



# TOWN CENTRE PRIVATE SCHOOLS®



IB World School

## Dates to Remember

### February 10

Last day of After School Courses Term 1

### February 13

After School Courses Term 2 begins

### February 14

Valentine's Day

### February 20

Family Day - School closed

### February 27-March 3

Montessori Education Week

## AMARILLO CAMPUS INFORMATION BULLETIN February 2023

# Re-Registration Week - Thank you!

We would like to thank all of our parents who registered early, reserving a place for the 2023-2024 school year and ensuring that their child will be placed with their classmates for the upcoming school year. The 4% full payment discount lasts until April 3rd. For monthly payments, \$100 off the June prepaid fees is available until April 3rd.

**\$500 Off Grade 1 Tuition:** For all students entering grade 1, we are offering one time \$500 discount on their tuition. This discount is only for students entering grade 1. This discount is available if they register before April 3rd and with all methods of payment.

**Toddler, Casa NT and Casa Programs:** These programs are now part of the Canada-Wide Early Learning And Child Care System (CWELCC), parents can now get 52.75% of their tuition paid by the government. Parents only have to pay the balance, as listed on the fee schedule. Spaces are limited please re-register as soon as possible.

If you have not already re-registered, please do so soon in order to avoid disappointment. If you have any questions about re-registration, please stop by the Office.

## After School Courses at Amarillo Campus

Parents are reminded that the Fall Session (Term 1) of the After School Courses ends on Friday, February 10th and the Winter Session (Term 2) begins on Monday, February 13th.

If you had registered your child for the First Term and would like to continue for Term 2, re-registration is necessary for your child to continue in their program(s). Participating in the After School Courses is a wonderful way to enrich the school experience for each student.

If you have questions about any program, please contact the Office.



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## Valentine's Day

Tuesday, February 14th is Valentine's Day. All pre-school and grade 1 students are encouraged to wear party clothes or red, pink or white clothing.

This will be a party day for our students. Food and snack contribution sheets will be posted outside the class rooms. Please sign up if you wish to contribute. Parents are asked to include an ingredient list for all food items brought to school. We strongly recommend store or restaurant bought foods.

**Toddler, Casa NT and Casa Classes:** In compliance with the Child Care Early Years Act, parents of our Toddler, Casa NT and Casa students are welcome to contribute only food prepared from licensed restaurants or grocery stores. An ingredient list must accompany any contribution. If you have any questions please speak to one of the Vice-Principals.



## Family Day Holiday

We would like to remind our families that all Campuses of Town Centre Private Schools will be closed for the provincial "Family Day" holiday on Monday, February 20th. Classes will resume at their regular hours on Tuesday, February 21st. We hope you and your family have a safe and relaxing Family Day.



## Montessori Education Week

Each year schools around the globe celebrate the life and work of Dr. Maria Montessori during International Montessori Week. This year we celebrate from February 27th to March 3rd. Developed over 100 years ago by Dr. Maria Montessori, a three-time nominee for the Nobel Peace Prize, this method is grounded in the stages of human development, allowing students to develop self-discipline, respect for themselves, others and the world around them.

Parents can also look forward to seeing some Montessori worksheets and craft being brought home during the Montessori Education Week. Our bulletin boards in the school will showcase the subject areas in a Montessori classroom: Practical Life, Sensorial, Language, Mathematics and Culture.



## *International Baccalaureate Learner Profile*

*This IB Learner Profile Attribute for February:*

### **CARING**

*“Students show empathy, compassion and respect towards the needs and feelings of others.*

*They have a personal commitment to service, and act to make a positive difference to the lives of others and to the environment.”*



## Income Tax Receipts 2022

At the end of February all parents and guardians will automatically receive a receipt for tuition fees paid for 2022. All tax receipts will be distributed to the students to take home. Parents and guardians do not have to request the receipts. Please note that receipts will not be available prior to the end of February.

## Readers' Choice Awards - Vote Today!

Each winter the Markham Economist and Sun holds their annual Readers' Choice Awards which recognizes the community importance of local businesses. Thank you to everyone for helping to nominate Town Centre Private Schools for the Readers' Choice Awards 2022. With your participation, TCPS has advanced to the voting round in all eligible categories!

Best Private School  
Best Montessori School  
Best Daycare/Child Care  
Best Nursery School  
Best Summer Camp

Please take the opportunity to vote for Town Centre Private Schools by clicking on the Vote TCPS link below.

Only one entry is accepted per IP address so please vote. You will need to register first but it only takes a few minutes. Please note that votes will be accepted until February 6, 2023.

[Vote TCPS](#) 

## New Gym Uniform

Our gym uniform has been redesigned for a more stylish look and a comfortable fit! The t-shirt and shorts now have a more athletic appearance and the fabric is moisture wicking to allow for more active play. The hoodie and sweatpants are optional. The new gym uniform will be grandfathered in for 1 year which will allow all students to wear their current gym uniform or, the new uniform until June 2024. All students will be expected to wear the new gym uniform by September 2024. Please see the attached flyer for a preview and we hope to have samples on display soon.



To blow away the winter blues, TCPS had a Winter Festival for our students on January 25th and 26th. The Winter Festival for our Pre-School students was run by Jay Stenzler from Sports With Jay. Our Grade 1 students went to the Main Campus for Le Carnaval d'hiver. The students had a wonderful time playing games with their fellow students. They enjoyed participating in many fun-filled activities. It certainly was an entertaining and enjoyable day for both students and staff! Here are some fun moments from the Winter Festival.





# NEW GYMWEAR

## COMING SEPTEMBER 2023



**PULLOVER HOODIE**  
49.95 - 54.95



**SLIM SWEATPANT**  
45.95 - 56.95



**DRAWSTRING BAG**  
19.95



**APTUS ESSENTIALS GYM SHIRT**  
**APTUS ESSENTIALS GYM SHORT**  
26.95 - 29.95

