



# Mountainview Montessori School

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*"In our Montessori school we learn together peacefully and responsibly by caring for each other and the world."*

Dear Mountainview Families,

We are all looking forward to welcoming you back to school tomorrow and in the days to come.

Here are some important pieces of information and reminders that will make the Orientation day run smoothly...

## Reminder of Orientation Schedule:

### Thursday, September 10 – Group A Students

9:00 – 10:00 Grades 1,2,3

11:00 – 12:00 Grades 4,5,6,7

12:30 -1:30 Kindergarten

### Friday, September 11 – Group B Students

9:00 – 10:00 Grades 1,2,3 and  
new to Mountainview Grades 1 - 3 students

11:00 – 12:00 Grades 4,5,6,7  
and new to Mountainview Grades 4 – 7 students

12:30 -1:30 Kindergarten

*If you have signed up for the **Blended Model** your child does not attend the **September 10 or 11 Orientation Days**. **Blended Model Orientation** will take place next week – please watch for more information.*



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## **Important Information for September 10 and 11:**

Although we are all excited to welcome children back to school, our community understands that many of us have not been at school for some time and may be anxious about returning. We are going to do our best to make sure that everyone feels safe and welcomed. We understand that these are not our usual routines, but these are unusual times and we all have to make some adjustments. We all have to work together to make our return to school feel safe for everyone.

### **All students/families, please note:**

- Children are coming in small A/B groups so that we can all physically distance until we can confirm our classes.
- Children are encouraged to wear masks for the Orientation Days
- Children must physically distance in line ups
- Parents may stand with their child in the appropriate line up or may physically distance around the basketball playground area
- We are asking families if at all possible to have only one parent accompany their child(ren) to school

See page 3 for Primary student Information

See page 4 for Intermediate student Information



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## PRIMARY STUDENTS:

- 1) **Kindergarten Students** – please meet your teachers, Mrs. Grata and Mrs. Moro at the back of the school closest to the Johnston Heights Parking Lot standing by the fence. **Look for the Ms. Grata and Ms. Moro Line Up signs as you come through the gate.**

Kindergarten parents we will be taking you on a tour of the school and your child's classroom and having you sign up for a consultation time with your child's teacher later in the month.

- 2) **Grade One students** (last year's Kindergarten students) – Mr. Stumpf and Mrs. Lopez will meet you on the **gravel field** close to the playground. **Please look for a Grade One Students Meet Here sign.**

- 3) **Grades 2 and 3 students**, please meet your last year's teachers in the following areas:
  - Ms. Dueck (Div 8) – by the staircase at the back of Building B
  - Mrs. Butler (Div 13)– line up at your classroom door

• Ms. Kim (9), Ms. Richmond/Ms. Stewart's (10) Mr. Au (11), and Mr. Henderson's (12), classes will be lining up on the basketball court. **Please look for your teacher and the cone with your division number.**

- 4) **All new to Mountainview Primary** (Grades 1 -3) students will meet Ms. Rutherford, the Principal, on Friday, September 11 at 9:00 am. **Look for the Students New to Mountainview sign.** I will meet you on the gravel field near the basketball court.



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## Intermediate Students:

- 1) **Grade 4 students, (last year's Grade 3s)** –Ms. Dueck and Ms. Kim will meet you on the walkway between the gym and Building B. **Look for the Grade 4 students meet here sign.**
- 2) **Grade 5 and 6 students**, please meet your last year's teachers in the courtyard. Look for your division number cone and teacher. Remember to physically distance when you line up.
- 3) **Grade 7 Students**, please meet Mr. Milsted and Ms. Pouwels on the gravel field near the back entrance to Building B. Please look for a **Grade 7 students meet here sign.**
- 4) **All new to Mountainview Intermediate students (Grades 4 -7)** will meet Ms. Rutherford at 11:00 on Friday September 11<sup>th</sup>. **Look for the Students New to Mountainview sign.** I will meet you on the ramp to Building A.

Thank you all for helping make our first two days run smoothly. Look for more information regarding classes coming soon.

We are all looking forward to seeing our returning families and meeting our new families!

Welcome Back!!  
The Mountainview Staff

FYI...

I have included the **Daily Health Check** form that all families will need to refer to each morning for your information. Please keep it in a safe place in your home. Every family is responsible for making sure that their child does not come to school when sick.

# Symptoms of COVID-19

The symptoms of COVID-19 are similar to other respiratory illnesses including the flu and common cold. The most common symptoms of COVID-19 include:

- Fever (see below)
- Chills
- Cough or worsening of chronic cough
- Shortness of breath
- Sore throat
- Runny nose
- Loss of sense of smell or taste
- Headache
- Fatigue
- Diarrhea
- Loss of appetite
- Nausea and vomiting
- Muscle aches

While less common, symptoms can also include:

- Stuffy nose
- Conjunctivitis (pink eye)
- Dizziness, confusion
- Abdominal pain
- Skin rashes or discoloration of fingers or toes.

Daily Health Check			
1. Symptoms of Illness*	Does your child have any of the following symptoms?	CIRCLE ONE	
	Fever	YES	NO
	Chills	YES	NO
	Cough or worsening of chronic cough	YES	NO
	Shortness of breath	YES	NO
	Sore throat	YES	NO
	Runny nose / stuffy nose	YES	NO
	Loss of sense of smell or taste	YES	NO
	Headache	YES	NO
	Fatigue	YES	NO
	Diarrhea	YES	NO
	Loss of appetite	YES	NO
	Nausea and vomiting	YES	NO
	Muscle aches	YES	NO
	Conjunctivitis (pink eye)	YES	NO
	Dizziness, confusion	YES	NO
	Abdominal pain	YES	NO
	Skin rashes or discoloration of fingers or toes	YES	NO
2. International Travel	Have you or anyone in your household returned from travel outside Canada in the last 14 days?	YES	NO
3. Confirmed Contact	Are you or is anyone in your household a confirmed contact of a person confirmed to have COVID-19?	YES	NO