



BAYRIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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PINK SHIRT DAY

This year, Pink Shirt Day is on Wednesday February 24. All students are encouraged to wear pink to symbolize that they do not tolerate bullying. This year's Pink Shirt Day theme is "Lift Each Other Up." This day is a great reminder for all of us to make the world a kinder and more positive place---all year long. As always, our school will be promoting ways to show kindness, positivity and various ways to "Lift Each Other Up." This year, students will be learning about and discussing this very important message with their classes.

EARLY DISMISSAL

Please note, there will be an early dismissal on Thursday Feb. 25th, at 1:35pm. Please make plans to ensure your child(ren) are picked up at this time. Students will be dismissed early for staff to have time for the purpose of assessment, evaluation and/or program planning as per district policy. This dismissal is not meant for parent/teacher conference purposes. However, as always, should you need to meet with your child's teacher, please set up an alternate time with them to have a meeting.

FOOD DRIVE

During the week of March 1 – 5, Bayridge will be once again holding a Food Drive for the Sources Food Bank in South Surrey/White Rock. Students are encouraged to bring in non-perishable food items to donate. A box will be placed in each class for the collection of these items. We thank you for your generosity in helping those in need at all times of the year. If you would prefer to make a cash donation, please visit their website at www.sourcesbc.ca

COMING UP...

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| March 1 – 5: | Food Drive |
| March 11: | <u>Spirit Day</u> : "Tacky Tourist Day" |
| March 11: | Term 2 Reports/Freshgrade Cover Letters Go Home |
| March 12: | LAST DAY OF SCHOOL BEFORE SPRING BREAK |
| March 15 – 26: | Spring Break/School Closure |
| March 29: | School Re-Opens |