

Be Yourself



Panorama Park Elementary School June 6 to June 10, 2022

What's Happening This Week



This Week's Calendar

Monday, June 6

Tuesday, June 7

- Divisions 1,13 & 11 Bowling Field Trip

Wednesday, June 8

- Division 6 Rock Climbing Field Trip
- Welcome to Kindergarten

Thursday, June 9

Friday, June 10

- Grade 7 Field Trip - Crescent Beach

Lost and Found

Our Lost and Found is once again overflowing with items that need to be found by their owners. Any items not claimed by Monday, June 20 will be donated to charity

Nightly Reading Draw



Here are the May 2022 Nightly Reading Draw Winners:

Primary:

Name: Division:

Aveer U. 14

Hargun K. 16

Marcus G. 11

Nimakh K. 15

Simrit D. 17

Intermediate:

Name: Division:

Karina B. 9

Amreet D. 9

Aryan D.	9
Subaig S.	5
Jianne P.	5

PAC Executive Members

Elected PAC Executive Members for 2022-2023 are:

- President: Aman Virk
- Vice-President: Harjit Virk
- Secretary: Sandy Rakhra
- Treasurer: Ben Matheson
- Member at Large: Unfilled

Kindergarten Orientation



The kindergarten children are invited to visit our Kindergarten classroom the following Wednesday, June 8 at 1:00 pm, for 45 minutes. For the children's visit, please line up outside the two kindergarten classroom doors at the front of the school (across from the playground).

School Fees Notice to Parents and Guardians



Each school year, parents support their child(ren)'s formal experiences in a wide variety of ways. We appreciate all that you do to ensure a successful year!

We have provided an itemized supply list based on grade. Parents may opt to purchase supplies directly from the company. However, parents may choose to wait to do the purchasing themselves.

In addition to providing the school supplies itemized on a grade list, parents are periodically asked for monies to cover specific and/or special events. No students will be denied the opportunity to participate in any school due to the inability to pay. Please contact the principal should you require any financial assistance.

As we plan for the upcoming school year, we anticipate the following costs:

Student Planner: We encourage all students in Grades 1 -7 to purchase a School Planner at a cost of \$5.00. Included in the planner is our school code of conduct: school calendar and school district information. We find this to be an excellent tool for facilitating home/school communication, as well as for developing our students' organizational skills. However, using our school planner is optional as a parent may purchase their own version.

Field Studies and Field Trips: Classes often enjoy educational visits to community facilities which extend and enhance the curriculum. While we use school monies or fundraise to cover the costs of such activities whenever possible, there are times when parents are asked to contribute towards the cost of the trip. If you choose to have your child not participate in a field study, a suitable program will be provided at the school.

Musical Instruments: Grade 4 students may learn to play the recorder. Students will have the option of purchasing one through our music teacher for approximately \$8.00 or receiving one on loan from the school. Also, our Grade 7 students who opt for/take band either purchase or rent an instrument. Costs vary depending on the instrument.

Pre-Packaged School Supply: Parents have the option of purchasing their child's school supplies on their own utilizing the grade supply list or for your convenience you may wish to purchase supplies as a package through School Start. Payment is made directly to School Start and the packages are delivered to the student's home address. Costs for supplies vary based on grade. The School Start packages are around \$60.

Kindergarten Supplies: The school purchases bulk supplies. The cost for the supplies is \$36.78. Parents have the option of purchasing their child's school supplies on their own utilizing the grade supply list. There is a \$10.00 cost to cover the cost of various classroom craft take home projects throughout the school year. Parents have the option of purchasing their child's craft supplies on their own utilizing the craft list.

School Supply List - Grades K to 7



School supply lists have now been posted on our school website. You may choose to purchase your child's school supplies over the summer for school in September.

Alternatively, as a convenience to parents, we have attached an order form for School Start for those parents who wish to order ahead of time from this private company. This is a personal choice and not compulsory. You may order your child's supplies online at www.schoolstart.ca and the pack of supplies will be delivered to your home.

<https://www.surreyschools.ca/panoramapark/page/31215/school-supply-list>

Updated Guidelines for Daily Health Checks and Attending School



The Ministry of Education has released an updated [Daily Health Checks and What To Do When Sick](#) resource. It is important that everyone, including students, staff and visitors, continues to assess how they are feeling before going to school, to protect our communities and prevent the spread of COVID-19.

The online [K-12 Health Check App](#) can assist in performing your daily health check. Check for the following symptoms of illness and COVID-19:

- Fever or chills
- Difficulty breathing
- Runny nose
- Headache
- Diarrhea
- Cough
- Sore throat

- Body aches
- Loss of sense of smell or taste
- Loss of appetite
- Extreme fatigue or tiredness
- Nausea or vomiting

Here's what to do if you or someone in your household has symptoms:

If you are sick or feel unwell, stay home. This is important to prevent the spread of illness and COVID-19 in schools.

If you have mild symptoms, stay home until you feel well enough to return to your regular activities and no longer have a fever. Avoid non-essential visits to higher risk settings such as long-term care facilities for another five days after feeling better. *(You may attend school if your symptoms are consistent with a previously diagnosed health condition, such as seasonal allergies.)*

If you have a Rapid Antigen Test, take it if you have symptoms:

- *If your result is negative,* COVID-19 was not detected. However, it is possible that you may have COVID-19. Self-isolate until your symptoms improve.
- *If your result is positive,* self-isolate at home for the following durations, based on your age and vaccination status:
 - **Under 18 + Fully Vaccinated, Partially Vaccinated or Unvaccinated:** Self-isolate at home for five days AND until your symptoms improve and you no longer have a fever.
 - **18 or Older + Fully Vaccinated:** Self-isolate at home for five days AND until your symptoms improve and you no longer have a fever.
 - **18 or Older + NOT Fully Vaccinated:** Self-isolate at home for 10 days AND until your symptoms improve and you no longer have a fever.

If you still have symptoms, continue to isolate if you still have a fever or are not feeling better.

If you are unsure about whether to get tested, use the [Self-Assessment Tool](#) or contact your healthcare provider or 8-1-1 to determine if you should seek a COVID-19 test.

If someone in your household is sick and/or self-isolating, you may attend school *as long as you do not have any symptoms of illness and feel well.* Monitor yourself (or your child) for symptoms and stay home if you feel unwell.

The best way to protect yourself and your family from COVID-19 is to get vaccinated. Vaccines are available for anyone five and older. Register now at getvaccinated.gov.bc.ca

Important Dates

Important Dates:

Wednesday, June 8	Welcome to Kindergarten Orientation
Thursday, June 16	Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony
Monday, June 20	Primary & Intermediate Year End Assemblies
Tuesday, June 21	Spirit Day - Canada Day
Thursday, June 23	Early Dismissal at 1:35 pm/ Last Day of School

Useful Links

Click on the links below to be taken to these websites:

- [Surrey School District Website](#)
- [BC Curriculum Overview](#)
- [CASEL](#) (Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning)
- Social Emotional Learning Resources: [Second Step](#), [MindUP](#), [EASE](#)