# Panorama Park Elementary School

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#### Dear Panorama Park Families

Welcome Back, we are so excited to see our students this morning. It was so wonderful to see all of our students again. There was such a positive energy in the air and everyone was full of joy and excitement! We know that this year the return to school is like nothing we have seen before. As we have outlined in previous correspondence, the pandemic has forced us to view education in a new lens. Our students' and staff health have, and will continue to be, our top priority, and we have many new protocols in place to keep everyone safe.

## General PAC Meeting

We would like to welcome our parents to attend our first Virtual PAC Meeting on Thursday, September 17, 2020 at 7:00 pm.

Ms. Jagdeep Dhaliwal is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: General PAC Meeting

Time: Sep 17, 2020 07:00 PM Vancouver

Join Zoom Meeting - please create your free zoom account (you will

need to do this to join the meeting)

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82271281315?pwd=VC9VcllHbVdGdXdmTjhuTkJYNEVDZz09

Meeting ID: 822 7128 1315

Passcode: 8n8LHU



#### Welcome Window



There will be a welcoming window from 8:35 am - 8:45 am (classroom doors remain open during this time) for staggered student arrival. Students do not line up outside the classroom and will come right in, hang backpacks, wash hands (one by one) and find their seats. After 8:45 am, students should knock on the external classroom door and will be let into the room.

The first half hour of the school day is when teachers outline activities and discuss their expectations for the day. It is crucial that students be present for these important instructions.

Regular attendance and being on time are two important factors in a student's school life. It is also an important life skill to have.

## Litterless Lunches

Please send a pre-packaged lunch and snack that are self-contained or pack in/pack out. To help ensure safety and minimize touching of shared surfaces, compost and recycling will not be available at the school. Your child will need to bring the items home to be composted. For example, if your child has



a yoghurt container, this will need to be put in their lunch bag and brought home. Please ensure your child has all of their lunch/snack containers and water bottles labelled with their first and last names. Please also send a filled water bottle with your child daily. Our bottle filling fountain is operational but the water fountain is not. Due to COVID Health and Safety guidelines, at this time there will be no drop off for hot lunches or sharing of treats for birthdays.

Parents, if you would like to take your child home for lunch, please check into the office by knocking on the door and signing your child out on a clipboard we will hand to you. You will need to remain outside. We will then call your child down. When your child returns, please bring them to the office to sign in. Thank you parents for your support.

## Safety Reminders

Parents are expected to self-monitor their children for flu - like symptoms and complete a health check each morning before school.



Proper handwashing is the best way to prevent the spread of infection. Proper hand washing reduces the spread of colds and influenza by as much as 40%! When you wash your hands, you wash away the germs that you may have picked up from other people, from surfaces, or from animals. Remind your children to wash their hands thoroughly and often, so that hand washing becomes a life-long habit. As soon as they get home from school or the mall, encourage them to wash their hands. Washing hands before meals is also very important.

## Parking & Traffic Information

The drop off zone is for quick drop offs and pick-ups. Please do not leave your car unattended or use this area for parking. Please avoid driving your car into our parking lot after school if possible in order to cut down the congestion as some staff members are leaving the lot. There is a one-way route you need to follow by staying to the RIGHT if you have to enter our lot. Stay to the right and make the loop.



#### **Divisions and Teachers**

Following is a list of our teachers with their division and grade group.

Div	Grade	Room	Name
1	7	506	Mr. Harman Gill
2	7	505	Ms. Amrit Hundal
3	6/7	205	Mr. Stanley Yeh
4	6	604	Ms. Saadia Nisar
5	5/6	304	Ms. Jenny Brown (M,T,W)
			Ms. Renne Aquing (Th,F)
6	4/5	308	Ms. Ashley Short
7	4/5	203	Ms. Paulina Pekova
		and Prep	Ms. Monika Sachdeva (M,W,Th)
8	3/4	206	Ms. Rachel Umlas
9	3/4	406	Ms. Monika Taylor

Div	Grade	Room	Name
10	3	309	Ms. Asmita Joshi
11	2/3	605	Ms. Kristin Schroeder (M-Th)
			Ms. Diana Traher (F)
12	2	606	Ms. Lita Nair
13	1/2	204	Ms. Sonal Jain
14	1/2	405	Ms. Shiwangi Hamal
15	1	305	Ms. Anita Atwal
16	KF/1	403	Ms. Jeni Carcamo
17	KF	404	Ms. Ashley Nilsson
18	KF	401	Mrs. Paula Duimel

Our teachers for the blended program are:

Room	Name	
504	Ms. Manpreet Sanghara	
501 Ms. Sonya Thiara		
	Ms. Diana Traher (w)	
402	Ms. Tara Hamilton (м,т,w)	
	Ms. Gurleen Riarh (Th, F)	