

**YELLOWKNIFE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS
CELEBRATES LITERACY WEEK
September 28 – October 2, 2009**

ESJS

- Guest readers from the military throughout the week
- Celebrating beginning of Chapters by Chapters Reading club for students
- Activities connected to the Road to Edmonton Chapter's Bookstore painted on the wall
- New reading initiative with RCMP in a focused classroom
- Student Book Club
- Author visit, Eric Walters

SJMS

- Lunchtime trivia on books
- Cozy Up With a Good Book Day
- Eric Walters, author visit
- Dress as your favorite book character
- Cass read-a-thons.

WCS

- Get Caught Reading,
- Guest readers in the library
- Theme of Olympics at WCS (International books to read)
- ABC books about YK
- Military coming to read
- Author visit, Eric Walters
- Olympic Literacy activities.

ESPHS

- "Why do we say that?" each morning after O' Canada.
- "The Best Book I Read This Summer". We will display student and staff recommendations and the ballots will guide the purchasing of books for the students.
- Short Story Contest with a gift certificates for the top 3 entries.
- Graphic Short Story contest. Again there will be gift certificates for the top three winners.
- Interact Club activities – a project where students who participate will learn new words and help feed hungry people.
- Interview with History – Actors, Maureen Rooney and Paul Punyi visits with all students and Nellie McClung and Louis Riel with Grade 9 students.
- Canadian author visit, Eric Walters.
- Read For 15 – NWT Literacy Association Reading Challenge