



HALDANE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Welcome back to school everyone! We hope that you have had a fun-filled, relaxing summer and that you are now ready for a great school year at Haldane.

Forms returned to office

Student will be sent home with "Welcome Packages" which will include the following forms that need to be returned as soon as possible:

1. Student Fees
2. Student Verification Form (***Please review all sections of this before signing and returning***)
3. Outside Media in Schools
4. Aboriginal Ancestry Consent Form
5. Shuswap Language Permission Form

2020/2021 Bell Schedule

8:30 am First Bell

8:40 am Class Begins

10:00 am Recess (Cohorts 2, 4, 6 outside) (Cohorts 1, 3, 5, Snack)

10:15 am Recess (Cohorts 2, 4, 6 snack) (Cohorts 1, 3, 5, Outside)

10:30 am Recess ends

12:15 pm Lunch (Cohorts 2, 4, 6 outside) (Cohorts 1, 3, 5, eat)

12:41 pm Lunch (Cohorts 2, 4, 6 eat) (Cohorts 1, 3, 5, outside)

1:07 pm Outside/Eating ends

1:12 pm Class begins

2:40 pm Dismissal

Daily Health Check

An agreement to complete a daily health check form was emailed home before school began. Each student attending school needs to have this form filled out and signed.

If you did not receive this form, it can be found below or please call the office to get a copy sent home.

<https://www.sd73.bc.ca/en/community-parents-and-students/education-re-start-plan-stage-2.aspx>

Confirmed Staff for the 2020-2021 school year:

In the office:

Mrs. Sewell - Principal

Mr. Scott – Vice-Principal

Mrs. Gosse – Secretary

Primary

Mrs. Markin

Mrs. Leblanc

Mr. McArthur

Mrs. Kreutzer

Mrs. Calvert

Mrs. Mahon

Mrs. Pitman

Mrs. Brake

Intermediate

Mrs. Jacobson

Mr. Heron

Ms. Lee

Ms. Stengel

Library

Teacher Librarian - Mrs. Gartrell

Library Assistant - Mrs. Swain

Learning Assistance Resource Teachers

Mrs. Nixon, Mrs. Ferrier, Mrs. Willie

PE Prep - Mrs. Huddart/Mr. Scott

Shuswap Language – Ms. Chelsea

Support Staff

Mrs. Malkoske – CEA

Ms. Charleyboy - CEA

Mrs. Brush – CEA

Mrs. Tilburt - CEA

Mrs. Lepp - CEA

Mr. Nielson – relief CEA

Mrs. Williams- CEA

Mrs. Mueller – AEW

Mrs. Pittendreigh-Strong Start

Mrs. Kuch – Day Custodian

Mr. Brown - Evening Custodian

Mr. Hardy - Evening Custodian

Haldane Matrix:

At Haldane Elementary all members of the school community will be reviewing and working to show:

- Respect
- Responsibility
- Belonging
- Safety

to ourselves, around the school, and in the community.



Parent Advisory Council News (PAC)

Did you know that all parents are members of the Parents Advisory Council? The first PAC meeting will be held on **Thursday, September 16th at 6:30pm** via Zoom. The zoom link will be sent out via email to all parents on Tuesday.

This year's PAC executive are:

- President - Whitney Good
- Vice President - Emily Toews
- Treasurer - Kayley Morris
- Lunch Coordinator - Chandra Sowerby
- DPAC Representative - vacant

Medical Alerts & Administration of Medication

Parents, please remember that it is your responsibility to let the school know if your child has a serious health condition or requires medication while at school. School district personnel are not permitted to administer medication to students unless specifically authorized to do so by a Doctor. Please ensure you obtain a form/s from us that authorize the school to administer a prescription or identify the steps to take in a medical emergency. School staff is not permitted to administer non-prescription drugs (ie: aspirin) at any time.

Transportation

School bus/walk limit policy to schools is in effect in all areas of School District #73:

1. Primary students, K to Grade 3: 4 km or 2.5 miles to a school, and 3.2 km or 2 miles to a bus stop
2. All other students, Grade 4-12: 4.8 km or 3 miles to a school, and 3.2 km or 2 miles to a bus stop
3. All bus schedules are subject to change in the course of the school year as a result of traffic patterns, weather conditions and population density.

September 14th	Students Grade 1-6 Full time
September 16th	First Full Day for Kindergarten Students
September 28th	Non-Instructional Day
Sept 30th	Orange Shirt Day
October 9th	Student Photos
October 12th	Thanksgiving - No school
October 15th	Parent Teacher Interviews
October 23rd	Non-Instructional Day