



PARKLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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January 2021

Important Dates

January 4th – First day back to school
February 1st – NID (No School)
February 15th – Family Day (No School)
February 17th – Early Dismissal
February 18th – Early Dismissal

Office Hours

Mrs. Burres will be available in the office on Wednesday's and Thursday's from 8:30am to 2pm. Any other day please leave a message for us on the answering machine.

Doorbell

There is a doorbell at the main front door entrance. ***If you drop of a child later in the day or need to pick up a child during the day***, please ring the bell and we can assist you.

Non Bus Days

You can find information on the school's website <https://www.sd59.bc.ca/> on busing information to know if they're running or not. You can also create an account to get bus notifications via email or text. The school bus information line is 250-782-1061.

Parkland PAC News

All parents with students at Parkland are invited and welcome to attend Parent Advisory Council meetings. Meetings are held the 1st Wednesday each month in the school library. The next PAC meeting is scheduled for January 6th at 6:30pm.

Winter Weather Gear

Welcome back everyone! We hope everyone enjoyed their winter break! A reminder that winter is upon us and can get quite chilly. Please send your children with the appropriate attire as they go outside each day for recess and lunch.

Inside days

From time to time the weather may require us to have inside days. Generally, we will call inside days when the temperature is below -20, including wind chill temperatures. On these days, students still need to be prepared with appropriate winter wear.

Hot Lunch

Hot Lunch is starting again January 5th. Tuesday's will be Edo Japan and Friday's will be Panago. Ordering for this session (January-February) has closed. But Please watch your email for information on the next order session (March-April). Thank you to all of our parent volunteers so far!

Bus Notes

If your child is not riding the bus home at the end of the day, it is important to send a note, call the school (leave a message) and call the bus garage to notify the bus drivers about any changes. The school bus garage number is 250-782-2106. ***Students who do not have notes from parents indicating a change will be sent home on their regular bus.***

Food Drive

A huge thank you to everyone that contributed to our food drive this year! Thank you to Mrs. Waddell's grade 5/6/7 class for all of your hard work in organizing it. All the food will be donated to the Nawican Friendship centre.