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Ito ay importanteng impormasyon. Mangyaring isalin ito sa Tagalog.

Mon, Mar 28 th	School Opens after Spring Break	Tue, May 3 rd	Gr 7 Entrepreneur Show
Fri, Apr 15 th	Good Friday – School Closed	Fri, May 6 th	Pro D Day – Classes not in Session
Mon, Apr 18 th	Easter Monday – School Closed	Mon, May 16 th	PAC Meeting @ 7:00pm

Welcome Back!!! We hope everyone had a relaxing and restful spring break. It is so wonderful to be back to longer brighter days and to be greeted by spring blossoms in our neighbourhoods

Hopefully you had a chance to review the letter sent to parents from our new Superintendent, Mark Pearmain regarding the updates to our Covid Protocols for schools sent March 24. If not, we have attached it for your convenience.

We will continue to wash hands and/or sanitize as we enter the building and transition between classes. Masks are no longer required and it is up to each individual if they choose to wear a mask when at school. As everyone has different levels of comfort, we will continue to be respectful of personal choice of individuals whether to wear a mask or not.

Our daily health checks will continue to be an important avenue to keep everyone healthy so please do them daily with your child and **not** send them if they are unwell.

There are specific guidelines for families who travelled out of the country that apply to schools. In brief:

After your arrival

For 14 days following entry into Canada, you and any children who travelled with you must:

- properly wear a [well-constructed and well-fitting mask](#) when in public spaces, both indoors and outdoors
- maintain a list of all close contacts and locations you visit
- keep copies of your proof of vaccination

Some federal rules after entering Canada are different from the provincial or territorial rules. In this case, you must follow the stricter rules.

Monitor for [symptoms](#) for 14 days after your arrival.

If a fully vaccinated traveller or unvaccinated child under 12 years of age tests positive:

- [they must isolate for 10 days](#)
- report your test results and/or symptoms to PHAC by calling 1-833-641-0343

If a parent, step-parent, guardian, or tutor a child has travelled with experiences symptoms or tests positive:

- unvaccinated children under 12 years of age [must quarantine for 14 days and monitor for symptoms](#)
- report your test results and/or symptoms to PHAC by calling 1-833-641-0343

Thank you for all of your support. These last two years have been a journey for everyone. We look forward to another great term of learning with your child.

with care,
Ms. Grillys

2022-03-28

Newsletter #24

Surrey Food Bank

For the past couple years, students have been fundraising for the community. We were pleased to provide \$3,400 to the Surrey Food Bank as a result of the students efforts over the past couple years.

Family Smart Parent Support Information

We are a team of FamilySmart Parent Peer Support Workers for Surrey, Delta, and White Rock.

We would like to share information on our upcoming "In the Know" sessions that will be held virtually province wide. We are excited that Dr. Kristy Goodwin, a Digital Wellbeing & Productivity Researcher, Speaker, Author and Consultant recorded a video with our amazing colleague Victoria Keddis, which we will watch during the events. All of the information to register is found in the attached poster, alternatively a registration link has been provided below. As always, our events are **free** to attend. We would appreciate it if you could kindly share these events with families who may be interested and/or benefit from the events.

Virtual Event: A Conversation for Families About Digital Wellbeing and Mental Health

Registration: [FamilySmart - Monthly Events](#)

Dates: **April 4th at 6:30pm**

April 12th at 5:00pm

April 20th at 12:00pm

April 26th at 6:30pm

April 28th at 5:00pm

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at SurreyDeltaWhiteRock@familysmart.ca.



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March 24, 2022

Dear parents and guardians,

As I begin my new role as Superintendent for Surrey Schools, I wanted to take an opportunity to thank you for your continued commitment to the health and well being of our school communities over the course of this pandemic.

I know the past two years have not been easy for our students, and it's because of your collective efforts that we have reached an important milestone in this pandemic. As many of you may recall, just before the break on March 10th, the Provincial Health Officer (PHO) shared updated [COVID-19 guidance](#) for K-12 schools. A summary of key updates can be found [here](#).

The new guidance includes continued [daily health checks](#), staying home when sick and practicing hand hygiene and respiratory etiquette. The PHO also announced that masks will no longer be required for students, staff and visitors. The decision to wear a mask or face covering is a personal choice for everyone. This choice will be supported and treated with respect in all our schools. Disposable masks will continue to be available at our sites for those that wish to use them.

Please note that these changes will be in effect when classes resume this coming Monday, March 28.

We recognize that individuals may experience varying levels of comfort during this time of transition. As we have seen so many times over the past two years, the kindness and compassion of our school communities have made all the difference.

Thank you for your patience and continued support as we transition through these latest changes. We continue to work closely with public health to guide the safe operation of our schools, with the health and safety of our students and staff as our first priority.

I hope you enjoy these last few days of spring break, and we look forward to welcoming students and staff back to school on Monday.

Sincerely,

Mark Pearmain
Superintendent of Schools/CEO

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