

IMPORTANT UPDATE REGARDING GRANDVIEW HEIGHTS SECONDARY

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Grandview Heights Secondary, a new state-of-the-art 1,500 student capacity secondary school in the Grandview Heights area of Surrey (16988 25th Ave.), is under construction and is scheduled to open in September 2021. We are excited to see the school coming to life and look forward to greeting our first students and families. Last spring, the School District sent a letter to all parents and guardians outlining the catchment boundaries for Grandview Heights Secondary. Details of the consultation can be accessed [here](#).

The purpose of this letter is to provide all future catchment Grandview Secondary families with an update on the construction progress of Grandview Heights Secondary.

We have included a link to a narrated [power point](#) that has designed to provide you with information regarding the construction progress, pictures and design of Grandview Heights, information on the transition plans and also includes a virtual introduction to the new principal, Mr. Bedard. In addition, families can follow the [construction progress](#) and [virtually tour](#) the new school.

Mr. Bedard continues to be busy behind the scenes and has created a [form](#) that will allow families to ask questions about the new school and transition plans. All questions will be hosted in a FAQ format on the district website [here](#). In addition he has created a social media presence and looks forward to connecting via these platforms. Follow updates on Grandview Heights at [Twitter: @Grandview36](#), [Instagram: grandview36](#) or check the new website, coming soon (June 2020) at <https://surreyschools.ca/schools/grandviewheights>.

As we move towards the school opening, there is an opportunity for new families of GHSS to join a joint parent/staff transition committee. The PAC will send you an email with an invitation looking for 1-2 volunteers for join in on this work. The transition committee will form an important part of the new school start up. In order to have these important conversations, Mr. Bedard will use Microsoft teams as the virtual platform to host these live meetings.

Again, if you have any questions regarding the new school or the transition plans, please let us know by using the link above to ask questions and we will get answers back to you as soon as we can.

Sincerely,



Lynda Reeve
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