

COVID Update

Dear Parents,

I wanted to give you an update on our school status. Latimer Road has now become a targeted school in regards to the Covid health and safety measures. Beginning Tuesday, May 25th we will implement rotating zones of play for the students. Each cohort will rotate through each zone daily in order to minimize interaction and assist students in keeping socially distanced when playing outside.

In addition, we are stressing now more than ever the need to wear masks. It is mandatory for students in grades 4-7 and strongly recommended for students in K-3. We are asking for your help to talk to your child regarding the importance of these safety measures for the remainder of the year.

Vaccine Update

Students born in 2009 or earlier are now eligible to register on the B.C. COVID-19 Immunization website

Registration is now open for students between [the ages of 12 and 17 to receive their first dose of the COVID-19 vaccine](#). On Thursday afternoon the province announced that children born in 2009 or earlier (12 and older) can register on the [B.C. COVID-19 Immunization website](#). The goal is to have students vaccinated by June 30, with second doses by Aug. 30.

To register, fill out your child's information at getvaccinated.gov.bc.ca, available 24/7 or call 1-833-838-2323 between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. any day of the week. You can also register in-person at any Service BC centre. After registering, you will receive a text, email or phone call when it is your turn to book a vaccine appointment. Don't expect to book an appointment the same day you register.

Once you have registered and have received your booking invitation, please do not delay booking an appointment. Bring your child's Care Card to their appointment. If your child does not have a personal health number, you can register by phone at 1-833-838-2323.

Booking invites will be sent to those who are older first, and most appointments will take place at the same immunization clinics used to vaccinate people in other age groups. Household and group vaccination options are also available. For more information, visit fraserhealth.ca/vaccine

Please see the attached letter from Fraser Health.

As always, on behalf of all our staff, I thank you for your continued partnership in learning and helping to keep our community safe while doing all we can to minimize the spread of Covid. Have a wonderful long weekend.

Sincerely,

Susan Yip
Principal