



Dear Families,

We are looking forward to seeing some of you in the month of June! We want to let you know what you can expect in the first week of Cliff Drive's Return to School, whether or not your child is attending school in person next week.

Health and Safety

Before sending your child to school, parents are expected to assess your child(ren) daily for symptoms of common cold, influenza, COVID19, or other infectious respiratory disease. Children who show any signs of illness should stay at home and parents must notify the school. If your child does become sick while at school, they will be isolated and you will be notified and asked to pick up your child as soon as possible.

If you are unsure about sending your child to school, please refer to the [BC COVID-19 SelfAssessment Tool](#), or contact 8-1-1, or the local public health unit to seek further input.

Drop off/Pick up

Each class will have a designated spot for lining up. This may be different from their original class spot. Please look for markers to indicate where to line up. Physical distancing markers will be in place to help remind students of the expectation of being distant together. This will be where parents will drop off and pick up. Parents will not enter the building, only students and staff will be allowed to enter the school building. If you have any questions for the school, please do not hesitate to call or email the school. Parents are asked to maintain the 2 metre social distancing protocols that remain in place as directed by the Provincial Health Office. We also ask that parents not linger on school grounds after you drop off and pick up your children.

Masks

The choice to wear a mask, or not is a personal, family decision. If you send your child with a mask, please ensure your child has been taught all of the protocols prior to coming to school.

Supplies

Please send your children with the appropriate supplies, snacks, lunch and a full water bottle to school each day. Students will not be sharing materials of any kinds. This

means they must have their own school supplies. It also means that we cannot allow students to share food and that water fountains are closed.

Playgrounds

Only students who have indicated that they will be returning to school will be on school grounds. If your children are continuing to learn at home, they may not come to the school grounds to visit or play with their friends and classmates at any point in the school day. While playgrounds are open again as of June 1st, the Cliff Drive playground is reserved for students at school during school hours.

Remote Learning

At-home, remote learning will continue for all students with reduced programming. Teachers at Cliff Drive will continue to provide some learning opportunities for all children. However, due to the demands of face to face learning on Monday and Tuesday, teachers will not be available to fully support remote learning on those days.

School Supplies

We are mindful that many of our students have supplies in their classrooms to be picked up. Arrangements will be made for supplies to be returned to students before the end of June. We appreciate your patience as we work through the details to ensure everyone's health and safety.

The Cliff Drive school community is looking forward to seeing our students whether they are in person here at school, in Google/Zoom meets, or from afar in our community. We miss you all very much and look forward to a day we can be together again. As Dr. Henry says, Be Kind, Be Calm, Be Safe!

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