



WILLIAM WATSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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- **First Day Schedule: Tuesday, September 7th**
- **Grade 1-7 students in attendance from 10:00-11:00am**
- **Students will line up in Grade groups on the gravel field.**
- **We have had many new students register in the Fleetwood area. We are doing our very best to accommodate all William Watson Elementary students. We are working with the District and surrounding schools to ensure all students have a placement for September. We appreciate your patience as we work through our enrollment during the first couple weeks of school.**

We are very excited to welcome back all our students for face to face instruction! Health and Safety will continue to be a priority in all we do but it will be wonderful to have the opportunity to have our students connect with each other in a more natural way.

While students will no longer be in a cohort, we will continue our hand washing procedures (a lot of it) and will be limiting outside visitors to the building. All visitors must wear a mask prior to entering the building. In order to continue to keep our students and staff safe the following procedures are still in place:

- **Masks:** It is mandatory for all adults and students in grades 4-7 to wear masks in all indoor areas including the classroom. It is recommended all primary students wear a mask indoors.
- **Daily Health Check and Illness:** [Daily Health Check - English.pdf \(surreyschools.ca\)](#)
- All parents must complete a daily health check with their child. If your child is unwell they must stay at home.
- **Visitors:** Where possible, we are encouraging virtual or telephone meetings. We are limiting outside visitors. Visitors all are encouraged to call and make an appointment prior to their arrival. All visitors will be required to:
 - enter through the front door
 - wear a mask
 - sign in and provide contact information
 - wear a visitor badge provided by the office
 - sanitize hands before proceeding
 - sign out and exit from front doors of the school
- **Lunches and supplies:** Students will continue to need to bring everything they need to school with them. **We will not accept student supplies, band instruments, water bottles (fountains are available along with disposable cups) or lunches dropped off at the door. If students forget their lunch we can provide them with food to get them through the day.**

Sincerely,
Anne Smith

Principal