

FLEETWOOD PARK SECONDARY SCHOOL

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THURSDAY REVIEW



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Quotation Of The Week

Teachers can open the
door, but you must
enter it yourself.

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The Week Ahead

Monday, June 08, 2020	
Tuesday, June 09, 2020	Grad Gown Pickup
Wednesday, June 10, 2020	Commencement Ceremonies
Thursday, June 11, 2020	Commencement Ceremonies
Friday, June 12, 2020	Commencement Ceremonies

Upcoming Events

Continuity of Education “at a distance” for all Fleetwood Park students and staff. Optional, part-time in-class learning for students who pre-register for scheduled sessions.

All students are encouraged to stay in touch with your teachers, and please let us know if you have any questions. We will do everything that we can to ensure that you feel supported and connected to your classes and school. Take care, stay safe everyone!

Locker Clear-out – June 15-19th

Last Day of classes – June 19th

Semester Completion Days – June 22nd – 25th

Report Cards available on MyEdBC – June 26th

Last Day of School Year for staff – June 26th



FYI

Please see Fleetwood Park's optional return to in-class learning "Stage 3" schedule. Students are required to pre-schedule their attendance for a session directly through their teachers.

There will be a maximum attendance of 20% of enrollment in the building at a time. There will also be maximum class enrollment of 5 students/session.

Please note that online/remote learning "at a distance" will continue for all students.

Fleetwood Park Secondary – June 2020 Return to In-Class Learning

Grade 8-9, Mixed Jr/Sr

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30 – 9:45	A Session 1	B Session 1	Deep clean; no face-to-face (All Metro)	C Session 1	D Session 1
10:00 – 11:15	A Session 2	B Session 2		C Session 2	D Session 2
12:00 – 1:15	A Session 3	B Session 3		C Session 3	D Session 3
1:30 – 2:45	A Session 4	B Session 4		C Session 4	D Session 4

Grade 10-12

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:40 – 9:55	A Session 1	B Session 1	Deep clean; no face-to-face (All Metro)	C Session 1	D Session 1
10:10 – 11:25	A Session 2	B Session 2		C Session 2	D Session 2
12:10 – 1:25	A Session 3	B Session 3		C Session 3	D Session 3
1:40 – 2:55	A Session 4	B Session 4		C Session 4	D Session 4

Rationale:

- students have access to each class once a week
- students attend one class each day, keeping them out of hallways moving from class to class
- increased time between classes to facilitate hallway management and regular cleaning
- students can select times that accommodate family needs (e.g. drop off and pick up of elementary school-aged siblings)
- students will only be permitted in the building during their scheduled session time
- staggered start/end times will help reduce congestion in the hallways



FYI

Join us for a live virtual parent information event

[Surrey Schools](https://www.surreyschools.ca) is holding a virtual parent information event on Monday, June 8, at 6 p.m. Superintendent Jordan Tinney will cover important topics including our plans for the remainder of the school year, what we've learned and what you can anticipate for the fall. He will also address parent questions and concerns. If you have a question that you would like answered, please email comm-office@surreyschools.ca by end of day Sunday, June 7.

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June 8 at 6pm!

Check [surreyschools.ca](https://www.surreyschools.ca) for the
event link

Email your questions to
comm-office@surreyschools.ca





In The News

As we approach June 1st and a return to optional face-to-face instruction in our schools, please see this [video message](#) for parents, students and staff from Surrey Schools Superintendent Jordan Tinney.

"It is your choice to send your child to school next week. Whether you remain at home or whether you come in, we will be here for you," says Tinney. "In schools, it will not be perfect on day 1. We have never done this before, and this is our first opportunity to see how many children arrive and just how we will structure what is a new chapter for us.

"We may have some bumps, we may need to find our way a little bit, but the bottom line is that our schools are full of caring adults and we have missed our students. No matter what, coming in and connecting again will remind us of why schools are so important and seeing students back in schools will be a nice reset for us to start to feel a little more like normal again and to come to understand new routines as we head toward the fall."

The full video, as well as written transcripts of the superintendent's message in English, Punjabi and Chinese, are available at <https://www.surreyschools.ca/covid19>, where you can also find other helpful information and resources.

[Surrey teacher's Zumbathon moves to Zoom app, in fundraiser for BC Cancer Foundation](#)

Surrey Now-Leader

June 1, 2020

Fleetwood Park Secondary teacher Elaine Chong's annual Zumbathon is going online for 2020.

Kudos

Attention FPSS 2020 Grads!!!

The Dry Grad Committee of FPSS Grad class of 2020, would like to say "Thank You" to Surrey Honda who has graciously donated a car to be drawn for one grad who attends commencement next week.

The Dry Grad Committee will also be drawing names of grads who attend commencement for prizes that have been donated by local businesses in our Fleetwood community.

We wish you all luck and look forward to presenting you these gifts!

Fleetwood Park Dry Grad Committee



Counsellor's Corner

This week I would like to highlight Foundry BC located at foundrybc.ca.

They offer virtual drop-in counselling sessions by voice, video, and chat to young people aged 12-24 - and also to their caregivers.



Ms. Porter, Counsellor

Fleetwood Park Secondary School

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Health and Safety



1. STAY HOME WHEN SICK

All children and staff with common cold, influenza, COVID-19, or other respiratory diseases must stay home and self-isolate.



2. HAND HYGIENE

Everyone should wash their hands more often!

Thorough hand washing with plain soap and water for at least 20 seconds is the most effective way to reduce the spread of illness.



3. RESPIRATORY AND PERSONAL HYGIENE

Cover your coughs.

Do not touch your face.

No sharing of food, drinks, or personal items.



4. PHYSICAL DISTANCING AND MINIMIZING PHYSICAL CONTACT

Spread children out to different areas.

Take them outside more often.

Stagger lunch times. Incorporate individual activities.

Remind children, "Hands to Yourself!"



5. CLEANING AND DISINFECTION

Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces at least twice a day.

General cleaning of the centre should occur at least once a day.

Use common cleaning and disinfectant products.



"This Week at Fleetwood Park" – Principal's Message: June 1st – 5th

Welcome to June Dragons!



This month always moves very quickly; and during this time of intense change, it will pass by even faster. This week we moved into the Province's "Stage 3" of optional, gradual, part-time in-class learning, with the continuation of online/remote learning for all students. It has been a very important week for all of us as the school has transitioned to this "new normal". It has also been a time of high anxiety as all members of our community were considering this new learning structure. I would like to take a moment to reassure all of our students and parents that in Stage 3 students have the option of attending school for the equivalent of one day/week, and/or staying at home to continue learning at a distance. There is no pressure for attendance of in-class learning sessions and no penalty for students who opt to stay at home. This is a decision that needs to be made based upon the unique circumstances of each student/family. Our school will continue to support Fleetwood Park students throughout the month of June to engage them in their learning and to find ways to allow them to succeed.

This week, with Stage 3, the school looked and felt very different than previous times. A small number of students pre-registered for in-class learning sessions. Classroom enrollment was low, students were separated, hallways were clear, common spaces closed, and enhanced cleaning protocols in place. In addition, the school is closed to parents/visitors, student and staff health self-assessments occur daily, hand cleaning is occurring at the beginning and end of each session, and the cancellation/restructuring of events larger than 50 people continue. We are proceeding with vigilance and with an abundance of caution as we slowly and gradually open our school systems.

However, all that said, it was wonderful to see staff and students in the building again this week! Over the past two months the in-school staff has primarily been principal, clerk and custodian. We were very intentional in minimizing access and contact within the school. It was a long and very strange period of time for us... and we are so glad to be able to carefully share our beautiful Fleetwood Park Secondary school building again! ☺



This week our Scholarship committee has been busy working behind the scenes in preparation for our upcoming Commencement Ceremonies. I'd like to recognize the great work of Mr. Johnson and the entire committee for your thoughtful and important work. We look forward to recognizing our graduates for their achievements next week.



This week the Administration team has been busy with staffing for several positions for next school year, and with the finalization of next year's timetable. These processes require considerable time and effort in order to ensure we are ready for the 2020-21 school year. Great thanks to all staff who have assisted us along the way.

As mentioned, Commencement planning continues as we get ready for Grad Gown pick-up on June 9th, and then 3 days of Commencement Ceremonies on June 10th, 11th, 12th. We encourage all graduates to join us. Please note that graduates will need to pre-register for a particular time-slot. Again, the ceremonies will be tightly regulated with a maximum capacity of 50 people. There will be no opportunity for "drop-in" participants. If you have not already responded to our survey, registered for a ceremony, paid your Commencement Fees, and indicated your Grad Gown size, time is quickly running out. This needs to be completed by tomorrow, Friday, June 5th. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

At this time of year, we are also thinking about the re-envisioning of several year-end activities. Locker clean out will be occurring in two ways. 1) Students who are registered for in-class sessions are encouraged to empty your lockers while you are in the school and while you have this opportunity directly before/after your session over the next 3 weeks. Please note that the 2m physical distancing requirement will be in place. 2) We will be organizing a school-wide locker clean-out over the week of June 15-19th. We will schedule one grade/day to visit the school at pre-registered times for students to visit the school to pick up their locker items. Please stay tuned for further details and the scheduled sign-up. Again, this will be highly regulated with pre-scheduled appointments and limited numbers of students at the school at any point in time.

Our teachers will be preparing year-end report cards for all of our students. The unique circumstances of students, prioritized learning outcomes and learning expectations for success in future courses, and direction from the Ministry of Education and School District regarding final evaluation will all need to be carefully considered by our professional staff. Report cards will be published on our MyEdBC portal on June 26th. All students are reminded that during this final month of the semester, it is now the time to renew your engagement in your courses. Reach out to your teachers, seek assistance, ask questions, complete assignments, submit projects... now is the time for your best learning efforts.

For those students and staff who joined us at school this week; it was great to see you again! For all students who are continuing to work from afar... keep up your hard work, and finish strong.

All the best for a great Friday and happy weekend.

Ken





Mission Statement:

"At Fleetwood Park Secondary we value excellence in education and strive to provide a learning environment where all students are encouraged to build successful futures."

