

2018 - 2019 EDITION

Southern Alberta JANUARY & FEBRUARY EVENTS



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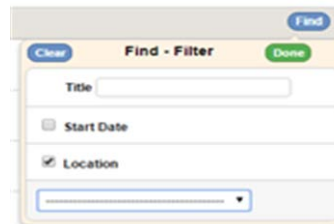
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WONDERING HOW TO REGISTER?

1. All of the events can be found at centreforlearning.ca by clicking on the **Events** tab.
2. Then follow the **Registration** link to see all of the current and upcoming events.



3. USEFUL TIPS for searching program offerings and locations

- Locate the blue "Find" button at the top right of the Events' Registration tab
- Using the "Title" field, type in an activity (eg. Art, Basketball, Theatre) **CLICK SEARCH.**
- OR
- Using the "Title" field, type in one of the following for a more comprehensive geographic list of activities. **CLICK SEARCH.**

CAL – for Calgary and surrounding communities

CENTRAL – for Red Deer and surrounding communities

MED HAT – for Medicine Hat and surrounding communities

LETH – for Lethbridge and surrounding communities

EDM – for Edmonton and surrounding communities

GP – for Grande Prairie and surrounding communities

PEACE RVR – for Peace River and surrounding communities

PROV – for provincial activities that may be of interest to all geographic locations



JANUARY 14, 21, 28, FEBRUARY 4

BASKETBALL- MEDICINE HAT

All grade levels and students are welcome, students will be grouped with participants of similar age and ability.

This program will meet learning outcomes of Physical Education.

Where: Family Leisure Centre
When: Monday, January 14, 21, 28 February 4 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Who: Grade 1-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$15.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary



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JANUARY 14 – MARCH 4

Red Cross Swim Lessons Level 5 & 6- MEDICINE HAT

This program will meet learning outcomes of Physical Education.

Where: Family Leisure Centre
When: Monday January 14, 21, 28, Feb 4, 11, 25, and March 4 at 12:30 PM– 1:20 PM
Who: Grade 1-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$73.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = \$73.00

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JANUARY 14 – MARCH 4

Red Cross Swim Lessons Level 7 & 8- MEDICINE HAT

This program will meet learning outcomes of Physical Education.

Where: Family Leisure Centre
When: Monday January 14, 21, 28, Feb 4, 11, 25, and March 4 at 1:25 PM – 2:35 PM
Who: Grade 1-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$100.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = \$100.00

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JANUARY 14 – MARCH 4

Red Cross Swim Lessons Level 9 & 10 MEDICINE HAT

This program will meet learning outcomes of Physical Education.

Where: Family Leisure Centre
When: Monday January 14, 21, 28, Feb 4, 11, 25, and March 4 at 1:10 PM -2:20 PM
Who: Grade 1-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$100.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = \$100.00

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JANUARY 16, 30, FEBRUARY 6, 13 & 27

SPORT FOR FUN –Volleyball - LETHBRIDGE

Spike into the New Year! Develop and perfect your volleyball skills. Can you dig this?

This activity will meet some of the learning outcomes of Physical Education



Where: Lethbridge College Gym
When: Wednesday, January 16, 30, February 6, 13 and Feb 27 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM
Who: Grade 1-12, Students will be divided into age appropriate groups.
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$20
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary

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JANUARY 18

ASCENT CLIMBING CENTRE –LETHBRIDGE

Where: University of Lethbridge – Ascent Climbing Centre
When: Friday – January 18, 10:00 – 11:30 AM
Who: Grade 4-12 as per Safety Guidelines for Physical Activity in Alberta Schools
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$16.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary

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JANUARY 25

Ukulele Workshop – Medicine Hat

Learn to play the Ukulele from a Ukulele master - Andrew Scott. Andrew, is an award winning singer/song writer, accomplished music teacher, and brilliant Ukulele player. Take up this opportunity to learn a unique instrument from one of Western Canada's best musicians!

Ukuleles will be provided, but if you have your own please bring it.

This program will meet learning outcomes of Music.

Where: Kiwanis Building - 826 11th Street S.E. – Classroom #1
When: Friday, January 25 at 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM
Who: Best suited for students Grade 3-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$20.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary

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JANUARY 28

Ukulele Workshop - LETHBRIDGE

Learn to play the Ukulele from a Ukulele master - Andrew Scott. Andrew, is an award winning singer/song writer, accomplished music teacher, and brilliant Ukulele player. Take up this opportunity to learn a unique instrument from one of Western Canada's best musicians!

Ukuleles will be provided, but if you have your own please bring it.

This program will meet learning outcomes of Music.

Where: CASA - 230 8th St, S
When: Monday, January 28 at 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM
Who: Best suited for students Grade 3-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$20.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary

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JANUARY 30

SOUTHERN ALBERTA AT WAR – LETHBRIDGE

Mark the 100th anniversary of the end of the First World War by learning about men who served on the Western Front and their families who lived in Lethbridge. Take a trip down to the archives to read actual letters and dairies from the conflict.

[Teacher Manual](#)

This program will meet learning outcomes of Social Studies.

Where: Galt Museum and Archives 503 1 Street South Lethbridge
When: Wednesday, January 30, 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Who: Best suited for students Grade 3-9
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$5.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary

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FEBRUARY 11, 25, & MARCH 4

SOCCER- MEDICINE HAT



Former collegiate soccer athlete and skilled coach Mellisa Hozack will help students develop or perfect their soccer skills.

This program will meet learning outcomes of Physical Education.

Where: Medicine Hat Leisure Centre Gym Q4
When: Monday, February 11, 25, and March 4 at 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Who: Best suited for students Grade 1-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student -\$15.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary

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FEBRUARY 8

PASS POWDER KEG SKI DAY - Blairmore

Powderkeg is a friendly "family" ski area with consistent snow conditions, challenging terrain. Students participating will receive a ski or snowboard lesson and a lift for the day. Rentals will be provided if student does not have their own equipment.

- ALL students must participate in a group lesson.
- ALL students must wear a CSA approved ski helmet. Helmets are included in rental cost. If you have your own equipment please ensure you wear a ski helmet.
- Grade 1-3 Students must ski with a parent / chaperone.
- I encourage parents to join their students on the hill, but it is not a requirement for participation of student in grade 4-12.

Families may stay until the hill closes at 8:00 PM.

This program will meet learning outcomes of Physical Education.

Where: Pass Powder Keg – Blairmore AB
When: Friday, February 8 at 12:00 PM– 4:00 PM
Who: Grade 1-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = Lift lesson & Rental \$42
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Lift lesson & Rental \$42
Student Resource Allocation may be applied if available. Should a student exceed the Student Resource Allocation, it is the parents' responsibility to pay for the event or cancel registration.)
Please see event link for pricing details.

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FEBRUARY 07

Co-Curricular Workshop - Medicine Hat

Students will have the opportunity to engage in classroom and gym time.

Science – Spinach DNA, **Art /Drama** –Puppet making and show, **Physical Education** - Dance

Where: Family Leisure Centre – Medicine Hat
When: Thursday, February 7 – 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Who: Grade 1- 12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$12.00
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary

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FEBRUARY 15

SKI DAY – CANYON SKI RESORT – RED DEER

Students participating will receive a ski or snowboard lesson and a lift for the day. Rentals will be provided if student does not have their own equipment.

- ALL students must participate in a group lesson.
- ALL students must wear a CSA approved ski helmet. Helmets are included in rental cost. If you have your own equipment please ensure you wear a ski helmet.
- Grade 1-3 Students must ski with a parent / chaperone.
- I encourage parents to join their students on the hill.

This program will meet learning outcomes of Physical Education.

Where: Canyon Ski Resort– Red Deer AB
When: Friday, February 15 at 9:30 AM– 5:00 PM
Who: Grade 1-12
Cost: **Lift, Lesson, and Rental costs will vary based on student age and if they choose to snowboard or ski. Please see event link for details.**
Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$46 - \$55
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = \$46- \$55
Student Resource Allocation may be applied if available. Should a student exceed the Student Resource Allocation, it is the parents' responsibility to pay for the event or cancel registration.)
Parents will also receive the school discount, see registration link for details
[Click Here to Register](#)

FEBRUARY 28

WINTER ECOLOGY ON SNOWSHOES – LETHBRIDGE

Through interactive games and snow studies, students learn:

- How plants and animals are adapted to survive winter.
- To recognize animal tracks and signs during the winter
- To enjoy some of our common winter birds.
- Feel comfortable travelling on snowshoes

Snowshoes are provided for this program!

This activity will meet some of the learning outcomes of Physical Education

Where: Park Lake
When: Thursday, February 28 at 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM
Who: Best suited for Grade 5-12
Cost: Home Education (Traditional) Student = \$10
Print-Based, Online, Shared Responsibility (Blended) student = Complimentary

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UPCOMING EVENTS

These events are not confirmed and are subject to change based on venue availability. At this time, please refer to the Events tab of The Centre for Learning@HOME website www.centreforlearning.ca for a list of upcoming events.

MARCH

MARCH 1 SKI DAY – HIDDEN VALLEY – ELKWATER

MARCH 6, 13, 20, 27 - SPORT FOR FUN – LETHBRIDGE

MARCH 7 IT REALLY MATTERS – SCIENCE WORKSHOP – LETHBRIDGE

MARCH 11, 18, 25 - BADMINTON – MEDICINE HAT

MARCH 21, 28 - ARCHERY – LETHBRIDGE

MARCH 25 – ESCAPE ROOM – MEDICINE HAT

MARCH TBD GREENHOUSE TOUR– MEDICINE HAT

MARCH TBD TV STATION TOUR– LETHBRIDGE

MARCH TBD FURNITURE MANUFACTURER TOUR– LETHBRIDGE

APRIL

APRIL 1 – ESPLANADE THEATRE PRODUCTION- TWIN FLAME – MEDICINE HAT

APRIL 1, 8 15 – PICKLE BALL – MEDICINE HAT

APRIL 3, 10, 17 - SPORTS FOR FUN – LETHBRIDGE

APRIL 4 – CO-CURRICULAR WORKSHOP – LETHBRIDGE

APRIL 10 TENTATIVE– JAPANESE GARDENS – LETHBRIDGE

APRIL 11 – PRAXIS SCIENCE WORKSHOP – MEDICINE HAT

APRIL 17 – ESCAPE ROOM – LETHBRIDGE

APRIL 18- MAY 30 – SWIM LESSONS LEVEL 1-10– LETHBRIDGE

APRIL 29-MAY 27 – TENNIS – MEDICINE HAT

MAY

MAY 8 - UKRAINIAN DANCE CURRICULUM SHOW – LETHBRIDGE

MAY 11 – FORT WHOOP UP – LETHBRIDGE

MAY 17 – WOOL MINE – BROOKS

MAY 31 – HEAD-SMASHED-IN BUFFALO JUMP

MAY TBD – SAFETY CITY – LETHBRIDGE

MAY TBD – POLICE POINT – MEDICINE HAT

JUNE

JUNE 10 TENTATIVE –YEAR END PICNIC AND POOL PARTY– MEDICINE HAT

JUNE 17 TENTATIVE - YEAR END PICNIC AND POOL PARTY – LETHBRIDGE

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EVENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Centre for Learning@HOME is actively recruiting parent volunteer chaperones.

PARENT VOLUNTEER CHAPERONE ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Parent volunteer chaperones will be responsible for a group of students ranging from 5-18 years of age and group sizes ranging from 5- 25 dependent on the event. Successful volunteers will be contacted to sign up for events on a seasonal basis in line with the event release schedule for the school. Parent volunteer chaperones will be asked to chaperone several events per year.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Friendly, responsible adult who enjoys working with and supervising students of all ages. Criminal records check with vulnerable sector required for all successful candidates.

PREFERRED SKILLS

Friendly, approachable, responsible, experience working with children is an asset.

If you are interested in this role, please contact your local Program Enhancement Coordinator by phone or email.

STUDENT SUPERVISION STANDARDS AND PARENT PARTICIPATION

All field trips and events hosted by The Centre for Learning@HOME require supervision to ensure acceptable levels of behavior and safety. The Centre for Learning@HOME will have at least one school staff member on site at every event we host. Staff, and when necessary, parent volunteers (who have provided police issued security clearance documents), will attend events to meet the necessary supervision ratios set out by Christ the Redeemer Catholic Schools and as listed below.

The CFL welcomes parents to participate in activities and events whenever possible. Some events require a parent supervise every participant; other events/venues restrict parent participation. The role of the parent is included in each event description. Please see below for an explanation of the rational.

1. PARENT PARTICIPATION IS MANDATORY

In this scenario, the students will require one on one assistance to complete the task or the venue has asked us to have a parent with each child. A CFL staff member will be there to assist the event leader, check in students and parents, and obtain the activity waiver forms.

2. PARENT PARTICIPATION IS VOLUNTARY

In this scenario, the parents are welcome to stay and participate, or release their student(s) to the care of The CFL staff and approved volunteers. The ratio of adults to students is in accordance with Christ the Redeemer Catholic Schools' policy (below). If the parent elects to drop their student(s) off, they must deliver the student(s) to the school staff member at the event to check them in and sign the activity waiver. At the end of the event, the parent must collect the student(s) from the school staff member at the specified time and ensure the staff member knows the parent has arrived to pick up the student(s). Please do not drop your student off at the door or plan to pick them up outside.

3. PARENT PARTICIPATION IS RESTRICTED OR NOT ALLOWED

In this scenario, the host venue has asked that parents not participate either due to the nature of the event (i.e. swim lessons) or because of limited space. The Centre for Learning@HOME will provide supervision according to the supervision standard set by Christ the Redeemer Catholic Schools. Parents may be able to watch from the sidelines (like in swim lessons) or drop the student(s) off and pick them up at the end of the program. When dropping off your student(s), please deliver the student(s) to the school staff member at the event to check them in and sign the activity waiver. At the end of the event, the parent must collect the student(s) from the school staff member at the specified time and ensure the staff member knows you have arrived to pick up the student(s). Please do not drop your student off at the door or plan to pick them up outside.

If arrangements are made for someone other than the parent/guardian to pick up a student, please notify The CFL staff member, in writing, prior to the start of the event.

SUPERVISION RATIOS AS SET BY CHRIST THE REDEEMER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS FOR FIELD TRIPS

GRADE LEVEL	ADULT: STUDENT RATIO
1-3	1:5
4-6	1:10
7-9	1:15
10-12	1:25

Please note, some activities replicate a classroom setting (example: teacher led co-curricular classes) and in such situations, the Field Trip Supervision Ratios will not apply. Ratios similar to a traditional classroom will apply.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding supervision, please contact The Centre for Learning@HOME Program Enhancement Coordinator for your area.

STUDENT ILLNESS

We are heading into the chilly season – the time of year when colds, flu, and illnesses abound! If your child is ill or not feeling well, please can we ask that they not attend workshops or events where they may be in apposition to pass on germs to other students, parents and staff. We also have a number of students with medical concerns or compromised immune systems and they may be more susceptible to contagions and more compromised than others by interaction with sick children. Thank you in advance for supporting each other and keeping sick children in bed and resting, rather than attending workshops or events and by so doing, supporting the whole school community .

The Program Enhancement Team