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Friends and Bucket Fillers

Oh February...you have
brought many things our way!



February finds us highlighting our continuous focus on friendship, kindness, empathy and being inclusive as it provides natural opportunities with Valentine's Day and Pink Shirt Day. As a school, we read 'Bucket Filling from A-Z: The Key to Being Happy' by Carol McCloud and Caryn Butzke. This book shares many examples of things you can do to show kindness and fill the buckets of others as well as your own. Children easily understand they can fill buckets when they do and say things that are kind, considerate, caring, and respectful. They also learn that if hurtful words are used our buckets can be emptied of those good feelings. Even our youngest children understand that actions and words can either fill a bucket or dip into it. Other books that teachers may read in the classrooms are: 'How Full is Your Bucket?' Click [here](#) to continue reading.

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Sharing our values each day

A Message from the Superintendent

Ensuring that our students are engaged in meaningful learning and encouraged to rise to new challenges is part of our mission in Chinook's Edge. This year, more than most others, our teachers and school staff have relied upon the core values that inform our work together, guide our relationships, and impact the potential of each student. We have all needed to shift our learning in several ways during this pandemic. We are able to rise to these challenges and accomplish great things together, because we share a firm foundation of values that help create a positive school culture. Click [here](#) to continue reading.

