



VIRDEN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

HOME OF THE SAINTS



Community Report 2020 - 2021

Principal's Message

It is great to be back working with our students. It has truly been a unique year and we are now adjusting to the new normal. VJH is ready to face the challenges that the pandemic brings. We ask for understanding, cooperation and kindness.

We thank you for trusting your child with us at Virден Junior High School. It is our goal to develop a partnership with you to ensure that we are meeting the needs of all of our children. Please feel free to contact me to discuss any concerns you have with your child's education.

Virден Junior High Mission Statement

VJH RULES

V – Virден

J – Junior

H – High

R – Respect yourself, others, and property

U – Use your time wisely

L – Learn all you can each day

E – Express and expand who you are

S – Stop and think

**VJH
RULES!!**

School Profile

281 Students

19.5 Teachers, 1.0 Administration

5.5 Educational Assistants, 1 Administrative Assistant, 1 Librarian

School Programming (beyond our 4 regular core subjects)

Band / Music

French / Dakota

Art

Physical Education

Resource

School Priorities 2020-2021

Under the auspices of the Middle Years Philosophy, the Virden Junior High staff wishes to concentrate on the following goals/priorities for the 2020-2021 school year. It is to be understood that these are just priorities that will be worked upon to a greater extent in addition to the regular routine programs of our school.

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| 1. To improve Literacy and Numeracy levels |
| 2. To be a school that values and understands Aboriginal culture |
| 3. Maintain and improve student/ staff Mental Health |
| 4. Focus on Environmental Sustainable Development |

Virden Junior High Student Council

2020-2021

President: Kendall Charles
Vice President: Mitchell Draper
Secretary: Blake Goulden
Treasurer: Libby Verran
Reporter: Sadie Brown

Room Representatives:

Grade 5:	Grade 6:
209 Kasidy Hoemsen	206 Eric Berger
210 Abbey Murray	207 Casey George
211 Michelle Watters	208 Joelle Barkley
212 Jace Fernandez	204 Isaiah Barrate
Grade 7	Grade 8
107 Owen Mytopher	105 Matthew Kirkup
108 Sarah Lindsay	106 Nathan Rowan
110 Tyran Blackwell	109 Luc Plett

VIRDEN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR SCHOOL LEADERSHIP (ACSL)

President: Carly Kirkup
Vice President: Amanda Andries
Secretary: Mandy Routledge
Treasurer: Amanda Hrynko

Members at Large: Carly Hayward, Corinne Gervais, Amber Levandosky, Nicky Banga, Tricia Studer, Nicole Sharp, Tracy Gill

VJH ACSL Mission Statement:

The Council is a community organization, dedicated to the education and well-being of the child. The Council's primary mandate is to promote effective communication between home and community members and the school. The Council shall encourage parents to participate in meaningful educational activities and decision making, to strengthen the role of families in education and schooling and to foster meaningful parent and community participation.

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