



September 8-12

School hours 8:45am – 2:37pm

Some key school events this week

Monday, Sept. 8 Kindergarten: 1st regular full day 8:45-2:37

Tuesday, Sept. 9

Wednesday, Sept. 10

Thursday, Sept. 11

Friday, Sept.12

Terry Fox Run 1:15-2:30pm

Important events coming up

Wednesday, Sept. 17: PAC meeting 5:30-7pm

Thursday, Sept.18: First Fire Drill 11am

Friday, Sept. 19: Welcome Bash PAC Event

Monday, Sept.22: Pro-D Day ~ school based

Wednesday, Sept.24: PAC Fun Lunch (pizza)

Thursday, Sept.25: Meet the Teacher Night 6:30-7:15pm

Monday, Sept.29: Aboriginal Orange Shirt Day at SJD

Tuesday, Sept.30: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation ~ no school in session

A big thank you to staff, students and the community

Tonya and I would like to thank our staff, students and community for their amazing cooperation, understanding and team work to start the school year in such a calm and positive way.

Merci and well-done, SJD!



Photo Day: Thursday, October 2nd

Photo proofs will be distributed to students a couple of weeks after photo day then you will be able to order online. Photo retake day is Thursday, October 30th.

Be Ready for Rain

Please ensure your child is prepared for rain before school, during the day, and after school. Waterproof clothing and umbrella are going to be necessary as we will be outside most days. Please dress for the West Coast!



Attendance Procedure

Just a reminder to please send the school an email to sjd@sd61.bc.ca when your child is going to be absent. Our call back system is fully automated and will make calls/emails to parents starting at approximately 10am each day. You will receive a phone call or email if you have **NOT** informed the school that your child is absent.

If you do not have access to a computer or cell phone, you can call and leave a message on our regular phone line **before 8am** on the day your child will be absent, or in the evening the night before. Thank you!

Crossing Guard

Please note that the school is continuing to provide a crossing guard at the intersection of Moss St and Fairfield Rd daily for 30 minutes before and after school.

Students requiring a Medical Support Plan

If you have not already reached out to our Vice-Principal, Tonya Winton, please do so asap to review and update your child's medical plan.

twinton@sd61.bc.ca

Hot Lunch Program

Parents who could benefit from assistance are invited to enroll their children in our daily lunch program. If you would like to be added to the list, please contact Pam Boutin at the office.

pboutin@sd61.bc.ca



Terry Fox Run

On Friday, September 12th, Sir James Douglas will host its annual Terry Fox Run from 1:15pm to 2:30pm. Please read the letter attached for more information.

