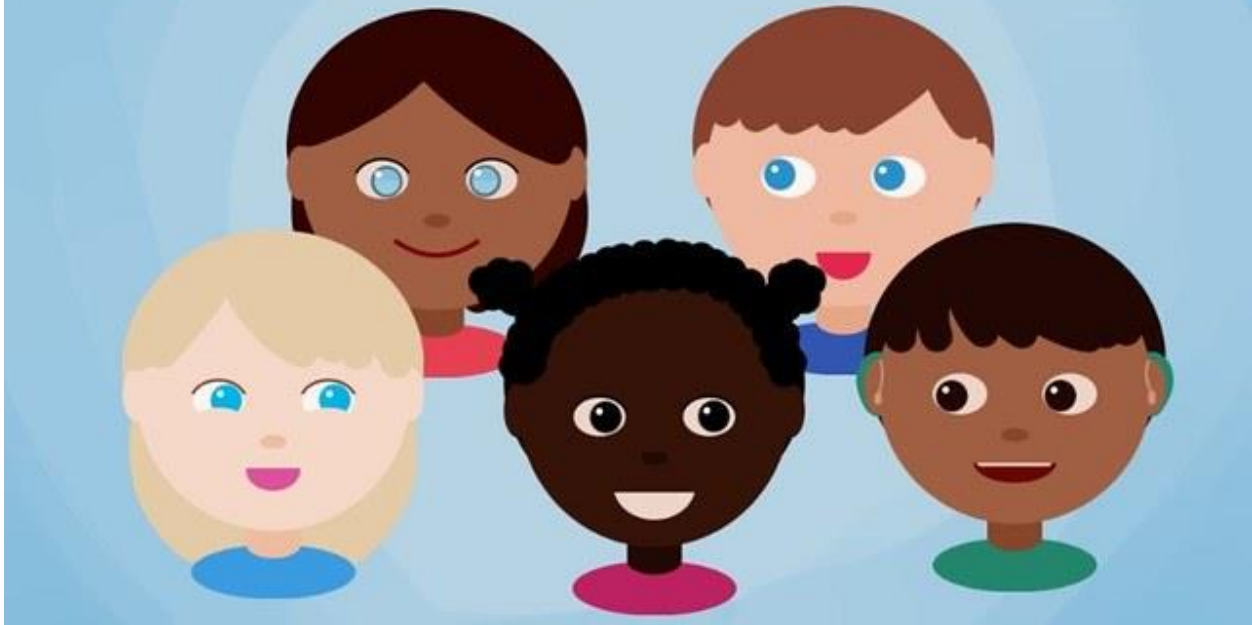


# Be Yourself



## Panorama Park Elementary

March 6 to 10, 2023

### Monday, March 6, 2023

- Reading Link Challenge (In-Library Challenge)
- Field Trip - Divisions 10 & 11 Bowling

### Tuesday, March 7, 2023

- Lock Down Drill

### Wednesday, March 8, 2023

- Intra-mural sports at lunch - Grade 4 Red & Yellow Teams
- Field Trip - Divisions 16 & 18 Bowling

### Thursday, March 9, 2023

- Intra-mural sports at lunch - Grade 4 Blue & Green Teams
- Parent/Teacher Conferences

- Early Dismissal at 1:30 pm

### Friday, March 10, 2023

- Last Day of School prior to Spring Break
- Field Trip - Divisions 17 & 19 Bowling
- Hot Lunch

## Parent Teacher Conferences



Thursday, March 9, 2023 is an early dismissal day (1:30 pm) and our parent/student/teacher conferences. Please call the school to book an appointment. The phone number is 604 596 -0963.

Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences are one way for parents to participate in their child's education. This is an important opportunity to find out about your child's progress.

Parents and guardians are encouraged to contact teachers throughout the year to have conversations about their child's progress or to arrange for parent teacher meetings.

## 2023 Student Learning Survey

The Student Learning Survey (SLS) has been administered every year in BC public schools since 2001. Prior to 2016-17 it was known as the Student Satisfaction Survey. It is the only source of province-wide information of children's learning experiences. The information is very helpful for others like the Ministry of Health, who use it to improve health services for children across BC. Your participation is an important contribution to improving the educational experiences of children.

This survey is voluntary and your response is encouraged, not required. **Please do not include any third-party information (e.g. talk about other specific people) survey or any personal information about yourself.** If any personal or identifying information about yourself or others is included it will be deleted

before results are processed and stored. Data will be stored in Canada and accessible only within Canada.

#### Parent Surveys:

- Parents may access the survey by the Direct Access from the website listed below.
- Surveys are to be completed by parents with children in Grades 4, 7, 10, and 12.
- A parent may complete a survey for each child in the targeted grades.
- The parent survey is available in English, French and 16 other languages.
- Parents can complete surveys on their own time.

The [2022/2023 Student Learning Survey](#) (SLS) for students in Grades 4, 7, 10, and 12, as well as parents, staff, and principals/vice-principals opened on January 3, 2023. The survey will remain open until April 28, 2023.

## Protect Yourself And Others This Cold And Flu Season!



Nobody likes being sick, and with cold and flu season upon us, it's up to all of us to help prevent the spread of communicable disease in our school communities. [B.C.'s Communicable Disease Guidelines for K-12 Settings](#) remain important to the ongoing protection from and prevention of respiratory illness, including colds and flus. The health and safety of our classrooms is a team effort – students, staff and visitors are urged to stay home if they are not feeling well or are experiencing symptoms, including fever and/or chills, recent onset of coughing or diarrhea:

- For uncontrolled fever: stay home until you do not have a fever and feel well enough to return to your regular activities.
- For undiagnosed vomiting and diarrhea: stay home until there has been 24 hours since your last episode.

In addition to staying home when you're sick, there are a few other ways you can keep yourself from getting sick and from spreading illness to others:

- Wash your hands regularly: Practise frequent hand hygiene to prevent the spread of germs and respiratory illness.

- Cover your mouth when you cough or sneeze. Cough and sneeze into your elbow instead of your hands.
- Get your recommended vaccinations. [Flu shots](#) are free to everyone in B.C. six months and older, and are available as a shot or a nasal spray. BC residents 6 months and older are also encouraged to get their [COVID vaccinations](#).

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. Staff, students or visitors may attend school if their symptoms are consistent with a previously diagnosed health condition such as seasonal allergies, or if their symptoms have improved to where they feel well enough to return to regular activities, and any fever has resolved without the use of fever-reducing medication (i.e. acetaminophen, ibuprofen). If a staff member, student or visitor develops symptoms of illness while at school and is unable to participate in regular activities, they should go home until their symptoms have improved. If you are unsure or concerned about your symptoms, please connect with your health care provider or call 8-1-1. For more information, check the [Provincial Communicable Disease Guidelines for K-12 Settings](#). Thank you for continuing to keep our schools and workplaces healthy!



## Important Calendar Dates for 2022 – 2023

Thursday, March 9	Parent/Teacher Conferences
	Early Dismissal at 1:30 pm
Friday, March 10	Last Day of School prior to Spring Break
<b>March 13 to March 24</b>	<b>Spring Break Holidays/School Closure Days</b>
Monday, March 27	Back to School
Friday, April 7	Good Friday (no school)
Monday, April 10	Easter Monday Holiday (no school)
Friday, May 5	Non-Instructional Day

Thursday, May 4	Interim #2 or Student Led
Monday, May 22	Victoria Day (no school)
Monday, May 29	Non-Instructional Day
Thursday, June 29	Last Day of School
	Term #3 Reports Go Home
	Early Dismissal at 1:30 pm
Friday, June 30	Administrative Day /School Closed

## Useful Links

Click on the links below to be taken to these websites:

- [Surrey School District Website](#)
- [BC Curriculum Overview](#)
- [CASEL](#) (Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning)
- Social Emotional Learning Resources: [Second Step](#), [MindUP](#), [EASE](#)