

Newsletter #5 **January 5, 2022**

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Mission Statement

We are a community of learners where everyone learns with positive social, emotional and intellectual support.

Principal's and Vice Principal's Message

Welcome back and Happy New Year!

We hope that all of our students and families enjoyed a restful holiday and are excited to be back to school on Monday, January 10th. This New Year is a time for new opportunities, new adventures, and new beginnings.

Kindergarten registration opens Monday, January 10th, 2022. Registrations are accepted on-line at www.surreyschools.ca. All children born in 2017 are eligible to apply.

It is that time of year again where the weather is getting colder and we may even have more snow! Please help your child prepare to be outside at recess and lunch by wearing clothing and footwear for all types of weather. Only when weather is extreme, do students stay inside. It is really important for all students to have more than one mask, as they often become wet during recess, lunch and gym classes.

Students should continue to review the DAILY HEALTH CHECK each morning prior to coming to school. If students are not feeling well, they will need to stay at home. We ask that all parents, guardians, and visitors wear masks and maintain 2 meters distance from others while picking up and dropping off students. Unfortunately, we are not able to welcome visitors into the building at this time. Please call the office prior to entering the school. Thank you for your cooperation.

We wish you all a healthy and joyful 2022!

Ms. Anderson and Mr. MacLennan Sincerely,

January 2022

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9	10 Welcome Back Kindergarten Online Registration	11	PAC Meeeting 1:00pm on Teams	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 Early Dismissal 1:30pm	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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The next PAC Meeting is:

Wednesday, January 12th at 1:00pm on Microsoft Teams, please email beavercreek@surreyschools.ca for an invite. PAC meetings will not be in person at this time.





2021/22 Kindergarten Registration — Begins Monday, January 10, 2022

THE SURREY SCHOOL DISTRICT IS NOW USING A WEB-BASED ONLINE REGISTRATION FORM

Once submitted, the form and any supporting documents will be available to school staff and the Principal who will use their judgement to determine if documentation requirements have been satisfied.

The following documents are required to complete the registration process and may be uploaded to the registration portal or emailed to the catchment school or school-of-choice:

- 1. Proof of birth date for the student (birth certificate or passport).
- 2. Proof of guardianship (as shown on child's birth certificate, or other appropriate legal documentation such as landed immigrant document or guardianship order).
- 3. Proof of Citizenship for both the parent and student (Canadian Birth Certificate, Citizenship Card, Passport, Landed Immigrant Document, Permanent Resident Card, Enhanced Driver's License or Enhanced Identification Card).
- 4. Proof of residence (e.g., ordinarily resident) of parent/guardian in BC:
- a. Three pieces of identification showing the address of residence (purchase or rental agreement, utility bill, driver's license, etc.)
- b. One of the three pieces above must be government issued in order to complete the registration process (BC driver's license, BC Services Card, BCID or BC Care Card of parent/legal guardian).

Documents which are helpful, but not required:

• Health Documents (Care card, immunization records, medical condition information)

Updates for school closures and Surrey school district news

Staying up to date for school and district information is important, here are some ways to get valuable information.

Surrey Schools website: www.surreyschools.ca

Radio: CKNW (980AM), CBC (690AM) News 1130 (1130AM)

Download the School Link app to have notifications directly to your phone from the district and from Beaver Creek. Available to download for free from your App store for Apple or Android



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2022 KINDERGARTEN LOTTERY **PROGRAMS**

Virtual

INFORMATION MEETINGS FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS

All information meetings are program based and are open to all interested parents regardless of which school you will choose. In the case of multiple sessions, please choose the time/date most convenient for you in January 2022.





KINDERGARTEN LOTTERY

FRENCH IMMERSION

LARONDE: 1880 Laronde Drive MARTHA CURRIE: 5811 - 184 Street PACIFIC HEIGHTS: 17148 - 26 Avenue PEACE ARCH: 15877 Roper Avenue RIVERDALE: 14835 - 108A Avenue SIMON CUNNINGHAM: 9380 - 140 Street WOODWARD HILL: 6082 - 142 Street

604-536-1626 604-576-8551 604-531-2828 604-536-8711 604-588-5978 604-588-4435 604-594-2408



(VIRTUAL) INFORMATION MEETINGS:

Wednesday, January 5, 2022 at 7:00 pm



INTENSIVE FINE ARTS

DAVID BRANKIN: 9160 - 128 Street WHITE ROCK: 1273 Fir Street

(VIRTUAL) INFORMATION MEETINGS:

Thursday, January 13, 2022 at 6:30 pm

604-585-9547 604-531-5731

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DOUGLAS: 17325 - 2 Avenue 604-535-0180 LATIMER ROAD: 19233 - 60 Avenue 604-576-9184 MOUNTAINVIEW: 15225 - 98 Avenue 604-589-1193

(VIRTUAL) INFORMATION MEETING: Thursday, January 6, 2022 at 6:30 pm



TRADITIONAL

CLOVERDALE: 17857 - 56 Avenue 604-576-8295 MCLEOD ROAD: 6325-142 Street 604-595-1060 SURREY: 13875 - 113 Avenue 604-588-1248

(VIRTUAL) INFORMATION MEETING: Thursday, January 6, 2022 at 6:30 pm

For details on all virtual meetings please visit: https://www.surreyschools.ca/ programsandservices/choice/online-application/Pages/default.aspx



REGISTRATION

ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2022

- Parents can apply for up to three lottery
- There are no special fees and you do not need to live near the school to apply but transportation will be up to families.
- Please <u>click here</u> to see the Frequently Asked Questions page

HOW DO I APPLY?

 The lottery application will begin online Monday, January 24, 2022 at 8:00 am. Parents will have up until February 11, 2022 to apply, edit, and/or change their application.

WHAT IS THE TIMELINE?

Parents must register their child for their local catchment school before applying to the Kindergarten lottery.

- January 10: Regular Kindergarten registration opens for your local school
- January 24: Online lottery application opens
- February 9: Deadline to register at catchment school in order to apply online for lottery programs
- February 11: Online application closes
- February 22 to March 11: Radom lottery draw takes place

RESULTS/WAITLIST

During the weeks of February 22 - March 11:

 An email will be sent to all applicants announcing the lottery results. The email will indicate whether your child has received a space in one of your selected choices and outline the next steps to accept or decline. Applicants not offered a space are automatically placed on a waitlist.

NEED MORE INFO?

- Visit our website at: www.surreyschools.ca
- Contact a school directly
- Call 604-596-7733 Ask for Kindergarten registration for lottery programs



COLUMBIA	DAILY HEALTH CHECK			
KEY SYMPTOMS OF ILLNESS	WHAT TO DO			
Fever (above 38°C) Chills Cough Difficulty breathing Loss of sense of smell or taste	If yes to 1 or more of these symptoms: Stay home. Contact a health care provider or call 8-1-1 about your symptoms and next steps.			
OTHER SYMPTOMS	WHAT TO DO			
Sore throat Loss of appetite Headache Body aches Extreme fatigue or tiredness Nausea or vomiting Diarrhea	If yes to 1 symptom: Stay home until you feel better. If yes to 2 or more of these symptoms: Stay home for 24 hours. If symptoms don't get better or get worse, contact a health care provider or call 8-1-1 about your symptoms and next steps.			
INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL:	WHAT TO DO			
Have you returned from travel outside Canada in the last 14 days?	If yes: Fully vaccinated students, staff and other adults who have travelled outside of Canada may qualify for the <u>fully vaccinated traveller exemption</u> . Students, staff and other adults who are not <u>fully vaccinated</u> and have travelled outside of Canada CANNOT attend school for 14 days after arrival, as part of <u>federal requirements</u> .			
CLOSE CONTACT	WHAT TO DO			
Have you been notified by public health that you are a close contact of a person confirmed to have COVID-19?	If yes: Follow the instructions provided by Public Health.			

You can also check your symptoms with the K-12 Health Check or the BC Self-Assessment Tool.

Call 8-1-1 with any questions about symptoms of illness. If you have severe symptoms, like difficulty breathing (struggling to breathe or you can only speak single words) or chest pain, call 9-1-1 or go to the nearest Emergency Department.

Visit the BC Centre for Disease Control website for more information on COVID-19.