



Around Laronde – March 11, 2022

Dear families,

We want to wish everyone a very joyful, relaxing and safe spring break! Thank you to everyone for doing their part to keep our Laronde community safe during COVID. We truly appreciate your support and following the rules/guidelines set out for us. Thank you to our staff and students for working together, during the past six months, to make learning fun and safe!

We look forward to seeing all of you again on Monday, March 28th!
Bonnes semaines de relâche!



SPRING FORWARD
Daylight Saving Time
March 13, 2022

Just friendly reminder that on Sunday March 13, 2022 we spring forward 1 hour.

**Important Dates
and INFORMATION**

March 14-25



March 28 - School Re-opens

April 15 - Good Friday
School closed



April 18 - Easter Monday
School closed

May 3 - Early dismissal at 1:40pm

May 6 - Non Instructional Day
School Closed

BADMINTON

Permission slips have gone home for Grade 7's and Grade 6's to join Badminton.

For the Grade 7's practices started this week and games will start the week of April 5, 2022.

For the Grade 6's practices will start the week of March 28, 2022. Games schedule and location will be announced after spring break.

We will be able to have spectators when games begin but with a limited capacity.



Envision Financial Reading Buddies

This is a online reading practice for children in Grades 2 -4 . Children are paired with teen volunteer and will spend time reading together in a safe, supportive environment. Spring session will be opening soon, see link below for more information regarding dates and registration.

<https://www.surreylibraries.ca/services/kids-families/envision-financial-reading-buddies>



Student School Insurance

We wanted to remind all families that student accident insurance is available for parents to purchase each year. Please read the following information taken from the district website:

What every parent should know about accident insurance...

Accidents happen

Did you know that Surrey Schools does not insure expenses for student injuries that happen on school grounds or during school activities? You are responsible for these expenses as a parent or guardian.

Medical Services Plan (MSP) either limits or does not cover some charges and group health plans often have deductibles. Injury-related costs not covered by MSP or group insurance plans may include:

- Dental treatment
- Eyewear
- Rental of crutches or wheelchairs
- Splints and casts
- Physiotherapy
- Private tutors

Whether playing sports, using playground equipment, having fun in the gym or schoolyard, students sometimes injure themselves while at school.

Optional accident insurance is available

Parents who would like to purchase accident insurance for their child are advised to choose an insurance provider. Several companies offer accident insurance and you must decide which plan suits your family's individual needs the best. For your convenience, Surrey Schools has made arrangements for families to voluntarily purchase private accident insurance through the "[Insure my kids](#)" accident program, underwritten by Old Republic Insurance Company of Canada.

Insure my kids accident insurance offers protection against the unexpected costs of injury from accidents, and is especially valuable for families who:

- do not have medical or dental plans
- have limited plans, as it may help supplement health and dental benefits, or
- have active children who enjoy sports and outdoor activities

For more information, see:

[The Insure my kids website](#)

[Plan summaries](#)

[Parent information sheet](#) (also available in [Punjabi](#))