



**JUNIOR
KINDERGARTEN
PROGRAM
2017/18**

Turtle River School Division
Box 309—808 Burrows Ave.
McCreary MB
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What: French Junior Kindergarten Program

Where: École Laurier

Who: Children entering Kindergarten in September 2018

When: Monday/Wednesday/Friday

Cost: Free

Parents can register their child at the Turtle River School Division Office between March and August or at École Laurier beginning September 4, 2017.

Turtle River School Division

Box 309, 808 Burrows Ave.

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M-F 8:00 am to 3:30 pm

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École Laurier

CP 100, 159 Fosberry St.

Laurier MB R0J 1A0

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Junior Kindergarten is a program in Turtle River School Division that introduces our future kindergarten students to the daily routine of school. It is scheduled for three (3) full days per week (Monday, Wednesday, Friday). The first day of Junior Kindergarten will be **Wednesday, September 6, 2017.**

Activities will include:

- Circle and story time
- Introduction to academic fundamentals (letters, shapes, numbers)
- Exposure to the French language and culture
- Social interaction amongst peers and adults
- Free play and movement (gym or playground)
- Fine motor activities (arts, crafts, drawing, puzzles)

Expected Outcomes:

- Introduce parents and child to school environment
- Orientation to classroom routines and expected behaviours
- Improve social skills
- Relieve possible anxieties for starting school





What: English Junior Kindergarten Program

Where: Glenella

Who: Children entering Kindergarten in September 2018

When: Monday/Wednesday/Friday

Parents can register their child at the Turtle River School Division Office between March and August or at Glenella School beginning September 4, 2017.

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Glenella School

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Parents or caregivers are welcome to attend with their child, if this suits the best needs of their child and the program. If a child needs assistance of any sort, the parents are responsible for working with the school to help meet the needs of their child.

Due to provincial regulations, buses cannot be used to transport students to and from school. Parents will be responsible for arranging transportation.

Parents must provide a healthy lunch and snack for each school day.

Research tells us that high quality early childhood education can positively affect the long term academic success, as well as the long-term health and well-being of our children. Student success begins in the early years (0-5), which is a critical time for children's essential growth and development, and is the foundation for lifelong learning.



This program is sponsored by Turtle River School Division.