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— WELCOME — BACK TO SCHOOL

Dear Crescent Park Families,

Welcome to 2019! I trust you all enjoyed a restful and relaxing holiday and made some wonderful family memories. It was wonderful welcoming your children back to school this morning and we are all so looking forward to an exciting term with our students!

Christmas Donation Review

This year we had amazing success with our food drive, Christmas present collection, and gently used clothing drive. From the desk of our head-elf...

Dear Crescent Park students, parents and staff,

It is with enormous excitement and gratitude that we thank you for your donations, time and patience with the Christmas drive.

The donations collected could easily have filled a bus! We even had to do a few early runs to our recipient school because we were overflowing (what an amazing problem to have)!

All the volunteers, drivers, packers, sorters, students that carried food boxes from classrooms, helped pack vehicles, office staff that put up with us in and out of their space demanding things, and all the encouraging words and excitement made this a fun and very successful drive.

*So proud of you Crescent Park!
The Elves*

What happened to the power??

Well what an interesting disruption we had on our final day of 2018. Not only was school cancelled for twelve schools throughout the district but we had to cancel our annual pancake breakfast as Nature turned off our power! Thankfully, our pancake crew is all ready to reschedule so please stay-tuned for a new pancake breakfast date in the near future.

Sports News



We are gearing up for basketball season again! All students in grades 6 and 7 are welcome to join our school team. Boys will be coached by Mr. McIndoe on Tuesday & Thursday mornings and girls will be coached by Mrs. Svab on Monday & Wednesday mornings. In addition, Mr. McIndoe will host an open gym for all basketball players on Friday mornings. Please note all practices start at **7:40am**.

Coffee & Chat – January 21st

Please join us at our next Coffee and Chat in the library on Monday, January 21st from 8:30-9:15am. This is a great way to enjoy a cup of coffee, meet new parents and continue learning about our school.

School Cash Online

Exciting news! Crescent Park is implementing a safe, fast and convenient payment system to help families pay for school fees online. Using this system, payments can be made with credit card, eCheck and myWallet for school field trips, activities, planners and more. Register online today at <http://surreyschools.schoolcashonline.com/>. Follow the links to confirm your email and select "yes" to receive email notifications. Please register your child using their usual first name and legal last name.

PAC News (Parent Advisory Council)

Our next PAC meeting will take place on January 14th, 2019 at 9:00am in the school learning commons. If you are interested in learning about the PAC at Crescent Park Elementary or would like to help out in any capacity we encourage you to join our meetings. The PAC is a wonderful way to meet families and feel part of our school community while supporting your child at school. We look forward to seeing you in January!

The PAC at Crescent Park Elementary is a hard-working group of parents committed to supporting our students, teachers and school community. Please take a moment to visit the Crescent Park PAC website at www.crescentparkpac.com for parent information and related resources.

Upcoming Dates: (also available on our school website)

Mon. Jan. 7 th	Welcome back to school
Mon. Jan. 14 th	PAC meeting in the library, 9:00-11:00am. All are welcome! First day for Kindergarten registration, 9:00am start
Wed. Jan. 16 th	Early Dismissal, 1:30pm for goal setting conferences
Mon. Jan. 28 th	Registration for French Immersion (Grade 6) for the 2019-2020 school year

Hot Lunch Menu for January: 9th Pizza Day, 16th White Spot, 23rd Hot Dog Day, and 30th Subway

School Website

Please check out our website for information and updates at www.surreyschools.ca/schools/crescent_park/. To eliminate paper waste, newsletters and other important information are communicated to families by email. Please register on our website in order to stay up to date with school news.

Warmest regards,
Kate Colter
Principal

Register Today!

1. Create Your Profile

Go to
<https://surreyschools.schoolcashonline.com/>
and click on "Get Started Today".

2. Confirm Your Email

Check your inbox for the email confirmation and click on the link inside. Sign in with your new login details.

Stay connected by selecting "Yes" to email notifications about upcoming fees.

- I want to receive email notifications for new fees assigned to my student and updates on school-related activities.

3. Add a Student

Click "Add Student" and fill in the required fields with your child's details.

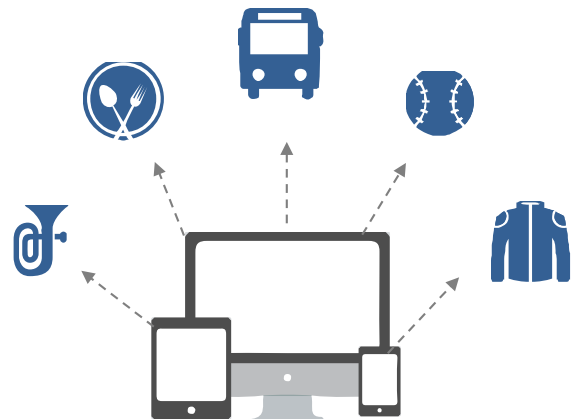
Why sign up for *School Cash Online*?

School Cash Online is an online parent portal that is a safe, fast and convenient way to pay for school activity fees.

- ✓ Pay for your child's school fees online. Anytime, anywhere.
- ✓ Stop sending your child to school with money.
- ✓ Get automatic email notifications about upcoming school fees and activities.

Purchase these items and more online.

Use your computer, tablet or smartphone to register and pay online.



Which payment methods are accepted?

Credit Card

Pay with Visa or MasterCard on *School Cash Online* by entering your credit card number, CVV number (the three digits on the back of your card), card expiry date, and billing information.

eCheck

An electronic version of a paper check used to make payments online. Anyone with a checking or savings account can pay by eCheck on *School Cash Online*.

myWallet

An online wallet that can be loaded to hold funds and pay for your child's fees on *School Cash Online*. myWallet also allows you to allocate funds to pay for school fees at a later date.

For more information, contact Parent Helpdesk at
parenthelp@schoolcashonline.com or 1.866.961.1803

