



Welcome to StrongStart!



StrongStart

Provides
a welcoming
environment for
all families.

Offers
a variety of
experiences for
children
0-5 years old.

Supports
and
challenges all
young children
in their
learning.

StrongStart is a free drop-in early learning program for families or caregivers and their children from birth to five years old. StrongStart supports the development of young children prior to school entry, consistent with the goals of the [British Columbia Early Learning Framework](#).

Surrey hosts a total of twenty-four programs where families can expect to engage in a variety of organized early learning experiences to support their child's learning and development.



StrongStart Early Learning Centres are located in school facilities so you and your child may become an important part of the school community prior to entry into kindergarten.

StrongStart Early Learning Centres operate five days per week, for a maximum of three hours per day. You and your child are welcome to attend StrongStart for an hour or the entire session.

Morning sessions are typically 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. with afternoon programs offered at a limited number of StrongStart locations from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Please see attached for locations and times.



Our Program

We believe the years between birth and school age are a critical time in a child's life.

We believe that daily activities should be play based and allow for some flexibility and choice.

We believe activities should be responsive to the needs and interests of the families that attend.



Our Schedule

We believe a predictable schedule of activities helps young children learn best.

Routines allow young children to predict the flow of the day and gain independence as a learner.

Daily schedule includes:

- Circle time
- A variety of interactive centres
- Snack time
- Shared book time
- Outside play

Parent Information and Procedures

All families are required to sign in upon arrival to StrongStart.

Children must be accompanied to the washroom by a parent/caregiver.

A bulletin board will provide information on upcoming community events, school information, and contact information for local health units.

A StrongStart newsletter will provide parents with program updates, celebrations and closure dates.

The [Surrey SD #36 StrongStart Program](#) handbook can be accessed for more detailed information.

LOCATIONS

Bear Creek Elementary
13780-80Ave
12:30-3:30PM
Sharin Chandra
Chadra_sharin@surreyschools.ca

Betty Huff Elementary
13055 Huntley Avenue
8:30-11:30AM
Pam Green
Green_p@surreyschools.ca

Bonnacord Elementary
14986 98Avenue
8:30-11:30AM (M/T/F)
Marleny Rauda
Rauda_m1@surreyschools.ca

Bridgeview Elementary
12834 115A Avenue
12:15-3:00 PM (M/Thu)
Debbie Edridge
Eldridge_s@surreyschools.ca

Cedar Hills Elementary
12370 –98 Avenue
8:30-11:30AM
Karamjit Kullar
Kullar_k@surreyschools.ca

Cindrich Elementary
13455-90 Avenue
8:30-11:30AM
Tajinder Saini
Saini_t@surreyschools.ca

Cougar Creek Elementary
12236-70 A Avenue
8:30-11:30AM
Japinder Kaur
Kaur_j@surreyschools.ca

Forsyth Road Elementary
10730-139 Street
8:30-11:30AM
Sophie Ahmad
Ahmad_s@surreyschools.ca

George Greenway Elementary
17285-61A Avenue
8:30-11:30AM
Michelle Tait
Tait_m@surreyschools.ca

George Vanier Elementary
6985-142 Street
9:00-12:00PM
Jenn Tucker
Tucker_j@surreyschools.ca

Hjorth Road Elementary
14781-104 Avenue
8:30-11:30AM
Sunita Johal
Johal_sunita@surreyschools.ca

Holly Elementary
10719 – 150 Street
8:30-11:30AM
Kanwal Jodhan
Jodhan_k@surreyschools.ca

James Ardiel Elementary
13751 –112 Avenue
8:45-11:45 AM
Seema Esmail
Esmail_seema@surreyschools.ca

Jessie Lee Elementary
2064-154 Street
9:30-12:30PM
Dawn Broneski
Broneski_d@surreyschools.ca

Lena Shaw Elementary
14250 –100A Avenue
12:00-3:00PM
Bobbie Felix
Felix_b@surreyschools.ca

M.B. Sanford Elementary
7318-143 Street
9:15-12:15PM
Kelly Swart
Swart_k@surreyschools.ca

Martha Currie Elementary
5811 –184 Street
8:45-11:45 AM
Sandra Trentini
Trenitini_s@surreyschools.ca

Mary Jane Shannon Elementary
10682—144 Street
12:30-3:30PM
Sophie Ahmad
Ahmad_s@surreyschools.ca

Newton Elementary
13359– 81Avenue
8:30-11:30 AM (T/W/F)
Debbie Eldridge
Eldridge_d@surreyschools.ca

Old Yale Elementary
10135—132 Street
8:30-11:30 AM (W/Thu)
Marleny Rauda
Rauda_m1@surreyschools.ca

Panorma Park Elementary
12878 62 Avenue
8:30-11:30 AM
Raminder Chawla
Chawla_raminder@surreyschools.ca

Senator Reid Elementary
9341 –126 Street
8:45-11:45 AM
Sameera Chopra
Chopra_s@surreyschools.ca

Strawberry Hill Elementary
7633 –124 Street
8:45-11:45 AM
Susan Worth
Worth_s@surreyschools.ca

W.E. Kinvig Elementary
13266 –70BAvenue
8:30-11:30 AM
Sharin Chandra
Chandra_sharin@surreyschools.ca

Westerman Elementary
7626 –122 Street
8:30-11:30 AM
Randeep Brar
Brar_r@surreyschools.ca

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