ERRINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



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Pink Shirt Day

We will be encouraging students to wear a pink shirt on Wednesday, February 26th to celebrate national pink shirt day. We hope students may have one from previous years and we do encourage "hand-me-downs" as children grow. If you would like to order a pink shirt, please use the order form below. Please know that ordering is optional. We are not making any money on these shirts but we are putting out an order form as a courtesy for those who wish to order. On the front, the shirts will have the heart-shaped image seen here. On the back the shirt will say, "Together we can make a difference".



The pink shirt campaign started in eastern Canada by a group of youth who were protesting the treatment of a fellow student who chose to wear pink. Students were making inappropriate remarks about boys wearing pink, so several male students decided to wear pink themselves to stand up to the name-calling and to support their peers who chose to wear pink. They wanted to make a statement about one of our fundamental freedoms of expression. The tradition has continued for several years now. We look forward to seeing a "sea of pink" in our school on February 26th! We continue to help our students learn how to solve problems in peaceful ways. Please see the link in the "general documents" section of our website for an interesting article that describes the difference between bullying, peer conflict, and mean behavior.

Pink Shirt Day – February 26, 2020 T-Shirt Order Form

Name Phone Number			
Teacher		Room #	
<u>Sizes available</u>			
Youth Extra Small to Extra Large (\$6.50 each) Unisex Extra Small to 4XL (\$6.75 each and \$9.00 for sizes 2XL, 3XL, and 4XL) Ladies Extra Small to 4XL (\$6.75 each and \$9.00 for sizes 2XL, 3XL, and 4XL) *Prices include tax			
Size	Quantity	Price	Total

Please hand in order form with payment to your child's teacher or the office by Friday, January 24, 2020