



BENGAL BLITZ

JS BUCHANAN FRENCH IMMERSION PUBLIC SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 28 , 2025

Good afternoon.

Winter has hit!

We have a very busy few weeks ahead! We have a lot of exciting and fun things coming up so we want to make sure that everyone stays healthy so we can all join in the fun. Please remember to send warm winter clothing for your child so they can enjoy themselves outside for recess and outdoor education. We also ask that you keep your child home if they are feeling unwell. Things spread quickly through our classrooms and we've already had a number of students going home with colds, fevers and stomach viruses! Thank you!

Please see the flyer on the next page for information about donations being collected to support the Women's Rural Resource Centre. Please also check the last page of the Blitz for dates for some of our upcoming events! We are looking forward to our Holiday concerts, Turkey Lunch, the Holiday Lights tour and many more.

Have a wonderful weekend and stay warm!

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JSB CARES

The Women's Rural Resource Centre is an organization that provides education, prevention, and support services for families impacted by violence against women in Middlesex County. They need our help with their hamper program.

**From December 1-15, we
will be collecting:**
gift cards (gas & grocery)
feminine care items
new toys for all ages
new pyjamas and slippers
for women and kids
non-perishable food items



BULLYING PREVENTION UPDATE

December 2025

Bullying prevention means feeling safe, staying connected, and keeping calm.

As winter break gets closer, routines change. This can bring many feelings—happiness, excitement, anxiety or even sadness.

Everyone feels things differently. Our culture, identity, past experiences, special needs, and interests can affect how we react.

Take care of yourself and your family. Try:

- noticing your feelings and each other's feelings without judging.
taking slow, deep breaths to help you feel calm again.

And check out these helpful links:

[Mental Health Supports for students](#)

[Understanding Emotions](#) and [Deep Breathing SMHO](#)



DROP-OFF REMINDERS

If you are dropping your student off at school in the morning, we ask that you please use the drop-off lane at the front of the school instead of the parking lot for safety. Students can then walk around to the yard where supervision starts at 8:45. Please note that parents should not be on the yard after supervision starts at 8:45.

Also, please be aware that students should not bring e-scooters to school. Ontario Ministry of Transportation regulations require riders to be at least 16 years old, and helmets are mandatory for anyone under 18.

Elementary-aged students are not legally allowed to operate e-scooters and bringing them to school creates safety risks for all students.

We appreciate your support in keeping our school community safe.

Free Toys For Christmas

**CHOOSE FROM NEW AND
GENTLY USED TOYS FOR
FREE**

November 29, 2025 9am -12pm



St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
152 Albert St. Strathroy



To donate email
amandahaasen@gmail.com



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UPCOMING DATES

December 5 - JSB Spirit Wear/Wear Green

December 5 - S.D.C.I. French Play

December 9 - Holiday Concert K-2 @ 2pm

December 10 - Holiday Concert 3-8 @ 6pm

December 12 - Wear your Festive Sweater/Clothing

December 16 - Turkey Lunch

December 17 - SC Holiday Lights Tour

December 18 - PJ Day

December 18 - Popcorn Day

ARE YOU FOLLOWING US?

If you are on Facebook, please ensure you follow the J.S. Buchanan School council page for ongoing information and updates!



J.S. Buchanan now has an Instagram Account!

Follow us: @j.s.buchanan

MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE



If you wish to pick your child(ren) up before the end of the day, please call the office when you are on your way. This way we can make sure they are ready when you arrive as we do ask that you wait outside and also to ensure they miss as little class time as possible.

519-245-0473