



Cougar Creek Connection 2021

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Principal's Message

Happy February!

While the groundhogs say that there are only a few more weeks of winter, the cold weather is definitely upon us.

Please remember to send your child dressed for the weather. Students need a warm jacket, a hat, and gloves or mittens to ensure they are kept warm while playing outside at recess and lunch. Just because the sun is out, it does not mean that the temperature will be warm. We see many of our older students coming to school in just a hoodie. Please remind them to wear a warm jacket.

A reminder to keep your child at home if they are showing any signs of cold or flu, and call the school to let us know that they will be home for the day.

Thank you for helping to keep all of our Cougar Creek community safe and healthy!

Please be sure to read all of the information listed below.

Kind Regards,

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Important Dates



February 15 - Family Day - **No School**

February 19 - Professional Development Day - **No School for Students**

February 24 - Pink Shirt Day (Please note date change)

March 2 - Dr. Seuss Day (Dress as your favourite Dr. Seuss character)

March 10 - Second Formal Report Period

March 12 - Last day of School before Spring Break

March 29 - School Reopens

Important Info Below

Kindergarten Registration



Do you have a child who was born in 2016? If so, it is time to register them for Kindergarten!

Please complete the online registration by going to:

<https://www.surreyschools.ca/K-12Schools/StudentRegistration/Pages/default.aspx#Kindergarten>

It is important to register as soon as possible as this helps with our planning of classes for next school year. Initial planning for next school year begins in March so early registrations are greatly appreciated!

We can't wait to welcome your child to school!

City of Surrey Preschool at Cougar Creek



Registration for the City of Surrey preschool, that runs out of Cougar Creek Elementary, opened last week. If you have a preschool aged child, please consider registering them for the preschool program that operates in the afternoons in our Strong Start classroom. This is a great way to get your child ready for Kindergarten.

[Preschool Registration - Click Here](#)

Look at the Amazing Work of our Cougar Creek Students!

Upon their return to school in January, the students of Division 5 had a lot to say. They might only be in Grade 5 and 6, but they've got their eyes and ears wide open and are trying their best to process all that is going on in the world, in the community, and at school.

In their classroom, there has been a focus on trying to shift from being a passive bystander to becoming a respectful activist. Working together, the students in Division 5 developed a list of powerful words, one for each letter of the alphabet, as well as their corresponding messages. The students hope that the reading and sharing of these words will inspire and encourage others to take action and be a good human.



Student Absences



If your child will be away from school, please call the office to let us know. We have an answering machine, so you do not have to wait until the school opens to leave a message. Thank you for your help with this!

Report your child's absence at: 604-591-9098

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