



Gaagagekiizhik Gakinoo'amaadiwigamig Gakinoo'amaawasowin (Gaagagekiizhik School)



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Waatebagaa Giizis - September (Leaves changing color moon) was a busy month at Gaagagekiizhik School. Here a few things that took place!



Constable Kemp from the CP Rail police came in and presented to all classes during Rail Road safety week.



Our first 2019-2020 school year **Anishinaabe niimi'idiwin**, (Powwow).



Grade 1/2 Classroom

We honored Orange T-Shirt with a prayer, a smudge and shared knowledge about the day.

Please note the following dates for the month of Binaakwii Giizis - October (Leaves falling month)

☞ **October 8th** – **Grades JK-7** will be attending Fall Harvest at Powwow Island – Please dress accordingly as we will be outside and sending an extra change of clothes would be helpful.

☞ **October 9th** – **Bimose High School students** will be attending Fall Harvest at Powwow Island – Please dress accordingly as we will be outside.

☞ **October 14th** – **NO SCHOOL**

☞ **October 16th** – Hide Tanning at Gaagagekiizhik

☞ **October 17th** – **Fall Feast** at Gaagagekiizhik 11:00am-1:00pm (All are welcome to attend)

☞ **October 18th** – PICTURE DAY

☞ **October 21th** – PD Day **NO SCHOOL**

☞ **October 31th** – Halloween Games and dress up contest. (2:30pm-3:15pm)

☞ **November 1th** – PJ Day

Please note the following:

☞ If your child(ren) has been sent home with a note indicating that they have lice, it is our policy to ensure that they have been treated before returning to school the next day. We appreciate your understanding around this.

☞ If you have returned the “Photo Release and Pick Up Authorization” forms Miigwetch! If you have, not please take the time to fill them out and have your child(ren) return to the school.

☞ Safe arrival - If your child does not show up by 9:30am, we will be calling home to make sure they are safe. Please call the office if they are sick, late or going to be away for the day.

☞ Change of clothing – With the change of the season, we welcome and encourage parents/guardians to send a change of clothing with your child(ren).

If you have any questions or concerns, you are always welcome to phone or pop by the office.

Miigwetch,

Wendy McPherson

Dear parents/Guardians,

In an effort to provide the best safety for your child(ren), please fill out the **PICK-UP AUTHORIZATION FORM** and return this form to the school with your child(ren).

PICK-UP AUTHORIZATION FORM

Child's Name: _____

List who is authorized to pick up your child(ren) from school:

Name (First/Last)	Relationship to student	Contact Phone #
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1) _____		
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2) _____		
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3) _____		
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I understand this form gives permission to the above-named individual to pick-up my child. If this changes I will notify the office in writing. I understand that if I need someone other than the above-named individual to pick-up my child, I will communicate this with Gaagekiizhik School office.

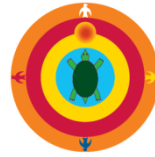
Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone numbers (including cell #) where parent can be reached: _____

Would you be interested in participating in Gaagekiizhik Parent Council Activities? Yes/No
If yes, please include your email: _____



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Photo Release Form

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I release Bimose Tribal Council Inc. and Kiizhik Education Corporation from any expectation of confidentiality in regard to the photo and/or with my name and that I have authorized Bimose Tribal Council Inc. and Kiizhik Education Corporation to use the photographs for Bimose Tribal Council's and Kiizhik Education Corporation's publications to the public and the website/official social media page(s).

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Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Street Address: _____

City, Province, Postal Code: _____