



Welcome to StrongStart!



StrongStart

Provides
a welcoming
environment for
all families.

Offers
a variety of
experiences for
children
0-5 years old.

Supports
and
challenges all
young children
in their
learning.

StrongStart is a free drop-in early learning program for families or caregivers and their children from birth to five years old. StrongStart supports the development of young children prior to school entry, consistent with the goals of the [British Columbia Early Learning Framework](#).

Surrey hosts a total of twenty-four programs where families can expect to engage in a variety of organized early learning experiences to support their child's learning and development.



StrongStart Early Learning Centres are located in school facilities so you and your child may become an important part of the school community prior to entry into kindergarten.

StrongStart Early Learning Centres operate five days per week, for a maximum of three hours per day. You and your child are welcome to attend StrongStart for an hour or the entire session.

Morning sessions are typically 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. with afternoon programs offered at a limited number of StrongStart locations from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Please see attached for locations and times.



Our Program

We believe the years between birth and school age are a critical time in a child's life.

We believe that daily activities should be play based and allow for some flexibility and choice.

We believe activities should be responsive to the needs and interests of the families that attend.



Our Schedule

We believe a predictable schedule of activities helps young children learn best.

Routines allow young children to predict the flow of the day and gain independence as a learner.

Daily schedule includes:

- Circle time
- A variety of interactive centres
- Snack time
- Shared book time
- Outside play

Parent Information and Procedures

All families are required to sign in upon arrival to StrongStart.

Children must be accompanied to the washroom by a parent/caregiver.

A bulletin board will provide information on upcoming community events, school information, and contact information for local health units.

A StrongStart newsletter will provide parents with program updates, celebrations and closure dates.

The [Surrey SD #36 StrongStart Program](#) handbook can be accessed for more detailed information.

StrongStart Locations in Surrey

Bear Creek Elementary

13780 - 80 Avenue

12:30-3:30 PM

Sharin Chandra

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Betty Huff Elementary

13055 Huntley Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM

Pam Green

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Bridgeview Elementary

12834 - 115A Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM (Th/F)

Debbie Eldridge

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Cedar Hills Elementary

12370 - 98 Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM

Karamjit Kullar

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Cindrich Elementary

13455 - 90 Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM

Harjit Lidder

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Cougar Creek Elementary

12236 - 70A Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM

Japinder Kaur

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Forsyth Road Elementary

10730 - 139 Street

8:30-11:30 AM

Sophie Ahmad

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George Greenaway Elementary

17285 - 61A Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM

Michelle Tait

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Georges Vanier Elementary

6985 - 142 Street

8:45-11:45 AM

Jenn Tucker

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Hiorth Road Elementary

14781 -104 Avenue

8:45-11:45 AM

Michelle McKenzie

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Holly Elementary

10719 - 150 Street

8:30-11:30 AM

Kanwal Jodhan

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James Ardiel Elementary

13751 - 112 Avenue

8:45-11:45 AM

Sharin Chandra

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Jessie Lee Elementary

2064 - 154 Street

9:30 AM-12:30 PM

Dawn Broneski

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Lena Shaw Elementary

14250 -100A Avenue

12:30-3:30 PM

Bobbie Felix

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M.B. Sanford Elementary

7318 - 143 Street

8:30-11:30 AM

Kelly Swart

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Martha Currie Elementary

5811 - 184 Street

8:45-11:45 AM

Sandra Trentini

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Mary Jane Shannon Elementary

10682 - 144 Street

12:30-3:30 PM

Sophie Ahmad

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Newton Elementary

13359 - 81 Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM (M/T/W)

Debbie Eldridge

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Old Yale Elementary

10135 - 132 Street

8:30-11:30 AM

Marta Rauda

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Panorama Park Elementary

12878 - 62 Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM

Raminder Chawla

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Senator Reid Elementary

9341 - 126 Street

8:45-11:45 AM

Sameera Chapra

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Strawberry Hill Elementary

7633 - 124 Street

8:45-11:45 AM

Susan Worth

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W.E. Kinvig Elementary

13266 - 70B Avenue

8:30-11:30 AM

Bobbie Felix

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Westerman Elementary

7626 - 122 Street

8:30-11:30 AM

Randeep Brar

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2022-2023 StrongStart Centres at Elementary Schools

