

How can we better support families?

Share your thoughts!

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My years as an educational leader helped me develop a deep understanding of the risks that modern technology and social media platforms are posing to the health and safety of our children.

Located right here in Winnipeg South Centre, the Canadian Centre for Child Protection is a world leader in combatting the sexual victimization of children. I have made several visits to the CCCP and learned about the innovative, victim-centric supports they use to combat the proliferation of child sexual abuse material on the internet. It is important for the kids in your life to know that there is help if they need it.

I am proud that Budget 2024 provides **\$2.5 million to support the important work of the Canadian Centre for Child Protection.**

Supporting
Our
Community

Community centres are the heart and soul of our neighbourhoods. As a kid, I spent hours at our community centres, hopping from rink to rink, playing baseball, drinking slushies from the canteen, and making new friends. The programming they offer is invaluable – particularly to kids and youth.

In 2024, we invested more than \$460,000 in community and childcare centres in Winnipeg South Centre through the Canada Summer Jobs Program—that’s 91 summer jobs in your community! I am committed to these ongoing investments in children and families.



Celebrating the anniversary of a local community and childcare centre.

Giving Every Child the Best Chance to Succeed



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A Message from Ben

During the decade I spent working in schools as a teacher, coach, and principal, I gained first-hand knowledge of the supports that families need for their children to succeed. Having a tummy full of healthy, nutritious food, is a critical part of that success. **Our recent investment in a new, National School Food Program is a game-changer.** It is an investment in people – giving kids healthy and nutritious food while giving families the financial boost they need.

Access to affordable childcare is also critical to the well-being of families. I am proud of **our investments in childcare and early childhood education**, which saves families thousands of dollars a year. We are committed to \$10 a day childcare, but understand that there continue to be barriers to accessing these affordable childcare spots. That’s why we also invested **\$30 million for childcare infrastructure in Manitoba.**

The inclusion of children under 18 in the Canadian Dental Care Plan, and the **4.7% increase in the amount that families receive from the Canada Child Benefit** helps parents and kids.

Your feedback helps to shape the priorities that I advocate for in Ottawa. By filling out the reply card, you can help me better understand how I can make your voice heard.

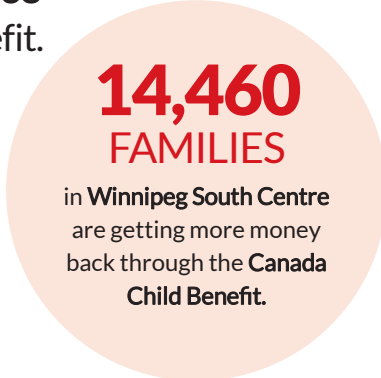
Sincerely,



We are making sure families get the supports they need.

Here’s what that looks like:

- Providing families an average of **\$6,138** annually with the Canada Child Benefit.
- Getting healthy meals to kids with the National School Food Program.
- Investing in \$10 a day childcare.
- Delivering 8226 more affordable childcare spaces in Manitoba.
- Including children under 18 in the Canadian Dental Care Plan.



All of these investments, when taken together, create the foundation for stronger communities, families and children.

Social Media

For daily updates, follow @BenCarrwpg on Facebook, Instagram, and X

Events

Is there something happening in the community that we should know about? Please email us at ben.carr@parl.gc.ca and share the details!

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