



École Salish Secondary



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Principal's Message

May 1st, 2020

A long time ago in a galaxy far away, school began in September of 2019. When we opened our doors the day after Labour Day, we could not predict how dramatically our lives would change and that schools would be closed after Spring Break. We are now entering the 9th month into the school year. We all know the terms social distancing, flattening the curve and self-isolation. We speak to our students through a digital device. We use Microsoft 365 to deliver live and recorded lessons. Assignments are posted and turned in online. School is certainly different.

In this new reality, it sounds a bit strange to say this week was hectic at our virtual school! Although the halls of the school remain empty, our students continue to connect with us through TEAMS and social media. We love hearing from our students! Your stories, questions and ideas keep us connected! Report cards will be issued on Tuesday, May 5 at 4pm. A letter was sent to parents today to explain the assessment process during these extraordinary times.

We still do not know what school will look like in the coming months. We are making plans to have student lockers cleared as well as finding a way to distribute yearbooks. We will celebrate our Graduating Class of 2020 and are currently looking at a variety of ways to honour our Grads. Look for further information to be published throughout the coming weeks.

Keep well.

Ms. Hammond, Mr. Mahli and Mr. Tait

STUDENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Lauren Billing made this headboard last semester in Ms. Robinson's woodwork class. She did a beautiful white-washed finish on it and attached it to a bed she bought and now it's all set up in her room and looks amazing. Here are the pictures, one is of it unfinished and the other two are it completed. Love that she's wearing her Grad wear.



YOUTH WEEK INSPIRES NEW ONLINE YOUTH HUB

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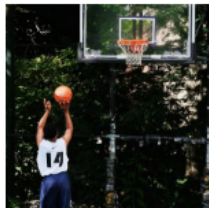


Celebrating Youth in Surrey

BC Youth Week Inspires New Online Youth Hub

Every year, BC Youth Week (May 1 to 7) celebrates young people with a week of fun-filled interaction and celebration intended to build a strong connection between youth and their communities. With a continued effort to maintain the practice of physical distancing, find out how this year the annual celebration inspired City of Surrey's new Online Youth Hub.

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Virtual Basketball Competition

May 7 | 7pm

Do you miss shooting hoops with your friends? Tune into this virtual basketball competition with Recreation Surrey staff, player Mannie Deo, Surrey firefighter Jess Franz, and Jessy Johal from Safer Schools Together to learn ways to get better at home and challenge your friends virtually. Let's see what you've got!

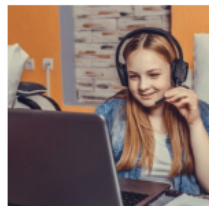
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Mug Cakes with Youth Events Squad

May 14 | 7pm

Grab a mug, put on your creative hat and get ready to explore microwave baking with the Youth Events Squad (YES). Follow YES members through a step-by-step tutorial to make your own delicious mug cake.

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Need to Chat?

Visit YouthInBC.com

There have been a lot of changes in our normal routines over the last while and some people may be feeling additional stress or dealing with other issues. If you are feeling overwhelmed and need to chat or are in need of crisis support, visit YouthInBC to access their online chat service or 24-hour crisis line.

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Self-Care with Youth Helping Youth

May 21 | 7pm

Connect with others to talk about how you are feeling and what has changed with physical distancing. Explore different ways to practise self-care at home and share activity ideas and personal tips and tricks that are working for you.

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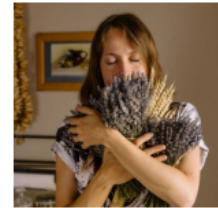


DIY with Surrey Leadership Youth Council

May 28 | 7pm

Ever wondered how to make your own reusable snack bag, braid a plant hanger, or build a bird feeder? The Surrey Leadership Youth Council will lead this live workshop tutorial on how to make environmentally conscious items.

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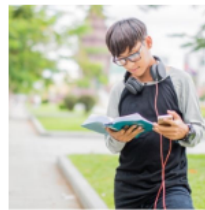


Surrey Libraries Virtual Resources

Get Started with Your Online Library

Use online entertainment and learning resources from home with your library card. Stream movies, TV, music as well as download eBooks and eAudiobooks. We also have a great collection of newspapers and magazines you can read online and online learning options. Don't have a Surrey library card yet? Sign up for a library card from home.

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Stay Active at Home

Participate in Free Online Fitness Classes

Recreation Surrey is pleased to offer new online fitness classes to keep your body moving while you spend time at home. Enjoy yoga, meditation, boot camp, body sculpt, hi-lo dance exercise and more. All videos require minimal to no fitness equipment and are suited for all ages. Take the online ParQ+ fitness assessment before starting, drink lots of water and modify the workout if needed.

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Report cards will be published in MyEd at 4pm
on Tuesday, May 5th, 2020.

PARENT CORNER

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Check out our webpage, app and social media feeds regularly for information on what's happening at our school.

Website [École Salish Secondary](#) (For general school and district information, alerts and news announcements)

App [Wolves E-genda](#) (Student calendar and daily schedule information. Parents can load and create their own account. Click [here](#) for instructions. You can load the app for devices or the web app for your computer.)

Social Media sites are a mix of information from the website and app, without a calendar. They are mainly used as a news blast for students and parents.

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