



**Grande Prairie
Public School
Division**
Every Student Succeeds

Volume 1 - May 31, 2023

Curriculum Corner



Welcome to our Curriculum Corner!

This month's update is focused on Grande Prairie's fun learning opportunities that you can connect with throughout the summer.

City of Grande Prairie

The various camps throughout the city aim to keep your child active and challenged throughout the summer through multiple sports, engineering challenges, playground visits, crafts, outdoor play adventures, cooking, the splash park, museum visits, bike skills, trail systems and interactive workshops. Children aged 5 - 15 can activate their interests, explore curiosity, socialize, and meet new friends. See GPCityCamps: <https://cityofgp.com/parks-recreation/online-booking-portal>

Northwestern Polytechnic

Musical Theatre Camp for ages 7-14: Little performers can explore a fun-filled week of singing, acting and movement.
Drama Camp for ages 7-9: A fun-filled week of improv, movement, games and a one-act performance.

Choir Camp for ages 10-14: Raise your voice to sing all styles of music, which will showcase the many talents through a concert at the end of the week.

https://www.nwpolytech.ca/community/summer_camps.html

Camp Tamarack

Discover your potential and be the best person you can be through planned programs with experienced leaders who offer many opportunities for campers to try something new or improve their pre-existing skills.

<https://camptamarack.ca/summer-camp/programs/>



GPPSD2357



www.gppsd.ab.ca

[Dunes Golf & Winter Club](https://allevents.in/grande%20prairie/2023-summer-camp-1-july-ages-8-10-years/200024547815855) - Junior Golf for ages 8-10: 3 days of instruction with a PGA of Alberta Professional.
<https://allevents.in/grande%20prairie/2023-summer-camp-1-july-ages-8-10-years/200024547815855>

[Laser Tag](https://www.lasertagcentral.ca/summer-camps) for ages 5-14: Daily laser tag, crafts, outdoor games and activities with a Friday afternoon movie.
<https://www.lasertagcentral.ca/summer-camps>

[Art Gallery of Grande Prairie](https://aggp.ca/blog/summer-art-camp-3/) - Summer Camp for ages 6-12: Children will enjoy interactive tours of current exhibitions and personally explore a variety of exciting mediums, including sculpture, painting, mixed media and more.
<https://aggp.ca/blog/summer-art-camp-3/>

[Philip J Currie Dinosaur Museum](https://dinomuseum.ca/summer-camps) - Among prehistoric rocks & boreal forest of Pipestone Creek, they are discovering through exploration & games near one of the world's most famous dinosaur bonebeds, learning & fun through activities specific to their age group.
<https://dinomuseum.ca/summer-camps>



What This Means for Your Child

Activating students' curiosity about the world fosters critical thinking. It inspires children to imagine future career paths in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. By working together, we build a school community that equips all children to explore the world around them and develop the skills needed to become innovators, problem solvers, environmental stewards, lifelong learners and leaders.

Here are some general tips that align with the curriculum for you to continue supporting your child's interests and curiosity:

- Explore cooking
- Try a new sport
- Explore the arts
- Engage with history
- Study exciting new mediums in art
- Read
- Be active

If you want to learn more about Curriculum Content and Implementation plans see:
<https://www.alberta.ca/curriculum.aspx>

