



Oxford SAC Meeting
Sept 29th @ 7:00pm
Via Zoom

Agenda for the Meeting:

Welcome & Check In & Call to Order

How are you? What's on your mind as you come to this meeting?

Student Success Plan

Literacy Goal: To improve student achievement in reading comprehension with a focus on critical response to text

Math Goal: To improve student achievement in Mathematical problem solving

Well-Being Goal: *waiting on final approval*

School Life – Updates on Back to School Plan

- The start of a new year – SAC Agreement & Bylaws – *Waiting on if we are updating again. Package went to admin supervisor last week. Waiting on next steps.*
- What's happening at Oxford?
 - Class cohorts/bubbles – *overall has been positive, the first few days were bumpy but it leveled out. We continue to reinforce in a supportive manner the “New rules”. Elementary classes doing terrific, Jr high classes in the building are doing great. Some community concerns of lunch time mixing with other students.*
 - Mask wearing – *Was challenging at first but improving everyday. Jr high students need more reminders primarily to bring masks with them each day. Our supplies of extras is depleting quickly and we are thinking of creative ways to ensure we don't face issues. When our supplies run out we may have to purchase more, or have our sewing grade 7 class help in making a few extras. We also have staff who are handy and have made some back up for students. 😊*
 - The new normal at Oxford – *all is working out well. We have a “rainy day start” – students come into the building at 8:40am to their class. They are given a 30 min recess to recover the outside time. Staggered recess happens from 10-12 and is working well. The biggest challenge is getting Jr high students out for mask/fresh air breaks. We are using North street side of the building for break space. It's working overall.*
 - School photos – *Adams Photography (options - yay or nay) – Yes overall agreed to keep the tradition going (Perhaps outside photos)*
 - Outside learning – *PE classes to participate at HRM fields close by*
 - Garden space – *support idea of moving the garden to create an outdoor and garden into the oxford school yard. (Kim and Jan to discuss Kim supporting)*

SAC Spending

- SAC grant was renewed for the coming year. \$5000 + \$1 per student (477 Students PP-9) – *Will wait to see if needs evolve over the next few weeks.*

Round Table – Your Input

- *No new topics came up*
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Did You Know?

- The EECD has a website for SACs, <http://www.ednet.ns.ca/SAC>
- All communications to SAC Chairs and documents to support SACs can be found at www.hrce.ca - look for the purple button on the left hand side of the main page.

Check Out

One thing you hope to talk about at the next meeting | An item or discussion that was of particular interest at the meeting | One thing you learned or are thinking about as you leave the meeting | action plan

Action plan – Review minutes of this meeting and share possible ideas to discuss
Next Meeting Oct 27th (Tuesday at 7pm via Zoom)