



# Welcome to One/Two Wolfe

My name is Jessica Wolfe and I am excited to be your child's teacher for the 2025/2026 school year!

## **Curriculum Overview**

In the early years of school, our main focus is on Language Arts and Mathematics. Our other subjects are integrated into these two main subject areas.

### **Language Arts:**

In Language Arts, students will be developing their skills in:

- Oral Language and Vocabulary
- Phonological Awareness and Phonics Knowledge
- Reading Fluency and Comprehension

Students will be engaged in Reader's Workshop, Writer's Workshop, Word Work, Sound Work, and Technology Integration.

### **Math:**

The Math curriculum is divided into four units:

- Number Sense (numbers up to 100)
- Patterning
- Geometry
- Measurement

### **Science**

- Daily and Seasonal Changes
- Living Things
- Constructing Objects
- Motion
- Air and Water
- Liquids and Solids

### **Social Studies**

- Cultural Groups
- Caring for the Environment
- Needs vs. Wants
- Communities
- Consumers

### **Health**

- Healthy Mind and Body
- Healthy Relationships
- Empathy
- Safety

### **More Curriculum Information:**

Grade One: <https://curriculum.novascotia.ca/english-programs/grade-1>

Grade Two: <https://curriculum.novascotia.ca/english-programs/grade-2>





### **Classroom Expectations:**

In our classroom, we work hard to treat others with kindness and respect. When problems come up, we will practice dealing with them in thoughtful, respectful ways that consider how others might be feeling. If there is a conflict between students, we will handle it privately and with care. We will also have regular class meetings where we talk about things like respectful behaviour, social skills, and how to problem solve together. Using kind and positive language will be a daily expectation of all participants.

### **Homework:**

#### Reading:

Communication between home and school is crucial. Please make sure that your child's Message Folder is checked and packed each day for school. Soon, students will begin bringing a reading book home each day (in their message folders). Please make a point to read with your child each day, as reading is a basis for all of our learning.

### **Assessments:**

There are many ways in which we gather information about a student's progress throughout the year. Assessment tools we use include, but are not limited to, work samples, journals, daily observations, conferences, checklists, rubrics, reading records and self-evaluations.

#### Report Cards

There are three reporting periods throughout the year. Report cards will be sent home in December, April and June.

### **Newsletters/Calendars:**

School newsletters are sent via email and updated on the school website approximately once a month. Our class will also release a monthly calendar, which will be sent home in your child's Message Folder. Parents/guardians are kept informed of upcoming events and other school initiatives, and activities.

Communication between home and school is essential! Please reach out with any questions or concerns by email or phone.

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