

St Jude Community Learning Centre



St Jude Community Learning Centre Report 2019-2020

This report represents a year of hard work, collaboration as well as fruitful partnerships between St Jude School and its greater community.

All articles included are copied from various Facebook postings throughout the school year and packaged into both an iBook as well as a PDF for distribution.

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October 2019



Fred L'imprudent



St Jude would like to thank the Service de police de l'agglomération de Longueuil for once again delivering a wonderful presentation on safety called Fred L'imprudent to our k-1 students.



Socktober



St Jude will be participating in “Socktober” which is an annual sock drive with the goal of keeping Montreal’s homeless youth warm. We are asking parents and students who wish to participate to donate a pair or more of brand new adult socks. The socks will then be given to “Dans la Rue” a Montreal organization that helps homeless youth by offering clothing, shelter, food and support services.

Socktober will be running throughout the entire month of October and our final day we will be accepting donations is Thursday October 31st

DANS LA RUE

Socktober was a complete success in 2019 with 1032 pairs donated by parents, community members and even other schools such as Good Shepherd School.

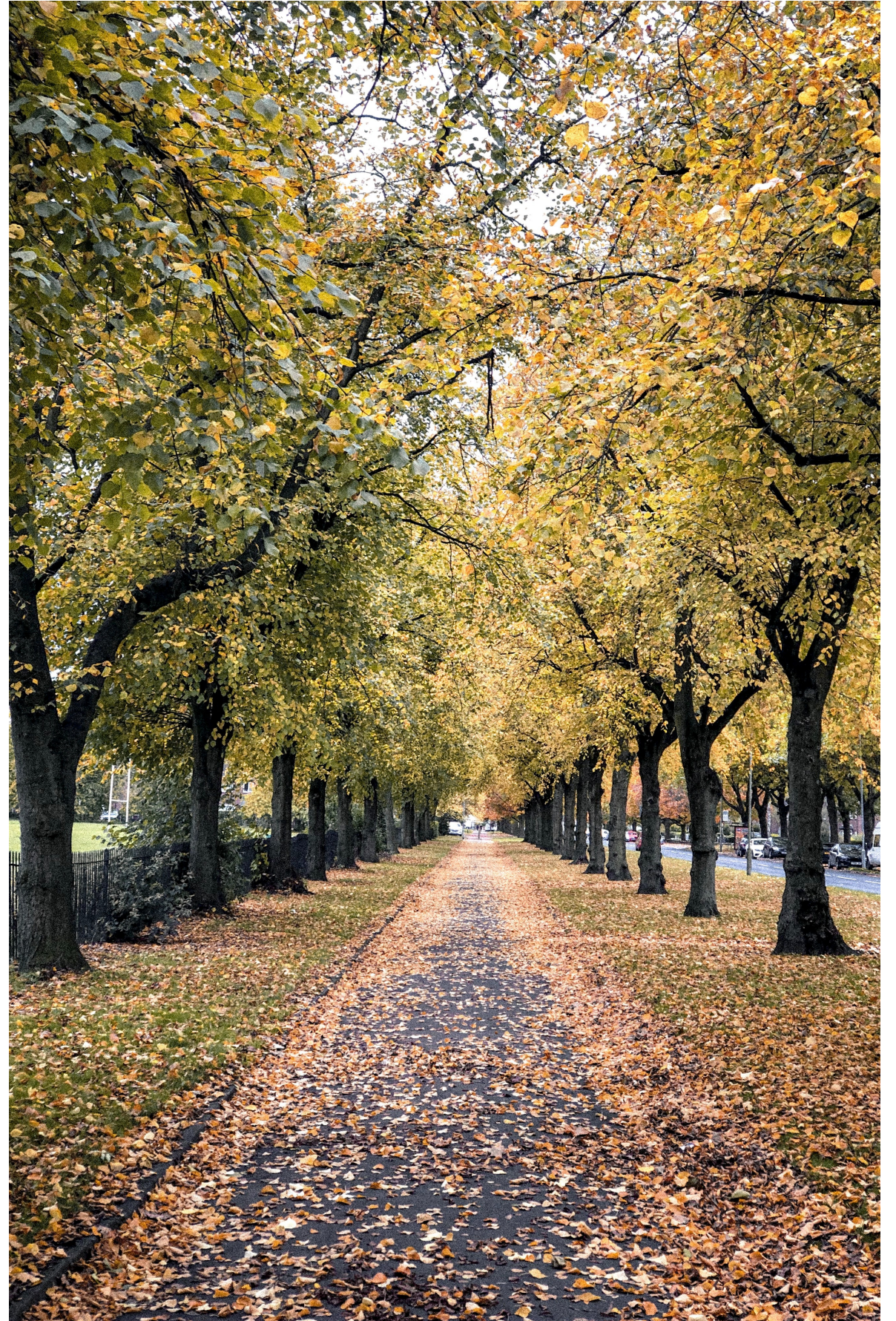
Sports Aux Puces Puces

The St Jude School community would like to thank Sports Aux Puces Longueuil for their generous donation of new indoor soccer shoes for use in our gym.



The CLC along with our physical education department communicated with various sports related businesses in the South Shore about our schools need for equipment which not all students had access to. Sports aux Puces heeded our call and graciously donated boxes of brand new soccer shoes.

November 2019





Our Remembrance Day ceremony at St Jude was held on November the 4th. The ceremony focused on thinking about those who have given their lives for us, and those who continue to serve for our freedom. Our veteran guest speakers took questions from our students and emphasized the ideals of kindness and empathy.



Fire Safety



The topic of fire safety was presented to St Jude's youngest students on the 6th of November. After the informative presentations the students were treated to an up close tour of a firetruck and the various tools firefighters have at their disposal.



December 2019



Soccer Skills Program



St Jude School started its very own parent and child soccer skills program this week. Not only having health benefits it also increases quality time for the families involved. This fantastic activity could not have happened without our soccer superstar teacher Rachel Giulione.

Christmas Cards - Foyer Grove

Christmas cards were hand delivered by some of our students yesterday to the seniors at Residence Foyer Grove.



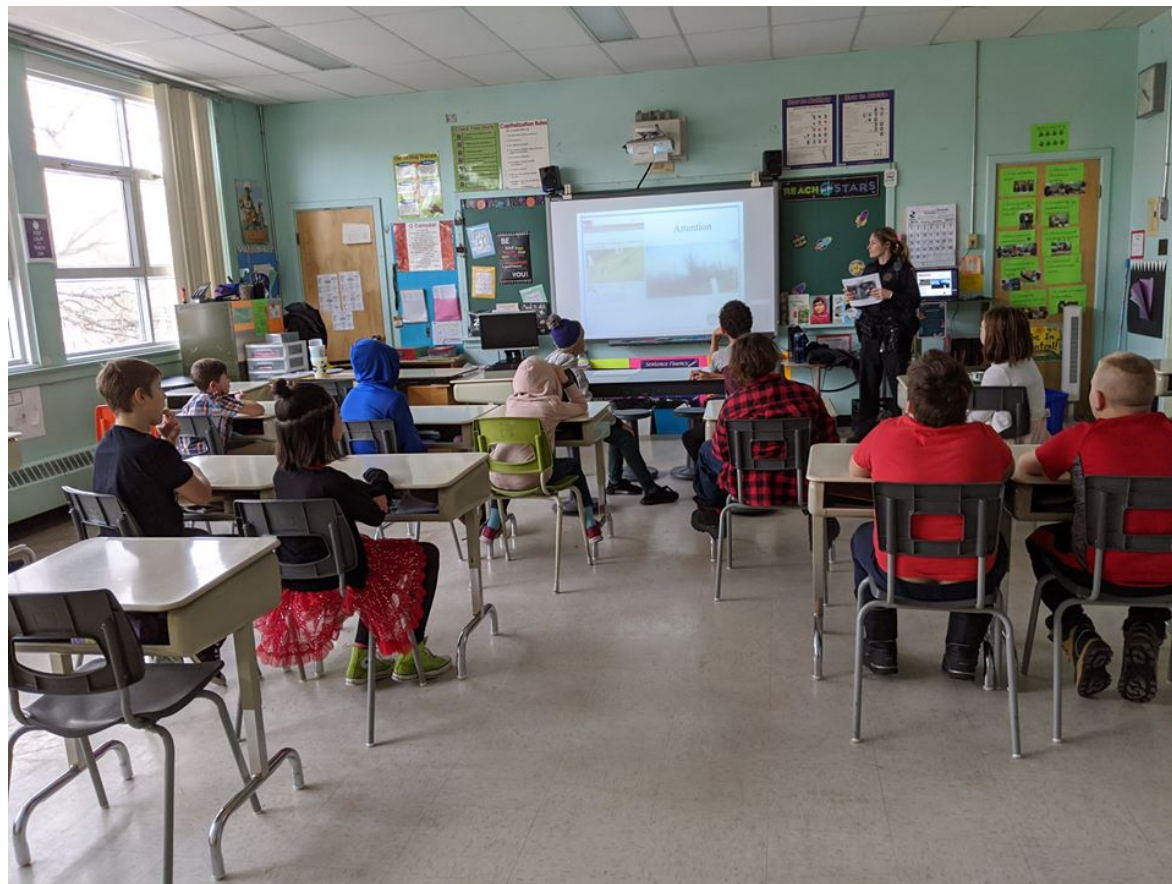
Christmas cards - St Mary's Parish



Grade 6 students delivered Christmas cards to our neighbours at St. Mary's Parish today. The cards were created by our younger students and the messages of holiday cheer were written by Ms. Jessika's class.



Online Safety - Service de police de l'agglomération de Longueuil



On Friday the 13th of December, St Jude's gr 5 students received a presentation about online safety from the the Service de police de l'agglomération de Longueuil. A big thank you goes out to our community officer agente Katy Fortin for working with our students on such an important topic.

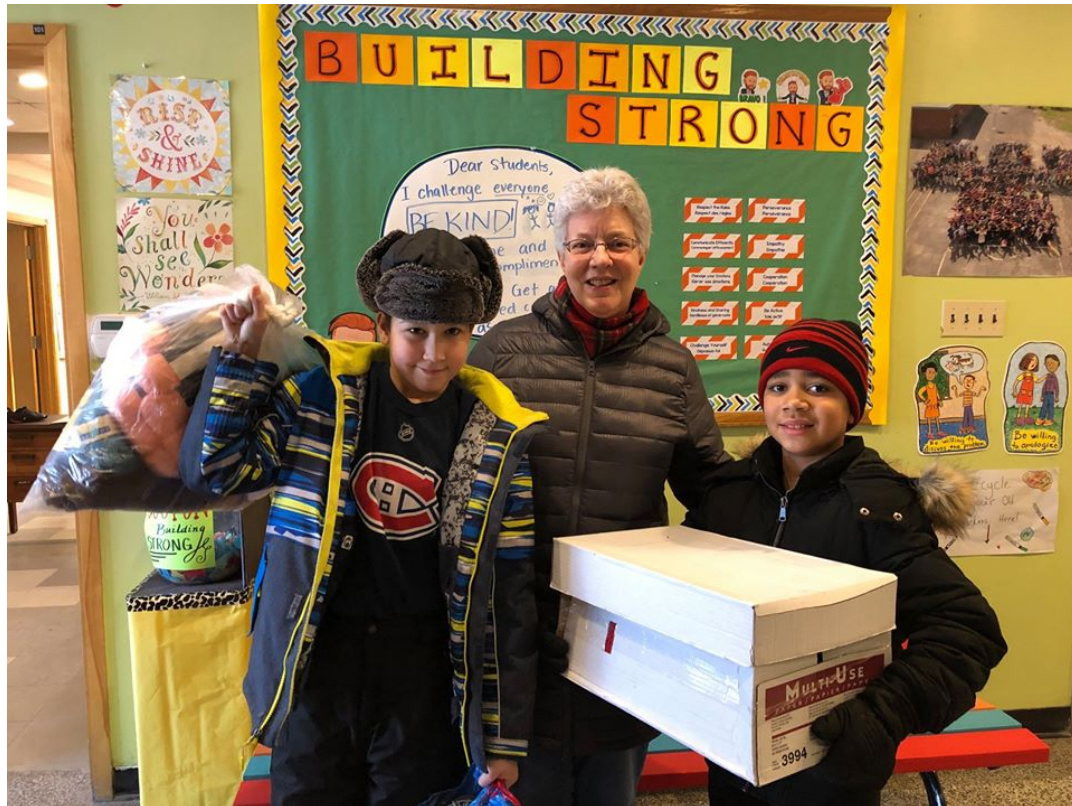


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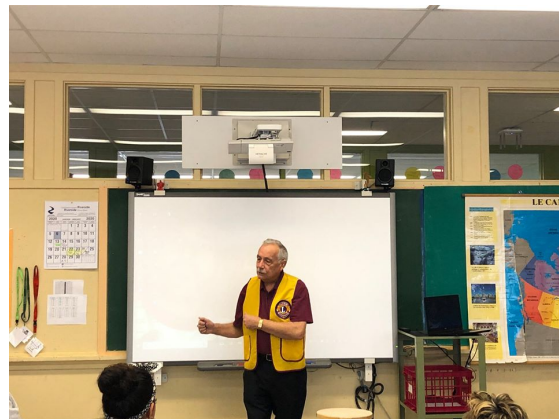
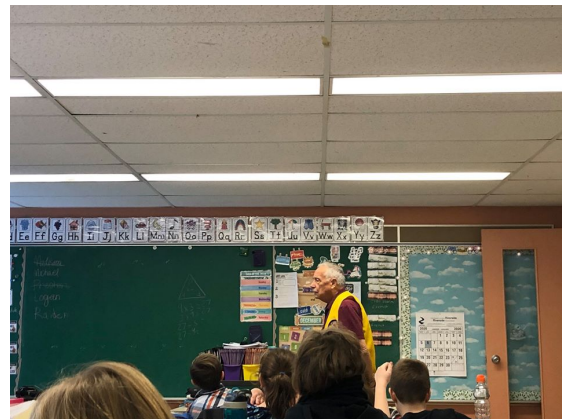
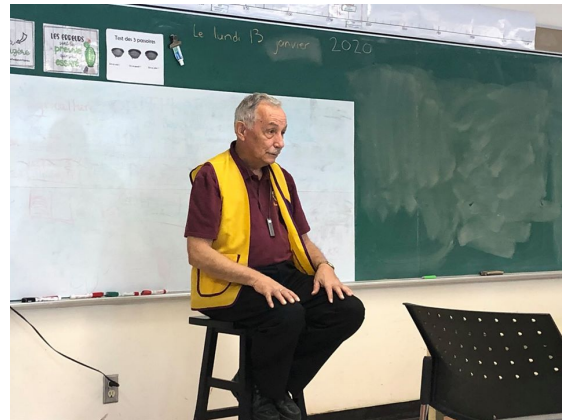
Knitting Donations - St Pauls Church

In our schools mission to give back to our local community St Jude gave bag fulls of yarn and knitting needles to the knitters at St Paul's Church. These items will be used to make knitted items for local school children, women and homeless shelters.



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Greenfield Park Lions Club



Thank you Mr Bernie Constantini for coming to St Jude to introduce the Lions Club of Greenfield Park. Your presentation on giving back and taking care of ones community was appreciated by all of the classes involved.



During the COVID-19 Pandemic the Lions Club were instrumental in delivering food and aid to residents of Greenfield Park.

McGill Let's Talk Science pt 2



On the 28th of January, students at St Jude were given the chance to participate in an activity from McGill Let's talk Science based on the stars and constellations. We would like to thank both animators for coming and giving our students a small glimpse into the beauty of outer space.

let's talk 
science
outreach

February 2020



Growth Mindset - Parent Workshop

On the evening of February the 5th St Jude welcomed Dani Ozer, certified professional coach who delivered a powerful workshop on Growth Mindset to RSB parents. As part of St Jude's educational project it further clarified how parents can encourage their children's learning and educational excellence.



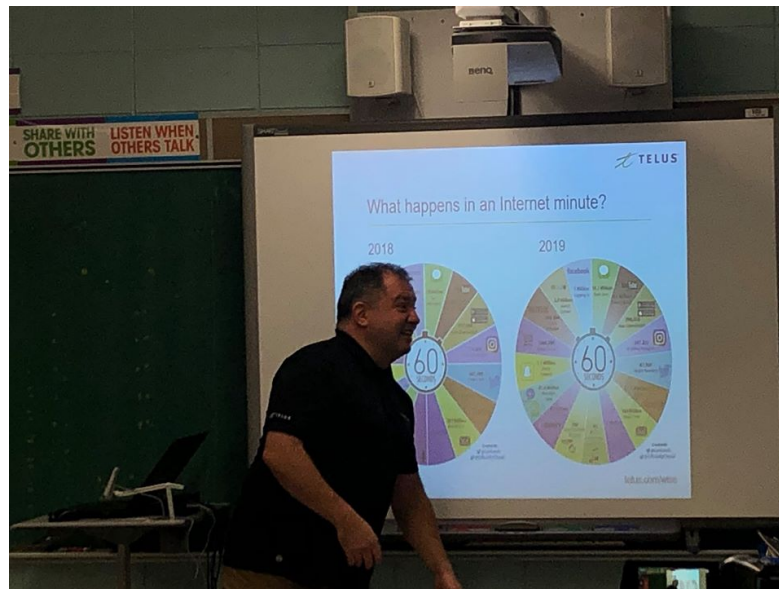
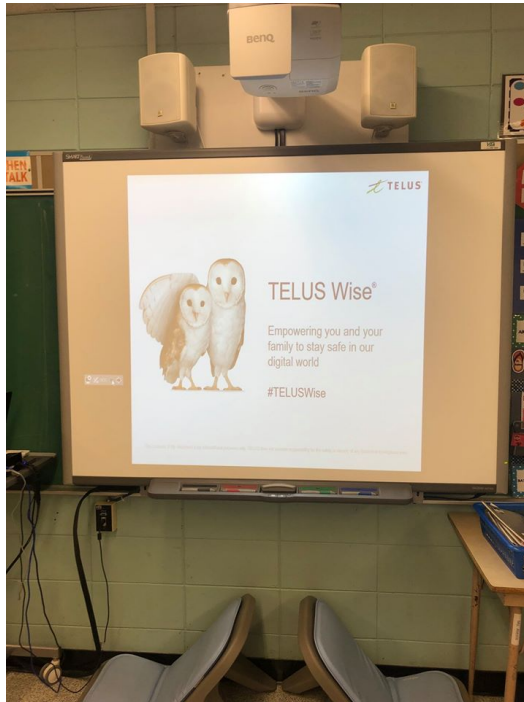
Dani Ozer

Authors Visit



Authors Andrew Katz and Juliana Léveillé-Trudel, gave a book reading and worked with children in some of St Jude's Grade 3/4 classes. Their story, written in both English (How to Catch a Bear Who Loves to Read) and French (Comment Attraper un Ours Qui Aime Lire) was enjoyed by all students and gave them the inspiration to write their own classroom stories.

Telus Wise - Parent Workshop



Thank you to Mr. Raphael Jauvin Manager, Privacy Management & Cybersecurity Advisor from Telus for your wonderful workshop for parents on Cyber Safety given at Good Shepherd Elementary School. The workshop held on the 12th of February gave information on what parents can do to keep their children safe online.

TELUS Wise
Empowering Canadians to
stay safe in a digital world.



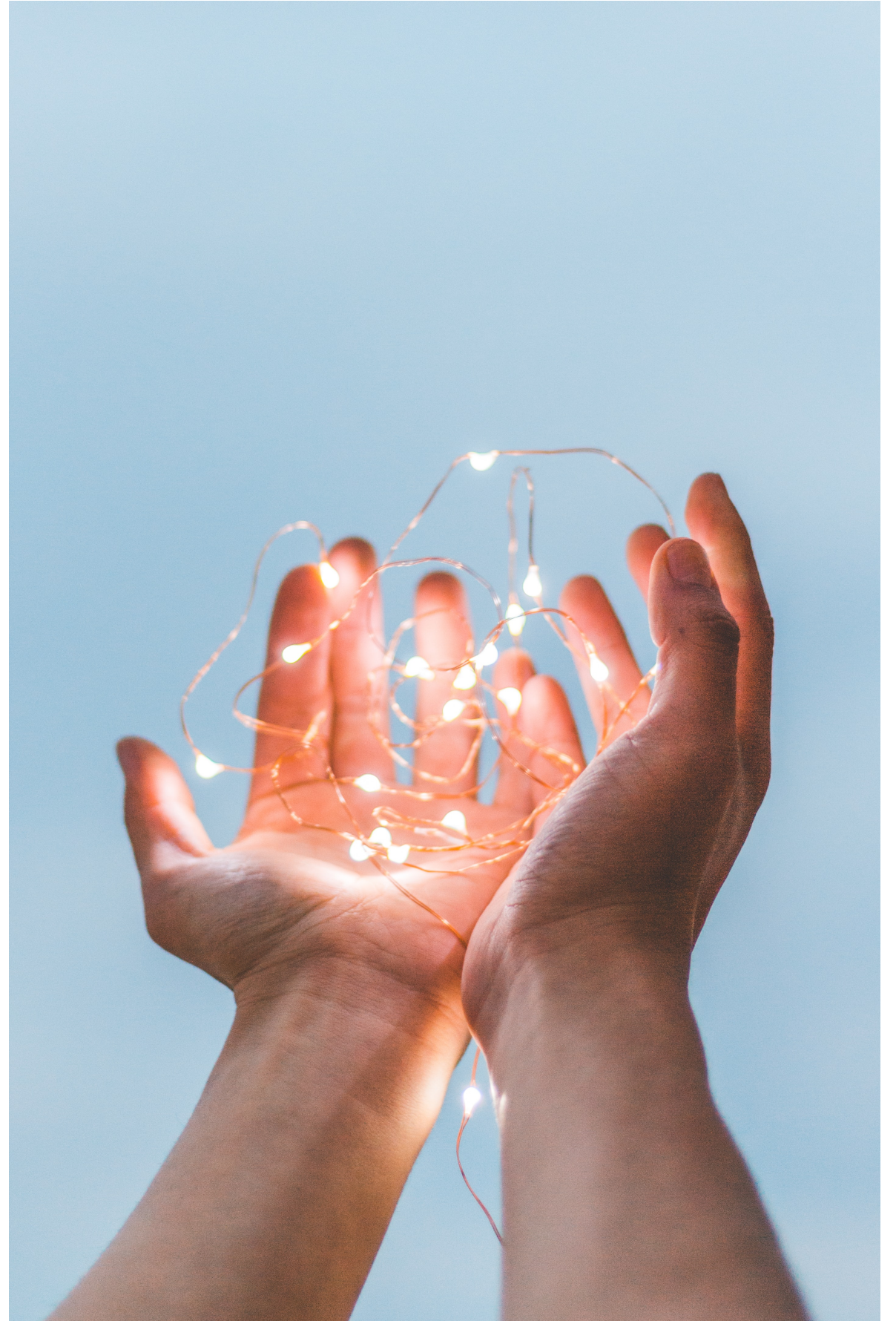
Ventures +

St Jude School would like to welcome back former student Melissa Coward for an internship at our school. Melissa is part of the Ventures + program at ACCESS and we are thrilled to have her back at our school.



Melissa was a wonderful addition to the school team who would animate games and activities with our 4 year old program. We are hoping to have her back as she will forever be a part of our St Jude family.

Community Contributions



ELAN

(English Language Arts Network)

ArtistsInspire Grant

\$1500/school year up to 4 years

Through its Action Plan for Official Languages 2018-2023: Investing in Our Future, the Government of Canada announced the creation of a new Micro-Grant program to support and strengthen the cultural, artistic and heritage expressions of official-language minority communities (OLMCs). In consultation with arts and culture organizations, the Department of Canadian Heritage developed ententes with ELAN and the FCCF (la Fédération culturelle canadienne-française) to manage the program for the English minority language communities in Quebec and the French minority language communities in the rest of Canada.



MNA - Nicole Ménard

Programme Soutien à l'action bénévole

\$250 for our community halloween night

Le programme Soutien à l'action bénévole aide financièrement les organismes qui s'efforcent de combler les besoins de leur communauté dans les secteurs du loisir, du sport ou de l'action communautaire.

Le projet soumis peut concerner :

- l'organisation d'une activité;

- l'achat d'équipement léger;

- le soutien aux projets d'aide à la communauté.

Dans le cadre de ce programme, chacun des députés de l'Assemblée nationale se voit accorder un budget pouvant servir à financer ce type de projets dans sa circonscription.

Québec 

Greenfield Park Lions Club

\$200 - donation for Breakfast Club

\$500 - donation of school supplies/snacks/books/reading cushions to the school

Greenfield park Lions Club of Greenfield park Qc., is part of the Lions Clubs International. A service Club dealing with the local communities to help the community with their needs.



Partnership Table

Regional Health and Social Services Partnership Table
Addressing the delivery and organization of English
language services in the Montérégie



List of Table Members

Not including RSB schools and CLC Centres

ARC - Assistance and Referral Centre

Montréal West Community Network

AMI Quebec -South Shore

Centre soutien entr'-Aidants

Catholic English-speaking churches

Our Harbour

Pavillon Marguerite de Champlain

Maison internationale de la rive-sud

Seniors Respite Monteregion

Centre Sino-Québec de la Rive-Sud

CAAP Monteregion

Preville Fine Art Center

CISSS Montérégie West

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Maison de la famille de Brossard

South Shore Reading Council

Monteregion East Partnership for English-Speaking Community

Centre Jeunesse Montérégie

Premiers pas Champlain

Chateauguay Valley Literary Council

Centre d'Action Bénévoles de Boucherville

St Barnabas Church

Parent Workshop



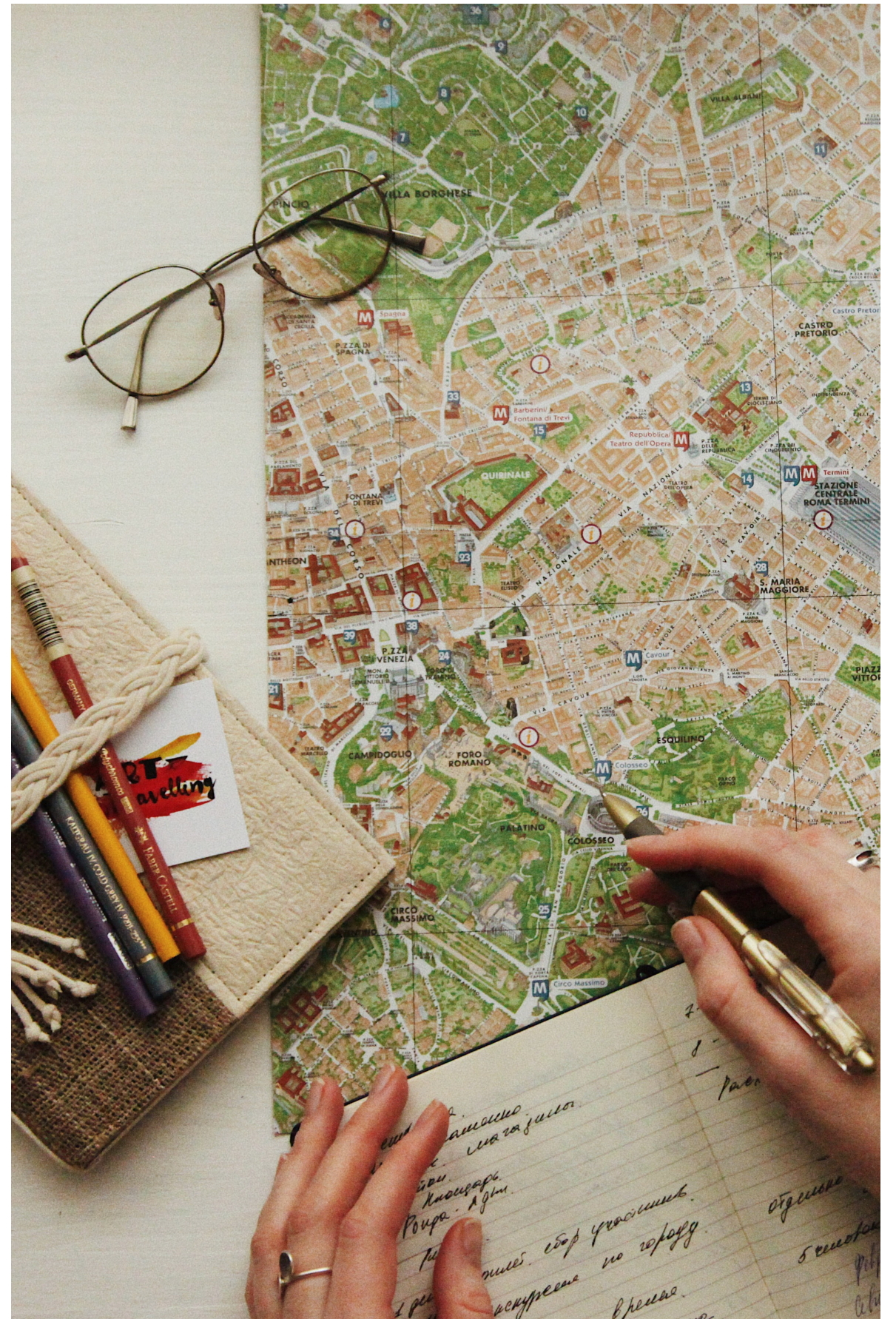
Growing a Growth Mindset with Dani Oxer

Understanding intelligence and abilities as qualities we can develop has powerful ramifications on student motivation and learning, and school success. When teachers and parents focus on improvement rather than on whether a child is smart, children learn a lot more. Using the research of Dr. Carol Dweck, strategies to develop a “growth mindset” in children will be explored.

Press the play button and give the presentation a moment to load



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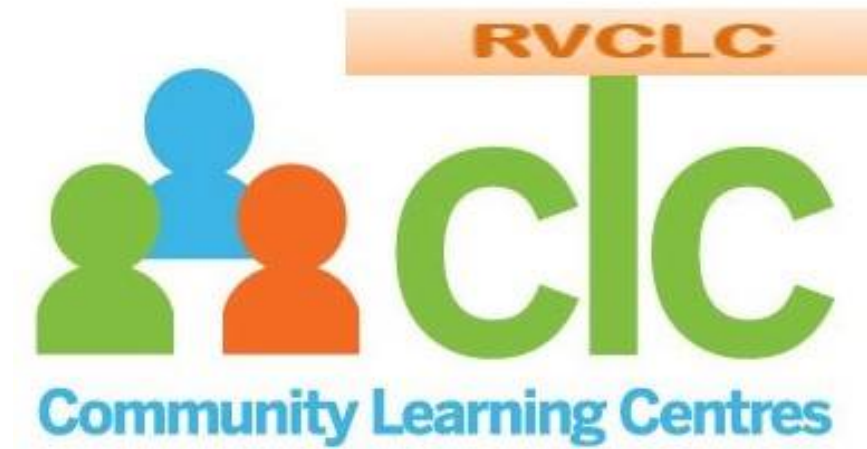
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