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White Rock Elementary School

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Dear Parents & Guardians:

We apologize for not sending this information to you earlier. We were awaiting the announcement of the *Surrey Blended: Elementary Transition Program* by the District before sending you information regarding registration procedures for the first week of school.

The *Surrey Blended: Elementary Transition Program* provides an online learning option for parents and guardians. Parents and/or guardians must register online for this program on or before September 8th. Students who are registered in the Surrey Blended program do not lose their space at White Rock Elementary. For more information on the [Surrey Blended: Elementary Transition Program click here.](#)

If you are not registering your child(ren) for the *Surrey Blended: Elementary Transition Program* the first day of school will be Thursday, September 10th. Students attend on the following dates and times:

- Thursday, September 10th & Friday September 11th
 - Students in Grades 1, 2, 3, & 4 attend for 1 hour only from 9:00a.m. to 10:00a.m.
 - Students in Grades 5, 6, & 7 attend for 1 hour only from 11:00a.m. to 12:00p.m.
 - Kindergarten students will be divided into smaller learning groups for gradual entry. Additional information on the kindergarten gradual entry calendar was emailed to kindergarten parents and guardians.
- Monday, September 14th
 - Students in Grades 1, 2, & 3 attend from 8:35a.m. to 2:35p.m.
 - Students in Grades 4, 5, 6, & 7 attend from 9:05a.m. to 2:35p.m.
- Tuesday, September 15th
 - Students in Grades 1 to 7 from 8:35a.m. to 2:35p.m.

To maintain physical distancing on Thursday, September 10th and Friday September 11th students will be in small learning cohorts of 10 students or less. Signs will be posted on the grounds indicating where students should meet and wait for a teacher.

On Thursday and Friday students will be reviewing health and safety protocols and routines. It is important for students to attend on these days to receive instruction on health and safety, and to confirm enrollment. Students will be placed into their learning cohorts (classes) for Monday, September 14th.

We are looking forward to welcoming your child(ren) back to school next week. We hope that you enjoy your week.

Sincerely,

M. Hurt & A. Swansburg