

Kindergarten



Sherbrooke Academy Junior is unique in the area. We cater specifically to kindergarten and cycle 1 (grades 1 and 2).

Our French Immersion Program for kindergarten students is approximately 92% in French. The students also receive 90 minutes a week in Physical Education, Music, Ethics and Religious Cultures in English. The goal of the Kindergarten Program is to:

- Develop students' self-confidence, independence, social skills and individuality.
- Develop literacy and numeracy skills.
- Develop an inquisitive mind and enjoyment of learning.

Sustainable Happiness Program

We believe that learning is directly dependent on children's attitude towards school. Children excited about coming to school and are provided with the tools to succeed will develop positive lifelong learning skills.

Sherbrooke Academy Junior implements Positive Behaviour and Interventions and Support through our Sustainable Happiness Program, which is based on **Respect Others, Be Safe, Accept Responsibility**. Our program guides students to ensure success by creating a positive, safe, and nurturing environment.



With the Français Plus Program, children are immersed in French in the early years. Gradually, more English is introduced in the program.

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Programme de premier cycle 1^{ère} et 2^e années

82% en français	18% in English
1230 minutes	270 minutes
Français 570 min	Physical Education 120 min
Mathématique 420 min	Ethics and Religious Cultures 60 min
Science et technologie 90 min	Music 90 min
Univers social 90 min	
Art plastique 60 min	

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Modèle

Français Plus

French Immersion Program

Engage

Enlighten

Empower



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School



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Physical Education

The goal of the Physical Education Program is to encourage students to develop and improve their physical, mental social and emotional well being through physical activities.

Music

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happy

Students are introduced to music through exploring various genres of music, instruments, rhythms, dance, singing, and more. During the year, students have the opportunity to showcase what they have learned in various school assemblies.

Facilities

Our school is surrounded by ample green space: bordering a park, baseball and soccer fields and hockey rink. The children have access to a large fenced in playground with jungle gyms, artificial turf, grass, pavement, park benches and an outdoor classroom. The school is housed in a two-storey building. There is a gymnasium with stage, overhead projector and screen. A separate wing for the daycare, with separate entrance. On the second floor there is a Commons Learning Centre and Art Room. We also have a Teaching and Learning Centre (TLC).

Commons Learning Centre

Our Commons Learning Centre has evolved from a combination library and computer lab into a full-service learning, research, and project space. The modern commons is a meeting place, typically offering at least one area where students can rearrange furniture to accommodate impromptu planning sessions or secure a quiet place to work near a window.

In response to assignments, which have taken a creative and often collaborative turn in the past two decades, the learning commons provides areas for group meetings, tools to support creative efforts, and on-staff specialists to provide help as needed. And yet the successful learning commons does not depend solely upon adaptable space configuration or the latest technological gear. Its strength lies in the relationships it supports, whether these are student-to-student, student-to-teacher, student-to-equipment, or student-to-information. Effective learning commons are alive with the voices of students working together, kinds of connections that promote active, engaged learning.

Art Room

The school also has a designated art room, with sink and tables to accommodate our students' creativity.

Conference/Multi-Purpose Room

By the school lobby there is a conference/multi-purpose room that is used as a meeting room for parents and staff and also serves as a classroom for various extra-curricular activities.

Teaching and Learning Centre (TLC)

Our TLC is an area that meets the needs of students requiring movement breaks, quiet area to work, coaching or some academic support. It is staffed by teachers and support staff.

Outdoor Classroom

Sherbrooke Academy Junior has an outdoor classroom allowing our children to benefit from the forest and nature of our land. The Outdoor classroom is equipped with blackboard and stools and storytelling area.

Daycare

Sherbrooke Academy Junior has a separate daycare wing, with easy front access and two large classrooms.

The school has a \$8.15 government daycare program for levels K-2. Daycare is open from 7:00 to 8:00 and 14:30 to 18:00 during school days. On pedagogical days the daycare is open from 7:00 – 18:00. Lunch services are available for \$2 a day. For Daycare services, students must be registered. Part time daycare is available, MEES requires at least 3 days a week. All inquiries for daycare and lunch services are to be addressed to the daycare technician, Sharon Anto, at (514) 697-5699. All fees are subject to change on an annual basis.

School Bussing Services

In general, if any Kindergarten child lives more than one half mile (0.8 km) away from the school and is "zoned" to come to this school, bussing will be provided by Lester B. Pearson School Board*. Bussing is provided for students in Grades 1 to 2 who live within the school territory, but more than one mile (1.6 km) from the school*.

* Exceptions: No bussing is provided for students who do not reside in the school territory or for those students who live within walking distance of another Lester B. Pearson school offering a similar program.



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