

FLEETWOOD PARK SECONDARY SCHOOL

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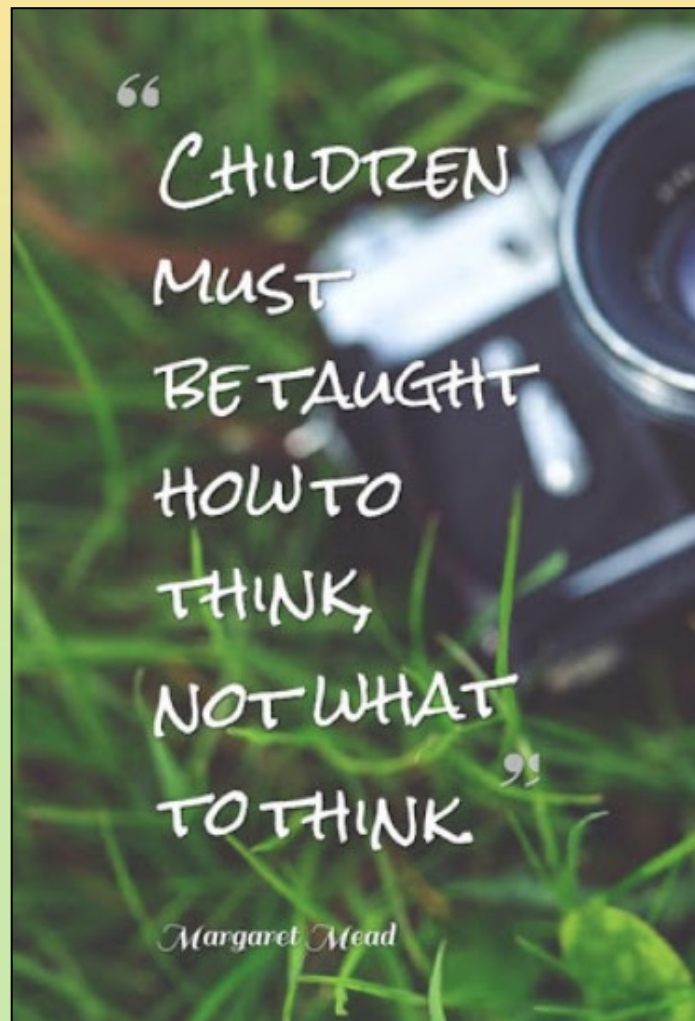


THURSDAY REVIEW



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Quotation Of The Week





The Week Ahead

Monday , October 19, 2020	PAC funding applications due Aboriginal Support Team Meeting: 11:30am Dept Head Mtg: 3:15pm, TEAMS
Tuesday , October 20, 2020	Photo Retake Day
Wednesday , October 21, 2020	
Thursday , October 22, 2020	
Friday , October 23, 2020	Non-Instructional Day – Classes not in session



October 20th: Photo Retake Day

October 23rd: Non-Instructional Day

October 26th: PAC Meeting, 7:00pm

November 6th: Non-Instructional Day

November 11th: Remembrance Day, Statutory Holiday

November 16th: Quarter 2 begins

November 18th – 27th: Grad Photos

November 30th: Parent Advisory Council Meeting, 7:00pm

FYI**Quarter System Timeline:**

Q1 (Sept. 14 – Nov. 13)	Q2 (Nov. 16 – Jan. 29)	Q3 (Feb. 1 – Apr. 16)	Q4 (Apr. 19 – June 24)
Block A	Block C	Block A	Block C
Block B	Block D	Block B	Block D

2-Way Video Communication Parent Consent Form: DEADLINE EXTENDED

Parents/Guardians are reminded to please complete the Parent consent form for 2-way video conferencing. Due: Friday, October 30th. Thank you.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=z-m0CBOBDUK6B1L31N-KzTYgp-LYYNZFoAoQCIZ-105UNjQ0TVU0SDFPSPDRQSUJUUDJaTFVQQloyTy4u>

Please note: 2-way video instructional support functionality in TEAMS will be deactivated for students who have not submitted this permission form.

If you would like your child to continue to receive video instructional support, please submit this parental consent form.

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: October 12th – 16th

Good morning Fleetwood Park Secondary,

I hope everyone enjoyed a restful Thanksgiving Day long weekend and returned to school this week with renewed purpose and energy. We have been enjoying an active week with the staging of our revised and cohorted Grade 8 Welcome Project. It has been wonderful to see our newest Dragons getting to know the school and staff and becoming familiar with our community. Special thanks to Mr. Thibault and Ms. Forsythe and your Leadership students for all of your work and leadership in hosting this important orientation/welcome. I have been very impressed with the organization and flexibility of the activities as you have adjusted to COVID-19 guidelines and weather surprises! Well done Dragons... and a special shout-out to our Grade 8 students and the future graduating class of 2025... Welcome to the family!





On Tuesday, in addition to the kick-off our Grade 8 activities this week, I met with our Staff committee to discuss the allocation of students to our new Portable and the resumption of access to our Staffroom. As our staff can appreciate, this has been a complex conversation. Thank you to all staff for your input during this unusual room allocation challenge... and thank you to our Staff Committee for your sensitive work in this regard.

On Wednesday I had the opportunity to visit Mr. King's Social Studies class and observed part of their Mock Trial. The students were acting as prosecutors, defendants and witnesses, with Mr. King playing the role of judge – and in costume. Again, I was so impressed with the preparation and poise of our students as they tackled the analysis of "Atrocities of War". This will be a learning activity that our students will always remember, and it will shape their opinions of world history. Important work!



Thursday morning was our regularly scheduled Health and Safety Committee meeting with numerous updates related to our COVID-19 guidelines and our regular H&S protocols. Thank you to all committee members for your participation and important work.

In regards to COVID-19, our “new normal”, and life at Fleetwood Park, we are now into our 5th week of classes under these latest school and health structures and guidelines. As we all know, our day-to-day school operations look and feel very different this year. All of us have worked very hard to adjust to a new timetable, a new quarter system, extended length of classes and accelerated pacing, working in cohorts, a new online blended learning system, scheduling of small group tutorials, a new bell schedule, leaving the school at lunch, wearing masks throughout the day, washing our hands repeatedly throughout the day, fogging of classrooms and enhanced cleaning of the school, regulation of stairway and hallway traffic, strict limitations of athletics and extracurricular activities, virtual meetings, daily health checks and staying home when we are sick, cancellations of assemblies and large group meetings, maintaining 2 metres of physical distancing whenever possible and much more!

This has been a lot.... It has required great resilience and flexibility from all students and staff. We have had to be creative and look for new ways of doing things, and we have needed to take care of our physical and mental health and support each other with kindness and compassion. The last 6 months has been such an unprecedented time for our school, our community and our world. Thank you to our entire Dragon community for your efforts in keeping Fleetwood Park healthy and safe. Everyone is also reminded that now is not the time for complacency. Please continue to wear your masks, maintain physical distancing, follow hand and respiratory hygiene practices and proceed with care and caution as you make your way through the school day. Together, we will move forward, and together, we will create a safe community for each other.

This morning we held our first evacuation drills of the year. First up was our participation in the “Great British Columbia Shake-Out” Earthquake Drill. This was a great opportunity to practice our “take cover and hold” protocols within our classroom cohorts. Next, and scheduled in numerous sessions by grade throughout the morning, in order to maintain cohort physical distancing, we practiced a Fire Drill evacuation(s). Again, although this looked and felt different than previous evacuation drills, it was an important learning process for our school. Thank you to our Health and Safety Committee for your coordination of both events.



Over the past weeks, our BASES students have been having fun recognizing the season celebrating holiday events and enjoying new learning! The inclusivity and warmth of our school community is very special.





I hope your week went well! Have a happy Friday and an enjoyable, safe and restful weekend. See you on Monday for another week of learning and school pride! 😊

Ken

Fleetwood Park Secondary Bell Schedule, 2020- 2021

Grade 8-9

8:30 – 10:00	Block A	90 min	
10:00 – 10:10	Nutrition Break		
10:10 – 11:25	Block A	75 min	
11:25 – 12:15	Lunch		
12:15 – 2:55	Block B	160 min	
	Total	325 min	

Grades 10,11,12

8:30 – 9:00	Blended Time	30 min	
9:00 – 11:15	Block A	135 min	
11:15 – 12:15	Lunch		
12:15 – 2:25	Block B	130 min	
2:25 – 2:55	Blended Time	30 min	
	Total	325 min	

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30 – 9:00	Blended Learning (online support)	Blended Learning (online support)	Blended Learning (online support)	Blended Learning (online support)	Blended Learning (online support)
9:00 – 11:15	Block A	Block A	Block A	Block A	Block A
11:15 – 12:15	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
12:15 – 2:25	Block B – Online Whole class	Block B – Group 1 Face to Face	Block B- Group 2 Face to Face	Block B – Group 3 Face to Face	Block B – Online Whole class
2:25 – 2:55	Blended Learning (online support)	Blended Learning (online support)	Blended Learning (online support)	Blended Learning (online support)	Blended Learning (online support)



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."

