



As the weather turns cooler, we are once again calling on the Laronde community to check your closets and bins for any warm winter clothing you may no longer need. From **November 1 to November 5**, we are collecting gently worn winter wear to be donated to families at Laronde's sister school – Forsyth Road Elementary in Whalley. We ask that all items be washed and cleaned before donating.

Your spare coats and boots provide vital warmth for the students at Forsyth, where many students arrive at school extremely under dressed for the cold, rain and snow. Items that can be donated in **good used** or **new** condition:

- Winter coats
- Toques/hats
- Mittens/gloves
- Boots (Rain or Winter)
- Scarves
- Snow pants
- Water resistant clothing
- Hoodies
- Sweatpants
- Fleece blankets
- NEW socks, NEW underwear

ALL sizes from infant to adult are appreciated as Forsyth does hold a Strong Start program there as well. Donations can be dropped off before school from **8:20 a.m. until 8:45 a.m.** and after school from **2:20 p.m. until 2:45 p.m.** at the **Laronde front entrance** every day from **November 1-5**.

Volunteers are needed to help collect donations! Please [Sign-up here](#) to volunteer.

Thank you for your help in ensuring no child goes cold this winter.

Questions? Please email outreach@larondepac.ca