



NORTH RIDGE ELEMENTARY

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Dear New Kindergarten Parents,

We hope you have had a chance to watch the presentation we emailed welcoming you to North Ridge. Here is the link to it so you can watch and enjoy it again! <https://sway.office.com/VxnHyEJW6EM8er1G?ref=Link>

Another part of being a new Kindergarten student is receiving a “Welcome to Kindergarten” bag. As a result of the pandemic we are in this year, we are having to find new ways of doing things. We would like to invite you to drop by our school on **Tuesday, June 23rd**, anytime between **10:00 am – 2:00 pm**. We will be set up just outside the front doors of the school. You and your child will be able to say hello to some of our Kindergarten teachers and your child will be able to pick up their very own bag and take it home with them. In the bag they will find books, crayons, scissors, magnetic letters and numbers, a pencil, a glue stick and lots of ideas of ways to use these for fun and learning at home throughout the summer. There will also be information for parents about Kindergarten and ways you can support your child at home.

We are also including an attachment to this email. In it you will find LOTS of fun, learning activities you can do with your child as well as a calendar of activities you can do in August, leading up to the beginning of Kindergarten. These activities will help your child be well prepared and ready to be the best Kindergarten student they can be! 😊

Here is a link that will also be very helpful for you. <https://www.thelearningpartnership.ca/programs/welcome-to-kindergarten>

You will find ideas for how to use the materials in your “Welcome to Kindergarten” bag, information about a Kindergarten app and links to some Kindergarten music that your child will enjoy.

There’s a lot of information included in this email, the links and the attachment. We hope you are able to take some time to look at and use these resources. At this time, we are still waiting for information regarding gradual entry and what school will look like in September. Please continue to check your emails and the North Ridge Elementary website for updated information. Also, if you change your email address or phone number, please let the school office know at 604-599-3900.

We look forward to seeing you on **Tuesday, June 23rd**! We are also very excited about getting to know you and your child and working together in the coming school year!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Krajnc
Mrs. Sahota
Mrs. McCauley
Ms. Smith

North Ridge Kindergarten Team