

CCS COMMUNITY Compass



December 2022

Welcome to the CCS COMMUNITY COMPASS

Our purpose is to share stories and experiences about staff and students, letting parents and caregivers know what is taking place at CCS! Do you have suggestions for what you would like to see covered in this publication? Email us at info@calgarychristianschool.com



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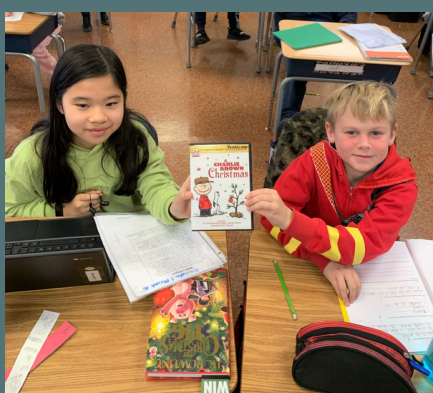
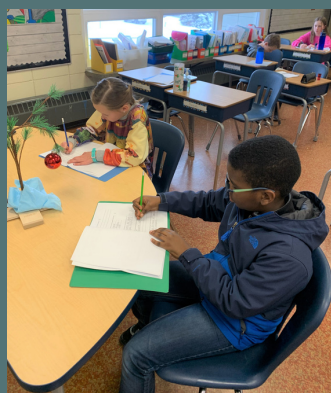
AT CCS SECONDARY!



click [here](#) for a video of Christmas wishes from CCS students

Advent Artists

View a [gallery](#) of festive student artwork from both campuses.

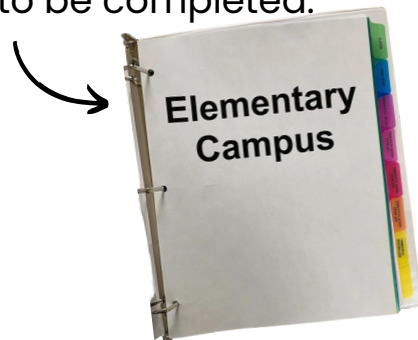


A note from Carrie Vandermeer, Elementary Teacher, on a special Christmas activity that CCS students recently completed:

The Grade 4 classes studied A Charlie Brown Christmas. They compared the book with the movie. Students looked at the themes within the story and learned what the true meaning of Christmas is all about. It's not about commercialism. Charlie Brown discovers that Christmas is all about Jesus, family and friends.

Did you know..

that our facilities are closed over the Christmas break for maintenance? Our team will be hard at work over the holidays! They take on tasks that aren't able to be done with staff and students at the school. Each campus has a binder teaming full of checklists to be completed.



A Note

from the counselling office:

Hello, my name is Kelly Schmaltz and I am the Family School Liaison Counsellor at both Calgary Christian School campuses. I hope that you are all looking forward to a great Christmas season.

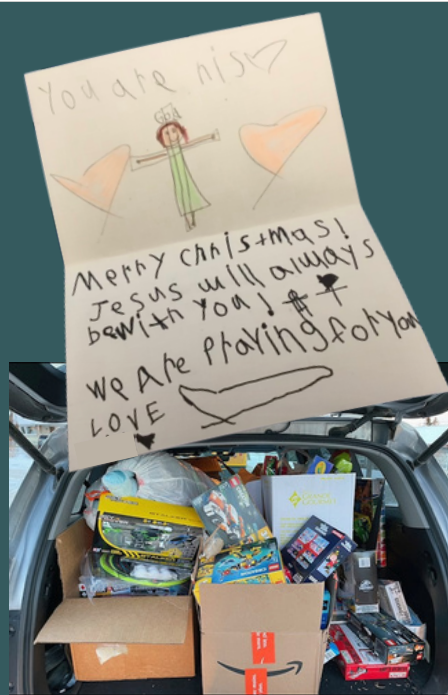
My family is getting ready to travel to visit Grandparents, Aunties and Uncles, and Cousins and take a break from work and scheduled days. During this time, it is easy for our kids to get lost on social media...

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Joyful Sounds!

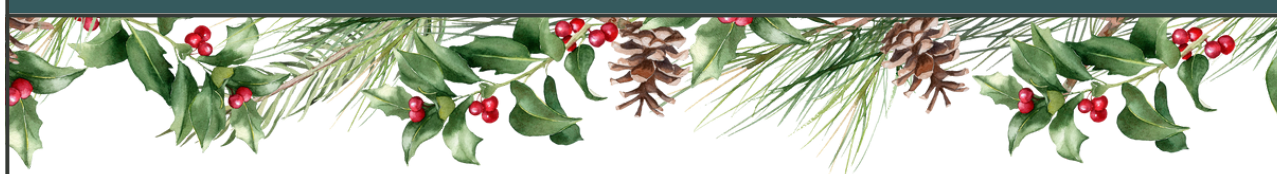
A Christmas concert, carol sings and a special presentation this December helped to spread cheer at Calgary Christian Schools. Take a look at a few of the musical moments around both campuses [with this link](#).

Also, if you missed the Elementary Division II concert, "On the Path to Bethlehem", it is viewable on [our YouTube channel](#).



Christmas Kindness

This holiday season has been one of Community Building, Justice Seeking and Servant Working for CCS Students. Get a glimpse of a few [special projects](#) in [this collage](#).



2022 Charitable Gifts Deadline

End of day on December 31st is your last chance to donate ([link to Canada Helps](#)) for a 2022 Donation Receipt! If you missed the mailed appeal letter, you can [read it here](#).

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