

# 5B NEWS

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## Dates to Remember

Sept 11 - Meet the Teachers, 7 p.m.  
 Sept 15 - Picture Day (KA, Gr. 4-6)  
 Sept 16 - Picture Day (KB, Gr. 1-3)  
 Sept 19 - Crews Devotions  
 Sept 19 - Drive In Movie @ Covenant Church  
 Sept 24 - Optional Cross Country Race gr 4-6  
 Sept 24 - Early Dismissal @ 2:15  
 Sept 30 - No School, Ntl Day of Truth and Rec.  
 Oct 10 - Early Dismissal @ 2:15  
 Oct 13 - No School, Thanksgiving

## Gym Clothes

Grade 5 kids bring a change of clothes and deodorant for PE. Occasionally, we'll head over to the forest (green space connected to Essar Playground) with the other grade 5 class. If you want more info just send me an email! If you ordered gym clothes at the end of August through next week, the items will arrive in October. If you haven't ordered yet the store is open until Sept. 12.

**Until your child has the school gym uniform please send in a change of clothes for gym.** Thank you for your help!



## Run Club

Darolyn Walker, Rodney Knutson and I are starting running club for intermediate students during their lunch recess. Darolyn is a Jaelyn (gr. 6) and Grayson's (gr. 3) mom, an avid runner and a youth running coach in our community as well. This is an optional activity and will go for about 4 weeks. We'll meet Tuesdays and Thursdays. This is a great way to develop a love for running and improve fitness for other athletic endeavours. Watch for details about an optional 2K xc race in the next Link publication.



## Spelling

Spelling is starting up next week. Our weekly spelling tests will usually be on Fridays and the weekly lesson pages will help students learn spellings and meanings. Your children will be asked to fill out their spelling books and spelling tests in cursive handwriting. If that feels too hard, your child may choose to wait until October to use cursive handwriting for spelling tests. All lists for the school year are available on our classroom website under the Resources tab. Weekly lists are included in the newsletters.

## LA

*Holes* is our first novel. We are reading it as a class and will be making journal connections together as well. As we progress through the year we'll also be having mini book clubs where students have a choice of books within a given genre (mystery/adventure, overcoming adversity/ historical fiction).

## Math

Reviewing multiplication facts through 12x is a great way to support your child at home over the next three months. There are games on my classroom [website](#) that may be helpful.

## Friendship Skills

We have just begun a health unit on Friendship Skills with the school counsellor, Dr. Keijzer. Your children will have this class most Thursday through October.



## Bible Memory Verses

BMV due **Thursday, Sept. 11:**

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Galatians 6 verse 9



BMV due **Thursday, Sept. 18**

Previous verse + ... So when we can do good to everyone, let us do it. Let's try even harder to do good to the family of believers. Galatians 6 verses 9-10

## Communication- repeat announcement

The class website ([5b.calvinchristian.mb.ca](http://5b.calvinchristian.mb.ca)) is updated often. Here you will find our spelling words, Bible memory verses, and other helpful links. The weekly newsletter will be published every Friday and will be available online.

**Please don't hesitate to ask if you would prefer to receive a paper copy each week.**


Email is my preferred method of contact. You can reach me at [bakkere@calvinchristian.mb.ca](mailto:bakkere@calvinchristian.mb.ca). For sensitive matters let's talk in person, or on the phone.

## Spelling Words - Week 1

**Words:** rough, grudge, stunt, thumb, once, another, does, trouble, cousin, began, oxygen, copy, very, until, umpire, sudden, which, city

**Bonus Words:** hundred, thousand, million, mindset, intelligent, positive, integrity

**\*I mark the list out of 20, so there is built-in extra credit with 25 words.**

Mon, Sept. 8	Tue, Sept. 9	Wed, Sept. 10	Thur, Sept. 11	Fri, Sept. 12
DAY 5 Morning Run PE French	DAY 6 Singing Devotions PE Group PE Lots of PE on day 6!	DAY 1 French ICT	DAY 2 <b>BMV due</b> Friendship Skills PE Music Choir	DAY 3 <b>Spelling Test</b> Library Check-out French
Mon, Sept. 15	Tues, Sept. 16	Wed, Sept. 17	Thurs, Sept. 18	Fri, Sept. 19
DAY 4 Art Picture Day! 	DAY 5 Morning Run PE French	DAY 6 Singing Devotions PE Group PE	DAY 1 <b>BMV due</b> <b>Field Trip!</b> Friendship Skills French ICT	DAY 2 <b>Spelling Test</b> Crew Devotions PE Music Choir