

September 2021

'We inspire competence, character and compassion'

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WELCOME BACK!

Welcome to the 2021-2022 School Year!
Everyone is busily preparing for the upcoming school year and looking forward to having students return for a wonderful year of learning!



September 3

You will receive an email Friday afternoon confirming the teacher your child is to report to on Tuesday. Once enrolment numbers are confirmed and we received confirmation from the school district office to proceed with our classroom and grade configurations, students will be told who their teacher is for the school year.

September 7, 2021

Grade 1-5 students are in attendance from 8:30 -10:30 am. Class Lists will be posted along the exterior of the school at each entrance/exit door. Students will line up at the back/side of school at the cone marker with their classroom teacher's name.



September 8, 2021

Full (all) day attendance for Grade 1-5 students: 8:20 am – 2:22 pm. (First bell is at 8:15 am)

New Bell Schedule

8:05	Playground Supervision Begins
8:15	First Bell
8:20-10:20	Class in Session
10:20-10:35	Recess
10:35-12:05	Class in Session
12:05-12:50	Lunch
12:50-2:22	Class in Session
2:22	Dismissal
2:37	Playground Supervision Ends

Important/Handy Contacts:

District Website: sd33.bc.ca
 School Website: strathcona.sd33.bc.ca
 School Email: strathcona@sd33.bc.ca
 School Phone #: 604-792-9301
 Parent Advisory Committee
 President: Tanya Rath
 Email: strathconapac@gmail.com
 Facebook: [strathcona elementary pac group](https://www.facebook.com/strathcona.elementary.pac.group)



Class Placements

Please note that due to ongoing enrolment changes, posted class lists/placement are temporary for the first week of school, in case enrolment numbers require reconfiguration of classes.

Covid 19: School Safety Measures Update

- * Daily Health Checks: Parents/caregivers and students can use the K to 12 Health Check App: <https://www.k12dailycheck.gov.bc.ca/healthcheck?execution=e1s1>
- * Masks:
 - K-12 Staff Required to wear non-medical masks in school at all times.
 - Students in Grades 4-5 required to wear a non-medical mask in school at all times. (excluding when outside or eating and drinking)
 - Students in K-3 are encouraged to wear masks.
- * Covid 19 Vaccination: Information about locating local clinics please visit: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/covid-19/vaccine/vaxforbc>
- * Students will no longer be in cohorts
- * We are looking forward to welcoming visitors into the school, once the school year is well on the way. If you would like to meet with a staff member, please contact the office to arrange an appointment.



Daily COVID-19 Self-Screening Tools



REMINDER:

Label Belongings: Be sure to label your child's belongings so misplaced items can be promptly identified and returned.

School Calendar 2021 – 2022

Schools Open	September 7
Early Dismissal	September 7 (10:30 a.m.)
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	September 30
Early Dismissal	October 8 (11:30 a.m.)
Thanksgiving	October 11
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAY #1	October 22 (Provincial)
Early Dismissal	November 5 (11:30 a.m.)
Remembrance Day- Statutory Holiday	November 11
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAY #2	November 12
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAY # 3	November 26
Christmas Holidays	December 18 to January 2
Schools Reopen after Christmas Holidays	January 3
Early Dismissal	February 17 (11:30 a.m.)
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAY #4	February 18 (District)
Family Day	February 21
Spring Vacation	March 19 to April 3
Schools Reopen after Spring Vacation	April 4
Good Friday	April 15
Easter Monday	April 18
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAY #5	April 29
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAY #6	May 20
Victoria Day	May 23
Early Dismissal	May 27 (11:30 a.m.)
Last Day for Students	June 23
Early Dismissal	June 23 (11:30 a.m.)
Administrative Day	June 24