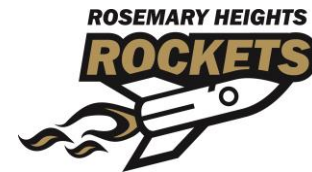


# Community News Flash #19

January 21, 2022



**PLEASE REMEMBER TO  
COMPLETE THE ATTACHED DAILY HEALTH CHECK  
BEFORE SENDING YOUR CHILD(REN) TO SCHOOL EACH DAY.**

## *Important Dates*

Thursday, January 27<sup>th</sup>

- Subway Hot Lunch

Friday, January 28<sup>th</sup>

- Deadline for Lunar New Year Coloring Contest

## [SURREY SCHOOLS](#) > [COVID-19](#) > **HEALTH & SAFETY**

Our priority during this unique time in B.C. and across the globe is the health and safety of our students, staff and community. We work closely with local health authorities, the Ministry of Health and the Ministry of Education, and take direction provided by the Provincial Health Officer as we work to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

We operate our schools following the BC Centre for Disease Control's COVID-19 Public Health Guidance for K-12 School Settings.

Useful links:

- [What to do if you have a COVID-19](#)
- [Self Isolation and Self-Monitoring](#)
- [Instructions for Close Contacts \(BCCDC\)](#)

<https://www.surreyschools.ca/covid19/healthsafety/Pages/default.aspx>

## ***What are the key changes?***

The amount of time you need to self-isolate depends on your vaccination status and age:

- Those who are fully vaccinated, regardless of age are being told to isolate for five days
- Unvaccinated adults are told to isolate for 10 days, kids under 18 only for five days





**Rosemary Heights Drawing Contest:  
Year of the Tiger**

People who are born in the Year of the Tiger (2010, 1998, 1986, 1974, 1962...) are known to be strong-willed, confident, trustworthy and frank. Draw an image of a tiger you like. Four winners will be chosen - one per grade pair K/1, 2/3, 4/5 and 6/7. Your drawing will also be featured in the school newsletter! 1 entry per student, to be handed to Mrs. Leslie in the library, or emailed to the office ([rosemaryheights@surreyschools.ca](mailto:rosemaryheights@surreyschools.ca)).  
Deadline: Friday, January 28. Good luck and have fun!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Div: \_\_\_\_\_



The Surrey School district invites applications for the following position:

## **SUPERVISION AIDES**

This is an ideal part-time opportunity for retirees, post-secondary students studying from home and adults who relate well to children and youth. You will work one hour per day providing lunch supervision to elementary and secondary students. The hourly rate is \$22.21 per hour, and preference will be given to those available Monday to Friday.

Apply online at [www.surreyschools.ca/careers](http://www.surreyschools.ca/careers)

Questions? Contact Heidi Haywood, Human Resources **604-595-6145**

Note: Successful applicants will be required to consent to a Criminal Record Search prior to employment. Only those persons selected for interviews will be contacted. To all others, thank you for your interest.



## **Student Absences**

If your child is going to be away from school or late to school please email the office at [rosemaryheights@surreyschools.ca](mailto:rosemaryheights@surreyschools.ca) and include the following information:

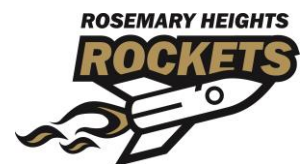
- First and Last Name
- Teacher
- Division
- Reason for Absence

*If you choose to email your child's teacher, you will still need to notify the office of your child's absence, or the office will need to call to confirm absence.*

## **Rosemary Rockets App**

Keep up to date with our school calendar by downloading our Rosemary Rockets app from the app store or google play.

<https://rosemary.appazur.com/#/>





# DAILY HEALTH CHECK

KEY SYMPTOMS OF ILLNESS	WHAT TO DO
Fever (above 38°C)	<b>If yes to 1 or more of these symptoms:</b> Stay home and get a health assessment.  Contact a health care provider or 8-1-1 about your symptoms and next steps.
Chills	
Cough	
Difficulty breathing	
Loss of sense of smell or taste	
OTHER SYMPTOMS	WHAT TO DO
Sore throat	<b>If yes to 1 symptom:</b> Stay home until you feel better.
Loss of appetite	
Headache	<b>If yes to 2 or more of these symptoms:</b> Stay home for 24 hours.
Body aches	
Extreme fatigue or tiredness	
Nausea and vomiting	If symptoms don't get better or get worse, get a health assessment; contact a health care provider or 8-1-1 about your symptoms and next steps.
Diarrhea	
INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL:	WHAT TO DO
Have you returned from travel outside Canada in the last 14 days?	<b>If yes:</b> All students and staff who have travelled outside of Canada are required to <a href="#">self-quarantine</a> for 14 days after arrival under both provincial and federal orders.  This includes students who are attending school from abroad. Students from outside of Canada should plan to arrive in Canada at least two weeks before they are scheduled to attend school to adhere to the selfquarantine orders. Additional information is available <a href="#">here</a> .
CLOSE CONTACT	WHAT TO DO
Have you been contacted by public health and notified that you are a close contact of a person confirmed to have COVID-19?	<b>If yes:</b> Please follow the instructions provided by Public Health.  You can call 8-1-1 anytime to get advice about how you are feeling and what to do next. Pay attention to how you are feeling. If it becomes harder to breathe, you can't drink anything or feel much worse, seek urgent medical care at an urgent care clinic or emergency department.

Check your symptoms with the [K-12 Health Check](#). If you have any questions, or the symptoms get worse, contact your healthcare provider, or call 8-1-1. For more information on COVID-19, please go to [www.bccdc.ca](http://www.bccdc.ca). If you develop severe symptoms, such as difficulty breathing (e.g. struggling to breathe or speaking in single words) or chest pain, call 9-1-1 or go to the nearest Emergency Department.

Please check BCCDC's [Symptoms of COVID-19](#) regularly to ensure the list is up to date.