MEET THE TEACHER



CONTACT INFO

Phone:

(780) 986 - 7888

Email:

nicole.milner@blackgold.ca

Click here for Welcome Back

Video

EDUCATION

I completed my Bachelor's of Arts Degree at the University of Alberta. I have also completed an after degree in Elementary Education. I have many things to share with my students and I can't wait to start learning together!

Welcome to Grade 1/2!

Dear Families,

I'm so excited to welcome you and your child to a brand new school year! Below are some important details to help us get started smoothly.

First Day of School

- Our first day is Wednesday, August 27th.
- School begins at 8:05 a.m.
- All Grade 1 and 2 students will enter and exit through the west doors (by the blue and yellow playground). I will be waiting there on the first day to greet the students.
- Students are encouraged to enter independently, as the doors get very busy. If you arrive late, please ring the bell at the front entrance, as doors are locked during the school day.

Going Home

I'd really appreciate it if you could email me to let me know how your child will be going home on the first day, as well as their regular end-of-day routine for the year.

Student Information Form

Shortly, I will be sending out a **Google Form** for you to fill in. This will include:

- Allergies
- Preferred email address (email will be my main way of communicating with you)

Please complete the form as soon as possible. Note: this will be **digital only**—no paper copies will be sent home.

Allergies

I have a **severe tree nut allergy** (almonds, cashews, Brazil nuts, etc.), so please **do not send any food with tree nuts** (this includes Nutella).

If no peanut allergies are present in the class, students may bring peanut products (peanuts are legumes, not tree nuts). As soon as the all of the forms are completed, I'll be able to let the families know if peanut products can brought to our classroom.

Supplies

- Please send all labeled supplies with your child on the first day.
- To store extras, please send a sturdy reusable bag (labeled) that can be kept in your child's locker.

Shoes & Extra Clothes

- Please practice shoe tying at home. If your child can't tie laces independently, send shoes they can fasten on their own.
- Please also send an extra set of clothes (shirt, pants, socks, underwear) in a labeled Ziploc bag to be kept in the locker.

Agendas

- Agendas will be handed out in the first week of school.
- Please check and initial your child's agenda daily. This helps me know you've read it.
- Students earn **Dojo Points** for having their agenda signed.
 At 20, 40, 60, 80, and 100 points, they earn a reward!
- You may also use the agenda for short notes to me. I check them every morning.

Important Dates

- August 27 First Day of School
- **September 1** Labour Day (No School)
- September 18 Meet the Teacher / Awards Night (Time TBA)
- September 19 Professional Development Day (No School)
- September 30 National Day of Truth and Reconciliation (No School)

I'm really looking forward to a wonderful year together. Thank you so much for your support in helping us start off smoothly!