



Dear Parents/Guardians,

This year Killam Public School will be participating in the 2022 Terry Fox School Run on **Friday September 23, 2022**. This year, we are having a whole school assembly at 10:30 AM, and then, as a school, we are walking or running the course around Killam. All students will return to school by 11:54 AM for lunch. The permission form needs to be returned to the school by Thursday September 22, 2022.

Terry Fox, at the age of 18, was diagnosed with osteogenic sarcoma and was forced to have his right leg amputated. Determined to help others suffering from cancer, he decided to run across Canada to raise funds for cancer research.

Today, the Terry Fox Foundation funds a variety of different cancer research projects. We are proud to work with the Foundation towards Terry's vision of 'a world without cancer'. We also look forward to encouraging our students to 'Try like Terry' by fostering his values of determination, courage, perseverance and compassion. With your support, we will continue to make a difference in the fight against cancer.

Donations:

1. Can be made online to our KPS page at <https://schools.terryfox.ca/KillamPublic>

All online donations of \$20.00 or more are automatically receipted, cutting down on the Foundation's administrative costs and leaving more funds for life-saving cancer research.

Students can also create their own fundraising page link under our school page and then share it with family and friends. All funds raised from student pages are added to our school total.

2. Cash donations of a loonie or toonie will be collected in the classrooms on the day of the run. No receipts will be issued for these donations.

Thank You,
Ms. Heather Snethun
Killam Public School