



Boundary Literacy Calendar - Fall 2021

	CBAL Office (Selkirk College)	Boundary Family Centres	Boundary Child Care Resource & Referral	Grand Forks & District Public Library Christina Lake Welcome Centre Rock Creek Riverside Centre	Boundary StrongStart Centres
Monday	CBAL Office Hours 9 am – 3 pm Tech Learning 2 – 4 pm (Oct. 18 – Dec. 6)		Lending Library & Resources 12 – 6 pm		StrongStart 8:30 – 11:30 am (CLES, HES) 9 am – 12 pm (GES) 12:30 – 3:30 pm (PES)
Tuesday	CBAL Office Hours 9 am – 3 pm English Language Class * (LINC 1 - 4) 1 - 3 pm	Parents of Young Children Walking Group 2 – 3 pm (Register: mel.shenstone@bfiss.org)	Lending Library & Resources 10 am – 4 pm Rhyme Time on Zoom * 10:30 – 11:15 am (Oct. 26 – Dec. 7)		StrongStart 8:30 – 11:30 am (PES) 9 – 11:30 am (MES) 12:30 – 3:30 (HES) 1 – 3:30 pm (MES)
Wednesday	CBAL Office Hours 9 am – 3 pm English Language Class * (LINC 5 – 8) 6 pm – 8 pm (Online)		Lending Library & Resources 10 am – 4 pm	Book Club on Zoom 1:30 – 2:30 pm (Last Wednesday of the month, Register: library@gfpl.ca)	StrongStart 8:30 – 11:30 am (HES, BES) 12:30 – 3:30 pm (CLES, HES) *HES closed 1 st Wed every month
Thursday	CBAL Office Hours 9 am – 3 pm English Language Class * (LINC 5 – 8) 10 am – 12 pm English Language Class * (LINC 1 – 4) 1 – 3 pm	Baby's Best Chance on Zoom 12:30 – 2 pm (Register: 250-442-2267)	Lending Library & Resources 10 am – 4 pm	Writer's Guild on Zoom 6 – 7 pm (3 rd Thursday of the month) Tech Learning * 11 am – 1 pm (every 3 rd Thursday, Rock Creek Riverside Centre) Tech Learning * 2 – 4 pm (Nov. 4 – 25, Christina Lake Welcome Centre)	StrongStart 8:30 – 11:30 am (PES, HES) 9 – 11:30 am (WBES) 12:30 – 3:30 pm (PES) 1 – 3:30 pm (WBES)
Friday	*Offered by, or in partnership with CBAL	Lil'Explorers 10 – 11 am (Grand Forks City Park) Register: mel.shenstone@bfiss.org	Lending Library & Resources By appointment		StrongStart 8:30 – 11:30 am (PES)

Program Locations

BES – Beaverdell Elementary School, **WBES** – West Boundary Elementay School, **CLES** – Christina Lake Elementary School, **GES** – Greenwood Elementary School, **HES** – Hutton Elementary School, **MES** – Midway Elementary School, **PES** – Perley Elementary School

Boundary Public Libraries

Grand Forks & District Public Library: 250-442-3944
Greenwood Public Library: 250-445-6111
Midway Public Library: 250-449-2620

Grand Forks and District Public Library (7342 5th St.)

All Virtual Programs are pre-registration only.
Email director@gfpl.ca for your link.

Writer's Guild on Zoom

- Share your work and discuss writing techniques.

Book Club – Grand Forks on Zoom

- Meet to discuss a variety of interesting books with other book lovers. Books are available on the first week of the month and are discussed at the end of the month.

Boundary Childcare Resources and Referrals (BCCRR) (162 72nd Avenue Grand Forks)

Open Tuesday – Friday, 10 am – 4 pm (Please call ahead)
For information contact Louise: 250-442-5152

Come and Play

- Drop-in play time is open during business hours

Toy Lending Library

- A great selection of toys and games to borrow. Free membership.

Glanville Family Centre (Beside Perley School)

For information contact: 250-442-2267 or 1-800-442-5355


Pregnancy Outreach and Baby's Best Chance Parents of Young Children on Zoom

- Offers workshops and guest speakers virtually.

Lil'Explorers

- Outside adventures and stories at City Park in Grand Forks. In-person. Registration required, 250-442-2267 ext. 40228 or mel.shenstone@bfiss.org.

Contact us for more information

Free Programs, Workshops & Events: Erin Perkins, Community Literacy Outreach Coordinator, 250-442-2704 ext. 6, boundarycoordinator@cbal.org or on Facebook  Columbia Basin Alliance for Literacy – Boundary Region

Free Settlement Services: Shayna Jepsen, Settlement Worker, 250-442-2704 ext. 6, 250-584-4449, boundarysettlement@cbal.org

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