



Week of September 26-30, 2022

Week at a Glance

Monday

- Non-Instructional Day- Students not in attendance

Tuesday

- Lockdown drill 1 p.m.

Wednesday

- Meet the teacher from 2:30-4 p.m. No appointments necessary. We look forward to seeing our families!

Thursday

- Orange shirt day.

Friday

- National Day for Truth and Reconciliation- School is closed

Weekly information

1. Terry Fox Run- Update

Terry Fox is a Canadian Hero! His goal was to run across Canada to raise money for a cure for cancer. Students are being encouraged to bring a Toonie (or more) for the Canadian Cancer Foundation.

Our goal is to raise \$1000 to support Terry's dream. Every little bit helps!

On April 12th, 1980 Terry Fox dipped his artificial leg into the Atlantic Ocean and began his Marathon of Hope to raise money for Cancer Research.

Looking forward to seeing everyone today!

Please note that the Kindergarten route is different. Kindergarten parents wishing to volunteer are asked to contact a Kindergarten teacher.

"Anything is possible if you try!" Terry Fox said this during his Marathon of Hope. Let's continue Terry's dream to find a cure for cancer.

Bring a Toonie for Terry or Donate Online at
<http://www.terryfox.ca/FraserWoodElementary>

2. Hot Lunches

Hot Lunches are BACK!!! Hot lunches will be every Wednesday. We have four suppliers this term which we will be rotating through

- Panago Pizza
- Maguro Sushi
- Cora
- Subway

The first lunch will be on September 28th. Order is due today. You can order for the week, month or entire term.

All orders must be placed online through Munchalunch.

<https://munchalunch.com/schools/fraserwood/>

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We have a number of families that are not able to participate in hot lunches due to financial hardship. Please consider donating a lunch when you are on the MunchaLunch website. Thank you in advance for your support.

3. Student Drop Off & Pick Up

Please be mindful that the cul-de sac on Glenwood Crescent is not a drop off/pick up zone for students. This is a safety concern for as access to the crosswalk is compromised, and many residents leave for work at this time as well. Please remember to use the drop off & pick up zone at the front of the school. The system in place works well when we all work together as a community. As safety is foremost in our mind, we appreciate your attention to this matter.

4. Bell Schedule 2022-2023

Supervision Bell	8:20 a.m.
Welcome Bell	8:30 a.m.
Morning Session 1	8:35 – 10:15 a.m.
Recess	10:15 – 10:30 a.m.
Morning Session 2	10:30 – 11:45 a.m.
Lunch	11:45 a.m.
Afternoon Session	12:30 – 2:30 p.m.
End of Day Bell	2:30 p.m.
Supervision Ends	2:45 p.m.

5. 2022-2023 Calendar

2022

September 23	Terry Fox Run TODAY!
September 26	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
September 28	Meet the Teacher 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.
September 29	Orange Shirt Day
September 30	Truth & Reconciliation Day – School Not in Session
October 10	Thanksgiving – School not in Session
October 11 - 14	Interim Report #1 – Informal Communication with Parents
October 21	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
October 31	Halloween Parade – 1:45 p.m.
November 9	Remembrance Day Assembly

	November 10	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
	November 11	Remembrance Day – School not in Session
	December 5 - 9	Student Progress Report #1
	December 13	Early Dismissal @ 1:30 p.m. – Parent Teacher Conferences
	December 16	Pyjama Day
		Last Day of Classes before Winter Break
<u>2023</u>	January 3	School Re-opens
	January 16	Early Dismissal – 1:30 p.m.
	January 20	Lunar New Year Parade – 1:45 p.m.
	February 20	Family Day – School Not in Session
	February 22	Pink Shirt Day and Pink Shirt Day Run
	February 24	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
	March 6 - 10	Student Progress Report #2
	March 10	Last Day of Classes before Spring Break
	March 27	School Re-opens
	April 7	Good Friday – School Not in Session
	April 10	Easter Monday – School Not in Session
	April 18	Ready, Set, Learn – 1 p.m.
	May 4	Student Led Conferences – Early Dismissal 1:30 p.m.
	May 5	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
	May 16	Parent Appreciation Tea
		Welcome to Kindergarten – 1 p.m.
	May 22	Victoria Day – School Not in Session
	May 29	Non-Instructional Day – School Not in Session
	June 16	Activity/Sports Day
	June 19	Activity/Sports Day Rain-out Date
	June 21	Summer Fun Run
	June 23	Year End Assembly – 9:00 a.m.
	June 26	Grade 7 Ceremony – 10:40 a.m.
	June 29	Final Summative Report
		Last Day of School – Early Dismissal @1:30 p.m.

6. PAC

Did you know we have a Fraser Wood Elementary Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) mailing list? It is different than this one and you need to subscribe to get the latest information like:

- When the next PAC meeting is happening so you can voice any suggestions/concerns?
- Get a copy of the PAC meeting minutes which include updates on health and safety, fundraising plans, money distributions to support extra-curricular activities, ...
- How you can get involved in the PAC and volunteering opportunities.

- The latest status of the playground fundraising efforts.

Click on the link [Parent Advisory Council Mailing List](#) to subscribe.

PAC MEETING: October 19th at 6 p.m.

All parents are welcome to attend online at:

ZOOM Meeting ID: 946 9592 2953

ZOOM Passcode: 371777

ZOOM Meeting LINK: <https://zoom.us/j/94695922953?>

7. Daily Health Check

Staff, other adults entering the school, parents, caregivers and students should not come to school if they are sick. It is critically important to complete a daily health check.

A daily health check means a person checking daily to ensure they (or their child) are not experiencing any symptoms of illness (including but not limited to COVID-19 symptoms) before coming to school.

Nobody should come to school if they are sick or otherwise directed to self-isolate by public health.

8. Dress for the Weather

Fresh air and play is a very important part of your child's learning at school. It is also a wonderful opportunity for physical activity that helps brains to grow and learn. As much as possible, kids will be outside at recess and lunch, rain or shine so please ensure they have appropriate clothing.

9. Fraser Wood Elementary Spirit Wear!

10% of purchase price is donated to Fraser Wood Elementary PAC.

<https://fwe.entripyshops.com/>

- Free Shipping to your home (orders over \$85)
- Ability to select great products and fully customize
 - Choose colours
 - Logo position and size
 - Add a name
 - Add a number

There are products for Men, Women, and Youth! We hope you enjoy the new spirit wear and look forward to seeing your children and the parents sporting some cool gear around the neighbourhood. Feel free to share the site: <https://fwe.entripyshops.com> - anyone can order and help support your children's school.