

Cameron Summer Session Newsletter

Telephone: (604) 296.9005

Dear Parent(s) &/or Guardian(s):

Welcome to Summer Session 2020 at Cameron School. We are excited to be working with your children for the next three weeks.

Please know that the safety of students and staff is a priority. All Summer Session 2020 programming reflects the health and safety protocols and guidelines provided by the Provincial Health Officer, Ministries of Health and Education, the BC Centre for Disease Control, the Fraser Health Authority, and WorkSafe BC.

Cleaning

The District will provide cleaning services each day, both during the day and after closing. On a daily basis, high-touch surface cleaning will be the focus and rooms will be disinfected after hours.

Daily Screening Procedures:

Daily Health Check for Students will be conducted each morning by the classroom teacher. Parents/guardians, when you accompany your child, or when your child arrives unattended to the school, you/your child will be asked a series of 5 questions each day prior to being admitted to the program. If your child answers 'yes' to any of the questions, they will not be allowed to attend that day and they will have to return home and remain home until they can answer 'no' to all the questions. If there is somebody sick in their home, the child will not be able to enter the school.

If your child is presenting baseline symptoms such as seasonal allergies please contact administration for further guidance. If unsure about the symptoms (cold, allergies or COVID-19), please contact your family physician for advice or you can access an online assessment tool at <https://bc.thrive.health/> and/or contact 811.

Students that display Covid-19 like respiratory symptoms during class time (persistent cough, sneezing, fever, etc.) will be moved to an isolation room and parents/guardians will be called to pick up their child along with any siblings attending Summer Session.

Safety Protocols

Students will wash their hands upon arrival at school, after coming in from outside, before eating snacks and when they become dirty – each class has a sink, soap and paper towels available. Staff will teach hand washing, social distancing, washroom and emergency procedures on the first day.

Students are welcome to wear masks and parents/guardians should be aware that there will be physical activities outside that will mean students need, if they are using masks, to have ones that do not significantly restrict their breathing.

Entrance/Exit Procedures:

Students are **only** to enter the building from their **outside classroom doors**. Non-School District personnel such as parents/guardians/caregivers are not permitted in the building unless given consent by the Site Supervisor. **It is best to communicate via email or phone to discuss any questions or concerns.**

Daily Schedule:

9:00am (start of classes)
10:15am – 10:30am (Recess A)
10:35am - 10:50am (Recess B))
12:15pm (end of classes)

Drop Off & Pick Up

Cameron is a busy place. If you are driving your child to and from school, please help us keep our students safe and follow the street signage. **Please be aware that parking is limited due to construction projects in the surrounding area.**

Classes begin at **9:00 a.m.** If your child arrives earlier, your child may wait outside the school until the bell rings but will be **unsupervised** during this time.

The students will be dismissed at **12:15pm.** We are very concerned for the safety of our students so please ensure that your child is picked up on time or walks home with a group of children.

Parents/guardians and students, please **maintain a 2-meter distance** during arrival and dismissal times.

Absence/Lateness:

If your child is sick or you know your child will be absent, please phone the school between 8:30am and 9:00am to let us know. You can also leave a message at (604) 296.9005. **If your child is late, please bring your child directly to the classroom.**

Course Offerings:

Please see **school map attached** with course names & room numbers.

COURSE NAME (AM)	TEACHER	ROOM
Getting Ready for Grade 1	Mr. Sinclair	Room 12
Getting Ready for Grade 1	Ms. Baker	Room 9
Robotics – Scratch/Sphero - Gr. 2/3	Ms. Ellis	Room 10
Art – Grade 2/3	Ms. Miletich	Room 15
Art – Grade 2/3	Ms. Grout	Room 11
ELL – Gr. 2/3/4	Ms. Park	Room 4
Art – Gr. 4/5	Ms. Binns	Room 2
Art – Gr. 4/5	Mr. Canosa	Room 1
Explore Writing – Gr. 4/5	Ms. Jassal	Room 6
Uke Got it! Ukelele – Grade 5/6/7	Mr. Clift	Room 13
Exploring Writing – Gr. 6/7	Ms. Yap	Room 3
Exploring Writing – Gr. 6/7	Ms. Koepke	Room 5

What To Bring:

It is recommended that your child brings a **water bottle** and a **snack** each day. **Students will spend time outside during the school day as well as go outside for recess rain or shine,** so please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather. Students are also required to bring their own **school supplies** in a **labelled** ziplock bag or container. Students are welcome to bring **sports equipment labelled with their name** such as soccer balls or basketballs.

School Supply List	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 HB pencils	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 glue stick
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 white eraser	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pair of scissors
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pack of wax crayons or pencil crayons	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 - 2 book(s) to read
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pack of felt markers	

Please note the school office will be open from 8:30am – 12:30pm each day and you can reach us by phone at 604-296-9005. On the first day, we will have a staff member outside the front entrance of the school to answer your questions.

We hope your child has an enjoyable experience at Cameron Summer Session!

Sincerely,

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