# Week at a Glance

Monday 26	
Tuesday 27	<ul> <li>Blended classes meet face to face 12:30 – 2:30 pm</li> <li>Early Dismissal at 1:30 pm followed by Parent / Teacher Interviews (via Teams, Zoom or phone call)</li> <li>Deadline for picture orders into office. They can also be ordered online.</li> </ul>
Wednesday 28	
Thursday 29	Blended classes meet face to face 12:30 – 2:30 pm
Friday 30	

#### Announcements

#### Early Dismissal at 1:30 pm and Parent / Teacher Interviews this Tuesday

- Students will be dismissed at 1:30 pm this Tuesday (Oct. 27) with Parent / Teacher Interviews to follow in the afternoon. Information about how to book an interview as well as the format for the meeting (Teams / Zoom conference or phone call) was sent out to our newsletter list earlier this week and is also attached to this newsletter.
- Students in our Blended Program will not be dismissed early on Tuesday as parents have a regularly scheduled time to meet with teachers each Friday.
- Maddaugh students (Div. 33-40) will also be conducting Parent / Teacher Interviews on Tuesday and have sent information out about these meetings.

#### Halloween

- Halloween festivities will look different this year because of COVID-19. Students are
  encouraged to dress up on Friday (Oct. 30). A reminder that students should not bring replica
  weapons and their costumes should be appropriate for elementary school. We are looking at
  some options for students to show their costumes to other classes which we will share with
  students later this week.
- The BC Centre for Disease Control has put out some recommendations for a safe Halloween which can be found here.

#### Q & A about COVID-19

• Surrey Superintendent of Schools, Jordan Tinney, recently interviewed Dr. Ingrid Tyler from Fraser Health to discuss questions about COVID-19 and school safety. The interview is long (about 40 minutes) but contains some excellent information, including whether schools are safe places for children, COVID-19 notification letters, school exposure procedures / timelines, PPE and much more. Please click here to watch this interview.

## October 2020

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### **Daily Health Check**

A reminder that parents are asked to screen their children daily for the following symptoms as part of our school COVID-19 protocols:

- Fever
- Chills
- Cough or worsening of chronic cough
- Shortness of breath
- Loss of sense of smell or taste
- Diarrhea
- Nausea and vomiting

If your child is displaying any of the above please keep them at home. The ministry of Health also recommends seeking medical assessment if children are exhibiting a combination of symptoms.

"Don't judge each day by the harvest you reap, but by the seeds you plant."

~ Robert Louis Stevenson