

École Clearbrook Elementary School

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

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## Vice Principal's Message

#### A Warm Welcome

It has been wonderful meeting and reconnecting with students, staff and the community these past couple of weeks; I am very happy to be back at Clearbrook! Much has stayed the same, but even more has changed...especially the Grade 5 students that I taught when they were in Grade 2! I feel lucky to be a part of this strong team again and am looking forward to the upcoming year-end festivities and the positive energy that comes along with the close of the school year. Thank you to all for your warm welcome.

Victoria Lorieau Vice Principal



Clearbrook Elementary has a Facebook page! Like our page "**Clearbrook Elementary School**" and check back often for updates, important reminders, school news and events!



## 2021-22 Bell Times

- 8:45 am 8:50 am 10:20-10:35 am 12:05-12:50 pm 2:46 pm
- Welcome Bell Classes Begin Recess Lunch Dismissal



## **Calendar of Events**

May 30<sup>th</sup>-June 3<sup>rd</sup>: Bike, Walk, Roll to School week! June 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup>: Gr 4/5 Rock Climbing June 7<sup>th</sup>: Gr 4/5 Track Meet June 9<sup>th</sup>: PAC Meeting June 13<sup>th</sup>: Talent Show Videos Due June 21<sup>st</sup>: Gr K-4 Indigenous Awards Assembly June 24<sup>th</sup>: Sports Day & Hot Lunch Day June 27<sup>th</sup>: Talent Show Video Premier June 28<sup>th</sup>: Grade 5 Farewell Assembly June 29<sup>th</sup>: Last Day for Students June 29<sup>th</sup>: Report Cards Home



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## Newsletter



## **TENTATIVE 2022-2023 Teaching Assignments**

See below for the TENTATIVE teaching assignments for the upcoming school year. Please note these assignments are highly likely to change pending such things as fluctuations in student enrollment between now and September.

#### <u>ENGLISH</u>

Div 1: Mrs. Rossi (Gr 5) Div 2: Mrs. Hegberg (Gr 4/5) Div 3: Mrs. Kirkham (Gr 4) Div 4: Mrs. Laspa & Mrs. Thiessen (Gr 3/4) Div 5: Mme Lorieau & Mrs. Manuel (Gr 3) Div 6: Mrs. Cook (Gr 2/3) Div 6: Mrs. Cook (Gr 2/3) Div 7: Ms. Antak (Gr 2) Div 8: Mrs. Froese (Gr 2) Div 9: Ms. Trigeuro (Gr 1/2) Div 10: Mrs. Bamford (Gr 1) Div 11: Mrs. Salter (Gr K/1) Div 12: Mrs. Nabata & Mrs. Grabinsky (Gr K)

#### FRENCH IMMERSION

Div 13: Mme. St-Marten (Gr 4/5) Div 14: Mme. Hadwin (Gr 3/4) Div 15: Mme. Schmunk (Gr 2) Div 16: Mme. Bucovaz (Gr 1) Div 17: Mme. Reimer (Gr K)

Student Learning Service Support: Mr. Prince & Mrs. Tjart English Language Learner Support: Mrs. Makkar, Mrs. Neufeld & Mr. Born Library Learning Commons: Mrs. Grabinsky Physical Education: Mrs. Krause Music: Mrs. Manuel & Mrs. Krause

### **Class Lists & Parent Requests**

At the end of June teaching staff will be working together to create draft class lists for September. We spend a lot of time discussing and carefully considering student placements. Looking at a balance of academic needs, emotional needs, social dynamics, friendships, the number of boys and girls etc. are all taken into consideration. Your child's current classroom teacher has invaluable insights to your child's specific academic and social-emotional needs. Parent requests are also considered. The office will accept written requests for classroom placement for the coming school year by Friday, June 24<sup>th</sup>. Please email requests to clearbrook@abbyschools.ca.

Requests are for academic and/or social-emotional reasons only. Please do not include other students' names in your request. All requests will be considered but not guaranteed.

### Staff Updates

Mr. Cummings and Mme Gagnon will be retiring at the end of this school year and Mme Humber will be taking an Educational Leave. Mrs. Mehta and Ms. Reimer will also be moving on to new endeavours. Mrs. Schmidt, our Youth Care Worker, will be having her baby soon and will be on Maternity Leave, and her replacement, Miss Ann, her replacement, will also be leaving us at the end of the year. Our EA's Miss W., Miss Jessie, Miss Batth, Miss Rishi, Miss Kaur and Miss Cheema will also be moving on after this school year. Miss C., our Indigenous Support Worker, and Ms. Brauer, our Library Technician, will also be leaving the school.

Each and every one of you has made such a deep and valuable contribution to the Clearbrook community and we are so thankful for you! You will be missed!

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# School Supplies for September 2022

Ecole Clearbrook Elementary offers parents convenient options for school supply shopping with our supplier "School Start".

In early May parents were emailed information how to place their order via online, phone or email.

Prefer to do your own shopping? Contact the office for a copy of the school supplies list.



#### **Clearbrook Talent Show**

Ecole Clearbrook Elementary's annual talent show is returning! Mrs. Kirkham is working with our talented students to create a Year End Talent Show video that will be shared with all students and families. <u>Talent show videos are due to Mrs.</u> <u>Kirkham Monday, June 13<sup>th</sup>.</u>

## **Preschool Registration**

#### <u>Little Cubs Preschool registration for</u> <u>September 2022 is NOW OPEN!</u>

Little Cubs Preschool is open for children 30 months to 5 years old. Please contact the office for more information about the registration process.



### **Field Trips in June**

The Grade 4's and 5's will be enjoying their PE fieldtrip of Rock Climbing this week and will then participate in Track and Field on Tuesday, June 7<sup>th</sup>.

Various classes will also be doing year-end field trips and will require the help of parent volunteers. A Criminal Record Check is required to attend field trips.

### **Sports Day**

Sports Day will be taking place on Friday, June 24<sup>th</sup> and parents are invited to watch their kids in action. There will be pizza hot lunch as well as a cotton candy fundraiser organized by the PAC, so stay tuned for more details.

### **Term 3 Report Cards**

Term 3 Report Cards will be sent home on Wednesday, June 29<sup>th</sup>. We are not able to accommodate requests for early pick up on report cards. Please take the time to thoroughly read your child's report and celebrate their successes together!

## **Grade 5 Farewell**

We will be celebrating our Grade 5 students at an assembly for the Grade 4's, Grade 5's and family members of the Grade 5's on Tuesday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at 1pm. We are all so proud of our Grade 5's and are thankful for their leadership and volunteering around the school this past year. Good luck at middle school everyone!

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#### **Outdoor Classroom Day**

All classes participated in Outdoor Classroom Day on Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup> and it was a great success! Thank you so much for Mme Bucovaz, Mrs. Tjart, Mme Humber and Miss C. for all of their work on this engaging and exciting day.











### Kindergarten Ready, Set, Learn Summer!

This child-focused event will take place outside on the school grounds on Monday, July 11<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup> from 10-11:30 am and from 1-2:30 pm.

This summer, come and meet new friends entering kindergarten. You are invited to attend Summer Ready Set Learn! Join us for crafts, story time, songs, and games outside at your neighborhood school. These fun, interactive and engaging sessions will provide an opportunity for parents/caregivers and children to connect with other families attending this school. All who attend will leave with a craft and a book!

In order for *Ready, Set, Learn!* to be a meaningful experience, we kindly ask that younger siblings be left at home.

Click here to register: <u>Clearbrook Elementary - Summer Ready, Set, Learn - July</u> <u>11th and July 27th, 2022 (office.com)</u>



#### **Kindergarten Registration**

<u>Kindergarten registration for September 2022</u> <u>is NOW OPEN!</u>

If your child is turning 5 years old in 2022, they are eligible to register for kindergarten!

Please contact the office for more information about the registration process.

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### **PE Fieldtrips**

Kindergarten to Grade 3 students enjoyed their Bowling and Skating field trips last week. Thank you to Mrs. Krause for organizing these off-site opportunities to get active.



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## **School Fees: Online Only**

Please pay online at: <u>https://abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com</u>.

Fee Payment Procedures at Clearbrook: \*As of January 2022, all fees MUST be paid online.

With <u>SchoolCashOnline</u>, payment for school fees should be made online to limit the amount of cash/cheques in our school. You can pay online with a credit card and/or through your chequing account.

If you need help registering or paying online, please call the office and we will be happy to help you!

\*SchoolCashOnline is for school fees, not PAC fundraisers



## **Stay Home When Sick**

**Students MUST stay home when they are sick.** Students who have cold, flu or COVID-like symptoms must stay home until their symptoms improve. Families can use the following link to determine when it is safe to come back to school: <u>K-12 Health Check (gov.bc.ca)</u> or call 8-1-1.



#### **Parent Advisory Committee**

All parents at Clearbrook Elementary are PAC parents! Clearbrook Elementary has a hardworking PAC that provides many wonderful opportunities, events and experiences for all students. New to PAC and PAC meetings? Come and see what it is all about!

### Next PAC Meeting: Thurs, June 9<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 pm

In-person meeting in the School Gymnasium. This is an important meeting as it is time for annual <u>PAC ELECTIONS</u>. Come to vote, come to volunteer!

#### **Contact Us**

Our PAC can be reached at: clearbrookelementaryPAC@gmail.com

#### Our PAC has a Facebook Page:

"Ecole Clearbrook Elementary PAC"



### SchoolCashOnline Step-by-step sheet for parents/guardians

For safety and efficiency reasons, Abbotsford School District would like to reduce the amount of cash & cheques coming into our school. Please join the thousands of parents who have already registered and are enjoying the convenience of paying ONLINE! It takes less than 5 minutes to register. Please follow these step-by-step instructions, so you will begin to receive email notifications regarding upcoming events involving your child(ren).

NOTE: If you require assistance, select the GET HELP option in the top right hand corner of the screen.

#### Step 1: Register

- a) If you have not registered, please go to the School Cash Online home page <u>https://abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com</u> and select the "Get Started Today" option.
- b) Complete each of the three Registration Steps
  \*For Security Reasons your password, requires 8 characters, one uppercase letter, one lowercase letter and a number.

#### Step 2: Confirmation Email

A registration confirmation email will be forwarded to you. Click on the link provided inside the email to confirm your email and School Cash Online account.

The confirmation link will open the School Cash Online site prompting you to sign into your account. Use your email address and password just created with your account.

#### Step 3: Find Student

#### Note: Student Number is Not Required

This step will connect your children to your account.

- a) Enter the School Board Name
- b) Enter the School Name
- c) Enter Your Child's Name & Birth Date
- d) Select Continue
- e) On the next page confirm that you are related to the child, check in the Agree box and select Continue
- f) Your child has been added to your account

#### Step 4: View Items or Add Another Student

If you have more children, select "Add Another Student" option and repeat the steps above. 5 children can be added to one parent account.

If you do not wish to add additional children, select "View Items For Students" option. A listing of available items for purchase will be displayed.

Note: all information is stored on a confidential basis on a server in Canada.



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#### ਦੂਜਾ ਕਦਮ : ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਪੁਸ਼ਟੀ

#### School Cash Online

Paying school items just got easier! Sign up to get started today.



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