard work and commitment, which contributed to the event's absolute success.

Wishing everyone a wonderful month ahead!

Respectfully, Mrs. Canale









OPEN HOUSE/ PORTES OUVERTES



**Le 27 novembre 2024
6:00-8:00 PM**



JOIN US AT OUR OPEN HOUSE TO FIND OUT WHY

HONORÉ MERCIER

IS THE RIGHT SCHOOL FOR YOU!

- Enriched bilingual program
- Music, Art and Phys. Ed. specialists
- Classes préscolaires (4 & 5 ans)
- Service de garde B.A.S.E.
- Early literacy exposure
- Activités parascolaires
- Science/STEAM fair
- Transition to High School Sessions



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Truly committed to teaching tomorrow's leaders, believing in tomorrow's leaders and building tomorrow's leaders.

Friday November 1st, 2024

Pedagogical Day-No School Daycare Open

Friday November 8th, 2024

Remembrance Day Assembly

Monday November 11th, 2024

Remembrance Day

Thursday November 14th, 2024

Home And School Meeting 7:00p.m. Virtual

Wednesday November 20th, 2024

Report cards will be available on Mosaik

Thursday November 21st, 2024

Parent Teacher Conferences

No School/ Daycare is Open

Friday November 22nd, 2024

Pedagogical Day-No School Daycare Open

Monday November 25th, 2024

Governing Board Meeting 7:00p.m.

Wednesday November 27th, 2024

Honoré Mercier Open House