# Communicating Student Learning: The *NEW* EIPS Report Card GRADE 6 Categories

# **English Language Arts**

#### Understands what is read

- Responds personally and critically to written information
- Makes connections between texts and personal experiences
- Identifies the main idea or topic of a variety of text
- Demonstrates understanding of the different ways writers can create meaning

# Reads with fluency and accuracy

- Uses a variety of strategies to read unfamiliar words
- Reads with an appropriate rhythm, word accuracy, pace, and expression

# Communicates thoughts and ideas in a variety of ways

- Presents information orally, visually and/or in written form
- Listens, views, speaks, reads, writes, and represents in different ways to demonstrate understanding of concepts

## Uses strategies to revise and edit writing

- Applies appropriate grammar, word usage, spelling, capitalization, and punctuation conventions
- Seeks to improve writing quality through the editing process: planning, drafting, and publishing

## Creates writing which conveys meaning

- Generates and organizes ideas for writing
- Writes using a variety of forms or genres such as a story, a report, poems, letters, presentations, electronic forms, speeches, personal narratives, or journal entries

## Math

## **Understands math concepts**

Number

- Demonstrates patterns in place value
- Demonstrates an understanding of fractions, ratios, percents and integers
- Explains and applies order of operations using whole numbers
- Multiplies and divides decimal numbers

Patterns and Relations

- Describes patterns and relationships using graphs and tables
- Uses equations with letter expressions

Shape and Space

- Applies understanding of angles in order to create triangles
- Develops and applies formulas to determine perimeter, area, and volume
- Performs transformations of 2D shapes

## Statistics and Probability

- Collects, organizes, and analyzes data
- Describes the basic principles of probability

# Solves mathematical problems

Develops and applies mathematical knowledge through problem solving

#### **Demonstrates foundational math skills**

- Recalls basic math facts in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division
- Adds, subtracts, multiplies and divides numbers

#### **Science**

# Understands science concepts

Air & Aerodynamics

Describes properties of air and how air interacts with the things around it

Evidence and Investigation

• Examines evidence and analyzes findings

<u>Flight</u>

Builds devices and identifies adaptations for controlling flight

Sky Science

• Observes, describes, interprets and identifies objects in the sky and universe

Trees and Forests

Describes characteristics of trees and their interaction with other living things

# Uses scientific investigation skills and reasoning

- Accurately designs and carries out experiments
- Draws conclusions from observations

#### **Social Studies**

## **Understands social studies concepts**

- Demonstrates understanding of the history and principles of democracy
- Demonstrates understanding of roles and responsibilities citizens
- Demonstrates understanding of how a society is developed and changed by the values of its citizens

#### Uses research skills to find and evaluate information

- Investigates various sources to gather information
- Critically evaluates information, positions, and opinions
- Gathers information and explains understandings

## **Physical Education**

## **Demonstrates skill development**

- Demonstrates locomotor skills (i.e. running, skipping, jumping)
- Demonstrates nonlocomotor skills ( pivoting, moving on spot)
- Demonstrates receiving, retaining and sending an object

## Demonstrates sportsmanship and cooperative play

- Demonstrates positive interactions through fair play, leadership, and teamwork
- Follows directions, moves and plays safely

#### Music

# Understands musical concepts and demonstrates musical skills.

- Demonstrates an understanding of concepts in rhythm, melody, harmony, form, and expression.
- Demonstrates skills in singing, playing instruments, listening, moving, reading and writing, and creating.

#### Art

# Understands art concepts

- Express feelings and ideas through art
- Responds to forms in nature, designed objects and artworks.
- Uses artistic concepts to determine subject arrangements

#### **Demonstrates artistic skills**

- Uses a variety of media such as drawing, painting, printmaking, sculpture, fabric arts, photography or computer art
- Strives to improve techniques in artistic work.

## Health

## Understands health concepts and identifies health skills

- Identifies choices that maintain health and promote safety for self and others
- Maintains healthy interactions and explores life roles and challenges.

## French as a Second Language

## Produces oral and written French language

- Produces oral language by using gestures, one word utterances, memorized global expressions or simple, concrete sentences
- Produces written language by copying, labelling, substituting words or using simple concrete sentences

## Comprehends oral and written French language

- Demonstrates understanding of key words and ideas contained in simple, concrete oral texts
- Demonstrates understanding of key words and ideas in simple, concrete adapted or authentic written texts

# French Language Arts (Ecoles Campbelltown, Ardrossan, Parc)

#### Understands what is read

- Uses a variety of reading strategies to understand written texts
- Shares thoughts, opinions, and questions on topic
- Identifies the main components of a story read (story opener, main characters, setting, problem, events and resolution.)
- Distinguishes facts vs. opinions in texts.

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# Demonstrates listening comprehension

- Discusses, analyzes and responds to oral texts
- Uses strategies to facilitate listening and to develop language fluency

## Verbally expresses thoughts and ideas

- Contributes to group discussions by sharing pertinent information.
- Tells coherent stories in response to prompts.
- Recognizes and corrects anglicisms in speech.
- Uses common adjectives in correct word order.
- Uses correct verb tense when speaking.
- develops effective oral presentation and interactive communication skills

# German (Millshaven School)

#### **Produces oral and written German**

- Uses language in a variety of situations
- Creates texts to communicate
- Demonstrates oral communication and listening skills

## Comprehends oral and written German language

- Understands and responds to texts
- Understands and participates in activities that celebrate German culture

## **Ukrainian (AL Horton School)**

#### Produces oral and written Ukrainian

- Uses language in a variety of situations
- Creates text to communicate
- Demonstrates oral communication and listening skills

## Comprehends oral and written Ukrainian language

- Understands and responds to oral or written texts
- Understands and participates in activities that celebrate Ukrainian culture

# Band (AL Horton)

## Understands musical concepts and demonstrates musical skills.

• Demonstrates skills in playing instruments, listening, moving, reading and writing, and creating musical compositions

## Bible (Strathcona Christian Academy, Fort Saskatchewan Christian)

## **Understands Biblical concepts**

- Understands that the Bible is God's word and is true.
- Recognizes that Satan tempts people and is able to develop strategies to overcome temptation.
- Recognizes that living a Godly life is both an inward and outward choice.
- Understands the importance of Christ's life on Earth
- Understands salvation and the hope for the future it brings.

#### **Memorizes Bible verses**

- Recites verses or
- Reproduces verses in written form

## **Drama (Woodbridge Farms School)**

#### **Understands drama concepts**

- Expresses feelings and ideas through dramatic play
- Connects with others through dramatic play

# **Demonstrates performance skills**

- Engages in a variety of dramatic forms
- Strives to improve performance techniques
- Collaborates with others in dramatic performance