

Windsor Elementary School

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Dear Kindergarten Families,

Welcome to Windsor Elementary School! We look forward to getting to know you and working together to help make the transition from home to school a positive experience for your child.

Kindergarten students will begin school gradually. Please note the important dates below:

Parent Meeting in the Library - Tuesday, Sept. 5th at 10:30am

Kindergarten parents will meet in the library from 10:30-11:45am (upstairs, 2nd floor). This meeting is for parents only; please let your child know so that they are not disappointed. At this meeting we will talk about our Kindergarten program and the gradual entry process. This is also a time to confirm that your child will be coming to Windsor and to sign up for a short (15-20 min.) family meeting with the Kindergarten teacher.

Family Meetings – Wednesday, Sept. 6th – Friday, Sept. 8th

This will be an opportunity to meet and share important information with each other. Please bring your child to the short meeting time you signed up for. Meetings will be in the Kindergarten room on the main floor (rm. 105).

Gradual Entry

Your child's schedule will be given to you at your family meeting.

- **Monday, Sept. 11th and Tuesday, Sept. 12th**
Students come to school in the morning for 45 minutes in a small group.
- **Wednesday, Sept. 13th**
Students come to school from 9:00-10:30am.
- **Thursday, Sept. 14th**
Students come to school from 9:00-11:30am. Please bring a healthy snack.
- **Friday, Sept. 15th**
Students come to school from 10:00am-2:15pm. Please bring a healthy snack and a lunch. Students on the lunch program will be provided with a lunch.
- **Monday, Sept. 18th**
Kindergarten students start coming to school for the full day: 9:00am-2:52pm.

We believe that this gradual entry process will help your child have a smooth transition to school. Please take a look at the calendar and call (604-296-9038) if you have any questions or concerns.

We look forward to seeing you at the parent meeting on **Tuesday, September 5th at 10:30am!**

Regards,

Navdeep Aujla, Principal
Giovanna Thiessen and Angela Brnjac, Kindergarten Teachers

Kindergarten Gradual Entry

SEPTEMBER 2016

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4	5	6	7	8
Labour Day (no school)	Parent Meeting 10:30-11:30am (library)	Family Meetings (room 105)	Family Meetings (room 105)	Family Meetings (room 105).
11	12	13	14	15
Students come for 45 min. in small groups	Students come for 45 min. in small groups	All students come 9:00-10:30am	All students come 9:00am-11:30pm Please bring a healthy snack	All students come 10:00am-2:15pm Please bring a snack and lunch
18	19	20	21	22
First full day for Ks! 9:00am-2:52pm Please bring a snack and lunch	Kindergarten students continue to attend full days...			

Some important things to remember:

- The **parent meeting on Tuesday, September 5th** is an information session as well as a chance to sign up for a family meeting (students do not attend).
- When you come to your **family meeting** with the Kindergarten teacher on Sept. 6th, 7th, or 8th, **please bring your child with you**. Meetings will be about 15-20 min. long.
- Supplies can be provided by the school for a cost of **\$35** per student. This may be paid by cash or cheque when you come to your meeting. Your child will also need a **large backpack and a water bottle** for school.

We look forward to meeting you! ☺