## **Academic Excellence Continues at SHS!**

Our most recent PAT results are aligned with Sturgeon Heights School's tradition of **academic excellence**. Overall, our results demonstrate the <u>exemplary learning</u> that is happening in our school. We maintain very high achievement in many areas as demonstrated below. This year, we will focus on our Acceptable Standard *English Language Arts 6* results by scrutinizing our examination preparation, streamlining aspects of our literacy instruction, and leveling our readers to measure growth using Fountas and Pinnell resources. We will also focus on challenging our *Mathematics 6* students to achieve excellence. By investigating our current results, exploring our examination preparation, and focusing on our fluency with basic facts, we will set our students up for success.

Thank you for your continued support of our school priority: *improving academic success for all students*. Please review the following graph for further information.

## Albertan

## **Student Learning Achievement (Grades K-9)**

PAT Results Course By Course Summary By Enrolled With Measure Evaluation School: 2506 Sturgeon Heights School

	Sturgeon Heights School						Alberta					
		Achievement	Improvement	Overall	2018		Prev 3 Year Average		2018		Prev 3 Year Average	
Course	Measure				N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
English Language Arts 6	Acceptable Standard	Intermediate	Declined	Issue	34	85.3	33	94.8	51,540	83.5	48,248	82.7
	Standard of Excellence	Very High	Maintained	Excellent	34	29.4	33	20.4	51,540	17.9	48,248	19.6
French Language Arts 6	Acceptable Standard	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	3,326	85.2	3,007	86.8
	Standard of Excellence	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	3,326	12.3	3,007	13.7
Français 6	Acceptable Standard	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	611	93.3	528	90.8
	Standard of Excellence	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	611	23.1	528	18.0
Mathematics 6	Acceptable Standard	High	Improved	Good	34	88.2	33	76.0	51,486	72.9	48,172	71.6
	Standard of Excellence	Intermediate	Maintained	Acceptable	34	17.6	33	10.3	51,486	14.0	48,172	13.6
Science 6	Acceptable Standard	Very High	Maintained	Excellent	34	94.1	33	92.1	51,517	78.8	48,180	77.1
	Standard of Excellence	Very High	Improved Significantly	Excellent	34	58.8	33	33.2	51,517	30.5	48,180	27.1
Social Studies 6	Acceptable Standard	Very High	Maintained	Excellent	34	94.1	33	88.1	51,525	75.1	48,170	71.4
	Standard of Excellence	Very High	Improved Significantly	Excellent	34	58.8	33	29.7	51,525	23.2	48,170	20.6
English Language Arts 9	Acceptable Standard	Very High	Maintained	Excellent	30	93.3	27	92.6	46,822	76.1	44,296	76.5
	Standard of Excellence	High	Maintained	Good	30	16.7	27	11.1	46,822	14.7	44,296	14.9
English Lang Arts 9 KAE	Acceptable Standard	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,588	55.7	1,543	60.5
	Standard of Excellence	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,588	5.9	1,543	5.6
French Language Arts 9	Acceptable Standard	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2,899	81.4	2,660	84.0
	Standard of Excellence	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2,899	9.8	2,660	10.7
<u>Français 9</u>	Acceptable Standard	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	358	82.7	391	87.9

	Standard of Excellence	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	358	22.3	391	24.4
Mathematics 9	Acceptable Standard	Very High	Declined	Good	30	83.3	26	93.7	46,603	59.2	43,851	66.8
	Standard of Excellence	Very High	Maintained	Excellent	30	36.7	26	30.4	46,603	15.0	43,851	18.1
Mathematics 9 KAE	Acceptable Standard	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2,049	57.4	1,983	59.9
	Standard of Excellence	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2,049	13.6	1,983	13.6
Science 9	Acceptable Standard	Very High	Maintained	Excellent	30	96.7	26	93.6	46,810	75.7	44,341	74.1
	Standard of Excellence	Very High	Improved	Excellent	30	46.7	26	31.8	46,810	24.4	44,341	22.2
Science 9 KAE	Acceptable Standard	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,528	64.6	1,522	64.1
	Standard of Excellence	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,528	12.3	1,522	14.3
Social Studies 9	Acceptable Standard	Very High	Maintained	Excellent	30	86.7	27	80.2	46,840	66.7	44,267	65.6
	Standard of Excellence	High	Maintained	Good	30	23.3	27	22.2	46,840	21.5	44,267	19.4
Social Studies 9 KAE	Acceptable Standard	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,501	55.2	1,493	57.2
	Standard of Excellence	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,501	14.2	1,493	11.8

## Notes:

- 1. Data values have been suppressed where the number of respondents/students is fewer than 6. Suppression is marked with an asterisk (\*).
- 2. Achievement Evaluation is not calculated for courses that do not have sufficient data available, either due to too few jurisdictions offering the course or because of changes in tests.
- 3. Participation in Provincial Achievement Tests was impacted by the flooding in June 2013 (Grade 9 only) and by the fires in May to June 2016. Caution should be used when interpreting trends over time for the province and those school authorities affected by this event.
- 4. Part A, which requires students to complete number-operation questions without using calculators, was added to Mathematics 6 in 2016/2017 and Mathematics 9 in 2017/2018, respectively.

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