

Educational Quality Continued...

Complementary activities:

- Book Buddies
- Westminster Choir
- After school skating
- Basketball & Running Clubs
- Boys Clubs
- Girls Clubs
- Lego & Book Clubs
- Intramurals
- Library Helpers
- PACHATT

Other school-wide supports to enhance student learning include:

- Rotary Wednesdays
- Reading Ladies
- School-wide performances such as Calling All Superheros
- Collaboration with Lethbridge Christian School for events



Opportunities for Parent Involvement

- Coaching, refereeing in basketball
- Help with field trips and with extracurricular activities
- Help with visiting experts in the class with hands-on activities (Scientists – in – the – School)
- Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews in the fall and Celebration of Learning in the spring
- Westminster Elementary School Council – the voice of parents within the Westminster Learning Community
- Parents are invited and actively involved in the planning, organizing and implementing of school wide initiatives such as family nights
- Fundraising efforts
- Providing a healthy snack for the year end field trip



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At Westminster School, “Students Come First!”

Westminster is an Inclusive School where students, staff, and parents/guardians work collaboratively to ensure that all learner’s needs are being met.

Supports and Services include:

- Daily Breakfast Program
- Lunches available daily
- Early Education Program
- Full Day Kindergarten

CARE Team:

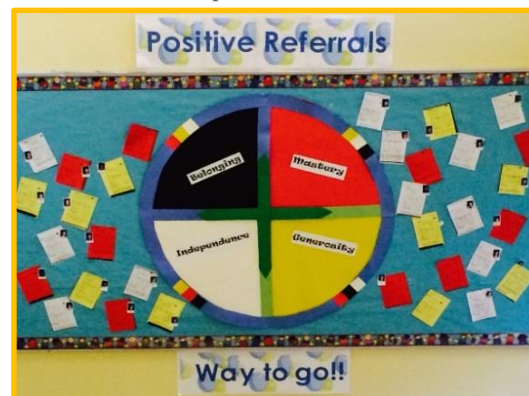
- Teacher Counsellor
- First Nations, Metis and Inuit Liaison
- Making Connections
- School Resource Officers from the Lethbridge Regional Police Service
- Alberta Health Services Nurse Services
- Children’s Allied Health Services
- School Psychologist

Staff Development:

- Collaborative Time for Teachers
- On-going Professional Learning opportunities for staff

Building Citizenship

- Circle of Courage School
- Introducing the Leader in Me
- Westminster House Families
- Positive Referral Slips
- Roots of Empathy Program
- Working with Reading Ladies through volunteer program
- Partnership with residents from St. Therese Villa
- City of Lethbridge, Chamber of Commerce, Adopt a Citizen of Tomorrow award recognition
- Participating in charities such as Kids’ Art for a Cause
- Modeling and creating a safe environment of positive digital citizenship



Preparation for the World of Work

In addition to our core curriculum Westminster offers students a broad range of programs and enrichment designed to develop the whole child.

- Circle of Courage Recognition Assemblies
- Leadership Opportunities throughout the school
- Study of Citizenship through the curriculum
- Enrichment Friday option classes
- Boys Club, Girls Club
- Lego Club, Book Club
- Leadership through Grade Group Meetings
- Volunteering in the Early Education Program
- Making thank you cards
- Character Education Focused on Attitudes and Behaviour

