



Around Laronde April 30, 2021



Two (2) early dismissals in May

We know that there are now two early dismissals in May, during the same week. The district added 3 early dismissals, one in each month (April, May & June) until the end of the school year in order for schools to go over and adjust Health and Safety protocols. It just so happens that one of the dates the district picked falls during the same week we had already chosen for our May early dismissal. We felt it would be easier for us to keep the May date than to change it now, as families might have already made arrangements for this early dismissal. Thank you for your understanding. Our teachers will let you know how they will connect with you regarding your child's interim progress.

**EARLY
DISMISSAL**



Water Bottles

With the warm weather coming, we are asking families to please send a water bottle with your child for them to keep at school for on/in their desk. All water fountains are closed. Students can use our water bottle refill stations during the school day. We really would like to reduce the amount of plastic cups being used.



Laronde Lost & Found

Please take a minute to come by and see if any of the items belong to your child. The box is overflowing with lost items such as water bottles, jackets, sweaters, hoodies, shoes, hats, mittens.



- May 7, 2021 - Non-Instructional Day
School Closed
- May 12, 2021 - Early Dismissal @ 1:40 pm
- May 14, 2021 - District Wide
Early Dismissal @ 1:40 pm
- May 24, 2021 - Victoria Day Stat - No school
- May 31, 2021 - Non-Instructional Day
School Closed
- June 07, 2021 District Wide Early Dismissal 1:40pm
- June 24, 2021 Last day of school &
Early Dismissal @ 1:40 pm

Laronde Spirit Days...

- **Friday May 14** - Tie Dye Day
- **Friday May 21** - Wacky/Silly Hair Day
- **Friday May 28** - Sparkly Day - wear something shiny or sparkly
- **Friday June 4** - Funky/Fun/Funny Hat Day
- **Friday June 11** - Cultural-Heritage Day - dress up in your family's cultural attire or very fancy clothes
- **Friday June 18** - Colour Day - Gr. 7 usually wear rainbow colours and other students wear red, blue, green or yellow). We will let each class or group know what colour to wear.

Here is a link to a website from the City of Surrey with helpful slang that children and teens use in their communication with each other.



Empower yourself by becoming familiar with terms young people are using to communicate with their peers.

<https://www.empowersurrey.ca/get-empowered/youth-slang>

Jump Rope for Heart



During the week of April 26 - 30 our students participated in jump rope activities to gain jumping skills, to support healthy habits (exercising and eating properly) and to promote awareness of signs for heart attack & stroke. We would like to ask each student to donate \$2 or \$5 using the school cash online to support the cause. All proceeds will be donated to the Canadian Heart & Stroke Foundation.

Please note you have until 12:00 midnight Sunday May 2, 2021 to donate.

Laronde students learning and playing outside...



Ecole Laronde Student Art...

Division 8—combining art & literature



Division 9 - landscape perspectives



Division 5 - combining art and math

