PHILLIPS WEEKLY

OCTOBER 16, 2026

Upcoming Events

Oct 20 - IEPs come home
Oct 22 - SCC 6 pm
Oct 23 - Recognition assembly (am)
Oct 26 - PA Day (no school)
Oct 29 - SCC Movie Night
@ 5:30 pm in the gym
Oct 30 - Hallowe'en Dance $2 admission (proceeds go to support our athletics department) for all grades
Nov 16 - Photo Re-takes



Spirit Wear



Please see the link below to order spirit wear. Store is open until October 30. Delivery time 3-4 weeks.

https://monstertc.ca/sj-phillips-falcons/
Password: FALCONS

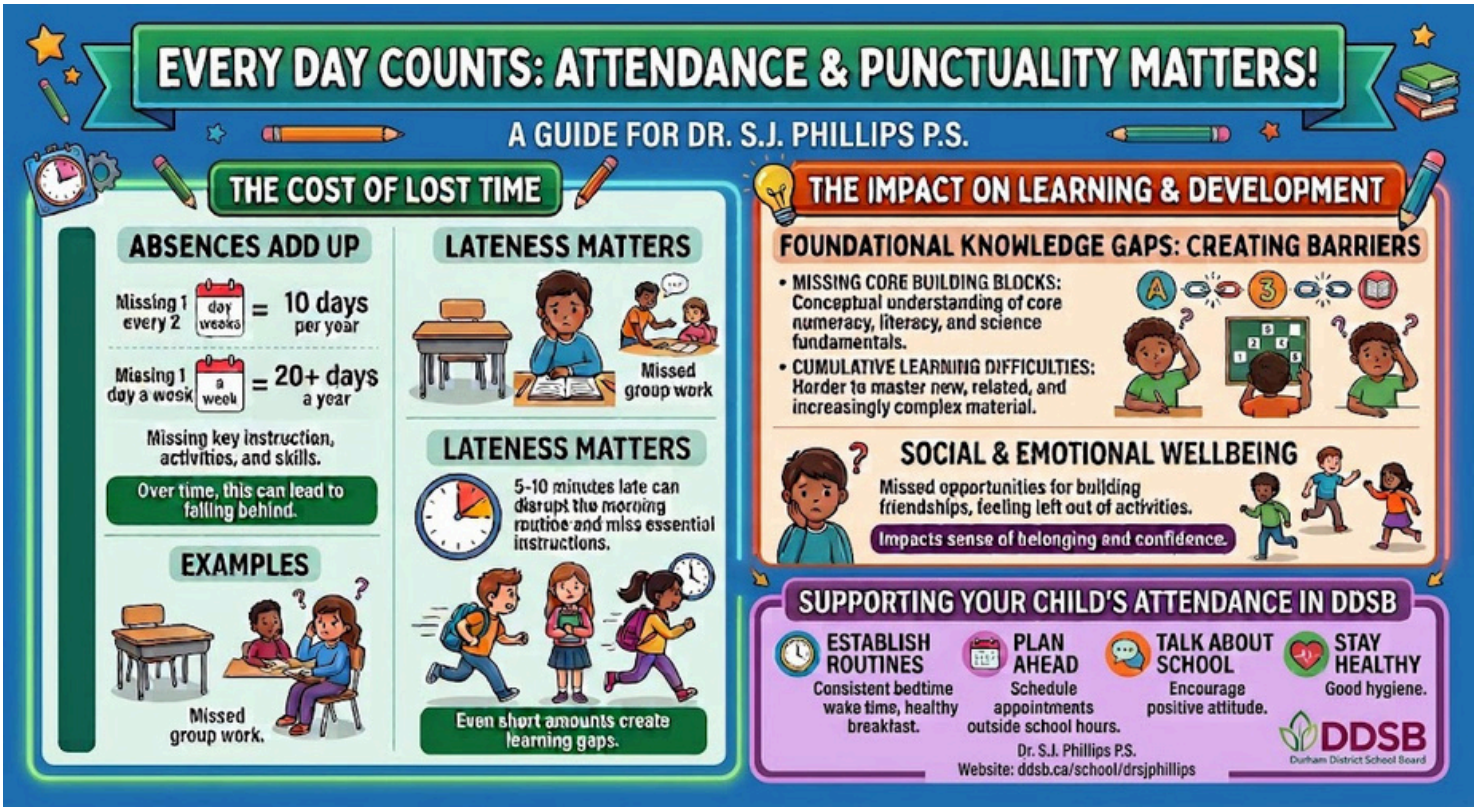
Updates

We hope you all had a wonderful long weekend and a Happy Thanksgiving to those who were celebrating.
The antidote to stress is gratefulness. As a family, refelcting on the positive aspects of your life on a regular basis can help you cope when challenges arise. We are so thankful for an amazing school community!

Extra -Curricular News

As you know, Phillips offers a huge array of extra-curricular opportunities for students. Some of these are completely free, while others do require payment towards entry fees and transportation. In the past, the school and SCC have paid for most of these electives. With a huge decrease in school budget this year, we will be asking families to cover some of the costs (a portion). The SCC may also vote to subsidize some of these opportunities. Fundraising also always goes back to our students and classrooms.

This week our cross-country team went to Lakeridge. This is a huge team and we are so proud of our students and coaches who have been working hard to train and prepare the students. Congratulations to all!



Attendance and Punctuality

Attendance and punctuality matter! At Phillips, we are setting up incentive programs for regular attendance and punctuality in every classroom. We know that when kids are at school they have the best chance of future success as well as a sense of belonging and ongoing pride in learning. If inconsistent attendance or frequent lates are recorded, a letter will come home with the progress report with specific data to review as a family. We are here to support you, so if you are having difficulty with getting to school, please let us know.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
18 Deadline to Order Boston Pizza Oct 23	19 Pizza Pizza	20 barBURRITO

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
21 Firehouse Subs Founded by Firemen	22 SCC Meeting 6PM the Lunch Lady Full Menu Deadline to Order BakBukkito Oct 27	23 Deadline to Order Firehouse October 28	24 Deadline to Order East Side's October 30

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
27	28	29	30	1	2 barBURRITO	3 PICTURE DAY FALL FESTIVAL
4	5 World Teacher's Day Pizza Pizza	6 the Lunch Lady Full Menu	7 SUBWAY	8 BOARDWALK	9 KFC	10 WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY
11 Happy Navaratri	12 Happy Thanksgiving	13 East Side Mario's	14 Mr. Sub	15 X-COUNTRY 4-6PM A&W	16 Osmow's	17
18	19 Pizza Pizza	20 IEPS GO HOME the Lunch Lady Full Menu	21 EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS AND CHILD CARE WORKER APPRECIATION DAY SUBWAY	22	23 Boston Pizza	24
25	26 No School	27 SPIRIT WEEK barBURRITO	28 Firehouse Subs Founded by Firemen	29 KFC	30 East Side Mario's	31 SAMHAIN Happy Halloween!

SAVE THE DATE

DR. SJ PHILLIPS FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Join us for a spooktacular evening of family fun as we watch...



Hocus Pocus

Thursday, October 29, 2026

Doors Open: 5:30 p.m.

Movie Starts: 6:00 p.m.

Dr. SJ Phillips Gym

FREE ADMISSION

Bring your blankets, pillows, or lawn chairs and get cozy!

Snacks and drinks available for purchase

Costumes welcome

Fun for the whole family

All concession proceeds support Dr. SJ Phillips through SCC initiatives.



It's back! Our 2nd Annual CTRL+ALT+EDUCATE event! K–8 students will dive into hands-on tech and AI activities, while caregivers join quick, practical sessions on classroom technology, modern math, AI, and land-based learning.

Friday, November 13, 2026 | 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

- DDSB Education Centre (400 Taunton Rd E, Whitby)
- Caregiver supervision required for all students.

Registration and more information here!