### **Soccer Academy Program**



SAM School is proud to host the St. Albert Soccer Academy program for students in Grades 4, 5 and 6. Our Soccer Academy program focuses on a skill-centred model for player development and is open to students of all skill levels. In welcoming student-athletes who are passionate about soccer and being active, the academy will provide an environment that encourages respect, enthusiasm, confidence, cooperation and independence.



## Academic Challenge & Enrichment

SAM School also offers the division's Academic Challenge & Enrichment (ACE) program for students in Grades 4,5 and 6. ACE offers in-depth explorations and extensions of the curriculum to help keep your gifted child engaged and motivated to reach further. The program provides unique learning opportunities that challenge your children and feed their curiosity and passion for knowledge and growth.







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## SIR ALEXANDER MACKENZIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



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# Welcome to SAM! Our strength is rooted in our collaborative and diverse community.

Sir Alexander Mackenzie Elementary has been a vibrant and thriving neighborhood community school for more than 65 years.

#### At SAM:

- we have a strong sense of community and belonging
- generations of students have found a home here where curiosity and discovery are nurtured
- we have a long-standing tradition of both academic excellence and empowering learners to lead
- our diverse curricular and extracurricular opportunities engage our whole school community in the joys of teaching, learning and leading
- we are dedicated to meeting the diverse learning needs of our students
- we prioritize opportunities for students to discover their unique abilities and challenge them to grow







- Family dances
- Family movie nights
- Family coding nights
- SAM School Council
- In-classroom volunteer opportunities
- Community field trips & partnerships
- Wall Climbing Club
- Book fairs
- Ski & snowboard days
- Intramurals



- Coding Club
- Terry Fox Run
- Track Day & Running Club
- Winter Carnival
- SAM Hockey League
- "World Cup" soccer
- "Hoop It Up" basketball
- Volleyball
- Science Olympics
- Handbell Choir
- SAM Chorus
- Student Voice



At SAM, we are dedicated to meeting the varied learning needs of all our students.

- Academic Challenge & Enrichment program for Grades 4, 5 & 6
- Soccer Academy for Grades 4, 5 & 6
- Outdoor Education
- Drama
- STEAM Lab (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics)
- Prioritize student leadership
- Full-day and half-day Kindergarten
- On-site Learning Support Facilitator and Health Recovery Facilitator

- Music taught by specialists
- French taught by specialists
- Physical education taught by specialists
- Inquiry-based learning opportunities
- Responsive approaches to instruction
- Focus on equity and inclusion
- Focus on mental health literacy and well-being
- On-site before, during and afterschool-care provided by SIGIS