



Around Laronde – September 21, 2020

CLASS GROUPINGS

As much as possible students will remain within their division. We do have some classes that have been paired and those will be their cohorts until Dec. 18, 2020. Classes who are not in cohorts can work together as long as students from each cohort maintain a physical distance of 2 metres. For the most part we will be avoiding doing this.

CLASS PLACEMENTS

Please remember that joining a new group takes some time to adjust to. Please allow a few days or weeks for your child to adjust to his/her new class. Please see the back to school info graphic in the last newsletter.

BELL SCHEDULE – this is the bell schedule for Mon, Sept. 21 – Fri. Dec. 18, 2020

We have decided to not stagger entry and exit times and to not stagger recess/lunch breaks. We have about 15% fewer students at the school (students who joined blended learning). We have 5 play areas with about 75 students in each play area. We have four noon hour supervisors + Mme Niro & Mme Boudreau who go outside. We feel that all students can safely physically distance while outside as we have very large play areas. We do need your help in limiting the number of adults on school grounds before and after school. If you can please simply drop off your child and go **OR** drop off and pick at the perimeter of the school grounds, this will be helpful. We understand that parents of younger children will want to walk them to their classroom door/areas and that is okay.

8:20 – 8:40 – arrival at school anytime between 8:20 – 8:40 am. We hope this time interval will allow families to stagger when they arrive.

8:40 – bell for class to begin

10:30 – 10:45 – recess

11:45 – 12:00 - students eat lunch in their classes with their teachers

12:00 – 12:45 – lunch time – depending on the weather students will go out for 15 – 40 minutes, lunch supervisors, Mme Boudreau, Mme Niro and EA's will help monitor students inside and out. We have been helping all students sanitize their hands before going outside.

2:40 – bell for classes to end – if you can simply pick up your child by staying in your car or at the perimeter of the school grounds this is helpful.



***** All students that arrived after the 8:40 am bell must check in at the office*****

Please note during this time parents are not allowed in building due to Covid 19 regulations



SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Kindergarten student supplies have been bulk ordered and will be delivered directly to the school. All other students should bring all of their supplies to school for Monday. School supply lists are on our school website.

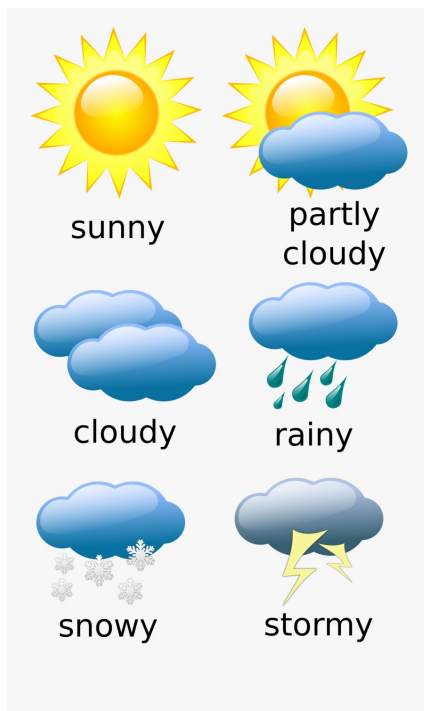
BLENDED LEARNING GROUPS

Students signed up for blended learning should have received some info this week from the teacher who will be teaching them. Please remember that the teacher may not be a teacher from Laronde – but the teacher will be a Surrey French Immersion teacher. If you have not yet received a phone call from a blended learning teacher, they may call you on Monday as some schools received their class lists a bit later than others. If you have questions please do not hesitate to call or email us at the school. laronde@surreyschools.ca or 604-536-1626.



DRESS FOR THE WEATHER

As stated in the previous newsletter students will be going outside every day. Please ensure they are dressed properly for the weather.



TERRY FOX RUN FRIDAY SEPT 25, 2020

Next week teachers will be reading, talking about and watching videos to teach students about Terry Fox and his legacy.

Our school would like to go forward with the annual Terry Fox Run. This year's run will be a bit different. We would like to ask all students to wear Laronde colours (blue & green) – see logo.



We will have classes run in the gym or on school grounds with their class or cohort. We will have a schedule for teachers to sign up. Unfortunately, parents will not be able to attend this year's run.

If you would like to make a donation – please do so online using the following link.

<http://www.terryfox.ca/LarondeElementary>