## 60th Anniversary of the Terry Fox Run

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Terry Fox, born in Winnipeg, Manitoba, was a Canadian citizen/athlete. When Terry found out he developed bone cancer, he wanted to do something about it, so he started the "Marathon of Hope"

## What did he do?

Terry started running in St. John's,



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Newfoundland, 1980. Terry made his way through Quebec and Ontario in 143 days. He was loved, praised, and thanked by anyone who met him with or without cancer. Terry unfortunately had to stop running because the cancer in his right leg had spread to his lungs. Terry tragically passed away in

1981, unable to finish his "Marathon of Hope." The Terry Fox has managed to raise 850 million dollars from schools around Canada after his death.

## How can we as a school help raise awareness to Terry Fox's cause?

Terry's history lives through schools today with the Terry Fox runs/walks. Even though the run was canceled due to weather issues this year, Bringing a toonie for Terry can help with cancer research and one day we might be able to heal and get rid of cancer. As of the time that this article was posted the amount of money raised by RTHS remains uncounted.

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