



Ecole Crescent Park Elementary School

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On behalf of our staff we would like to welcome our new and returning students to a year of learning, growing and discovery at Crescent Park Elementary. We hope you all enjoyed a wonderful summer and we look forward to an exciting year together.

Student Safety

During these warm summer days many of our students enjoy walking and cycling to school. As we encourage all students to participate in an active lifestyle we ask parents to review safety procedures with their children, especially during this first week back. Please plan a safe route with your child and remind them to exercise caution when crossing busy roads, driveways and parking lot entrances. A 'walking school bus' or buddy system is a great way to encourage independence while ensuring student safety.

Welcome to our new staff!

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| Ms. Tutte, teacher | Mrs. Svab, teacher | Mrs. Price, teacher | Ms. Watanabe - teacher |
| Mrs. Vanstone, teacher | Mrs. Leonard, LST | Ms. Maier, French Prep | |
| Ms. Oliver, ABA | Ms. Bessette, EA | Ms. Fehlhaber, EA | |
| Ms. Hnuklub, EA | Ms. Vallance, EA | Ms. Turecki, CYCW | |

First Week

To help facilitate an enjoyable return to school our staff have carefully planned learning activities for our students during this first week. While we appreciate that students and parents are eager to settle into classes, please note that careful consideration is given to the social, emotional and academic needs of all students as we create balanced and effective learning environments. In addition, district approval is required before any classes are finalized throughout Surrey and we appreciate your patience and support during these first few weeks.

School Hours

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| Supervision of Students | 8:20 am |
| Welcome Bell | 8:30 am |
| Class begins | 8:35 am |
| Recess | 10:15 – 10:30 am |
| Lunch | 11:42 – 12:30 pm |
| Dismissal Bell | 2:30 pm |
| Supervision of students ends | 2:45 pm |



School Supplies

School Supply lists for Grades 1-7 are posted on our school website. Copies are also available in our school office if required. Students will only need limited supplies until classes are established. Kindergarten teachers will collect money from each student to cover the cost of school supplies for the whole school year. This will be collected after Kindergarten students are placed in their permanent classes.

A Request from the Office

If you know your child will be absent or late for school, please call the office (604-535-9101), or email crescentpark@surreyschools.ca to let us know. This enables our office staff to complete attendance in a timely manner and ensures that all students are accounted for each day. A reminder that late students must sign in at the office when they arrive at school.

School Website

Please check out our website for information and updates at www.surreyschools.ca/schools/crescent_park/. To eliminate paper waste, we send out our newsletters and other important information through email. In order to receive these emails, you must register on our website.

Stay Connected with the “School Link” App!

Please download the free app on your personal device. This will keep you connected with all the latest information from our school. Go to the app store, find “school link” then download and add “Crescent Park Elementary” to your school list. You will then receive a newsfeed of anything posted on our website directly to your personal device. It’s a great way to stay up to date with the latest school information.

PAC News

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. In addition, please access this website to sign up for hot lunches which are enjoyed by our student every Wednesday beginning in October.

Upcoming Dates

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| Wed. Sept. 5 th | First full day of school – 8:30-2:30pm |
| Mon. Sept. 10 th | PAC meeting in the library, 9:00-11:00am |
| Mon. Sept. 17 th | Coffee and Chat in the library, 8:30-9:15am |
| Fri. Sept. 21 st | Terry Fox Run |
| Mon. Sept. 24 th | Professional development day for teachers. School is not in session for students. |
| Tues. Sept. 25 th | Welcome Back BBQ |
| Fri. Sept. 28 th | Aboriginal Orange Shirt Day |

Please do not hesitate to contact the office if you have any questions. I look forward to working with the Crescent Park community and building warm relationships with our students and families.

Warmest regards,
Kate Colter