

**At Cameron Elementary School
we are:**

Safe
Respectful
Compassionate
Supportive

General Behaviour Expectations

Some General School-wide Rules:

- Enter and exit the school using your classroom outside door. The bell rings at **8:55am** to indicate classroom doors will open. Dismissal is at **2:48 pm**.
- Please leave all expensive electronic devices at home unless you have permission from a teacher.
- Students are allowed to play at the back of the school but must stay out of the parking lot and inside the fence.
- Stay off chains and railing anywhere around the school.
- Be quiet when in the hallways and remember to **walk** on the right side.
- Students must have adult supervision in the gym, supply rooms or outside.
- All students should keep their hands and feet to themselves and always use appropriate positive language.
- Sticks, stones, sand, and woodchips should not be thrown at anyone or anything for any reason at any time on school property.
- Cell phones are discouraged at school. We have an office community phone for emergencies. Students who bring cell phones to school are completely responsible for any damage, loss or theft. Additionally, cell phones are not to be used during school hours anywhere on school grounds or on school field trips.
 - If a student is caught using their cell phone at recess or lunch:
 - They'll be asked to put it away.
 - If they are caught a second time that day (or it becomes a pattern) then the phone will be taken for the rest of the day and returned to the student at the end of the day.
 - If the behaviour continues, parents will be contacted, and a plan will have to be put in place to manage cell phone access during the day.

Daycare, Burnaby Parks & Recreation and Other Outside Groups

- In general, and where applicable we expect any other groups using our facility to follow the same rules as outlined in this booklet. For example, students should not be running or shouting in the halls after school.
- In addition to the rules/guidelines outlined in this booklet we expect the following:
 - Only use the space that you are allotted. If you require the use of other areas please speak to the Principal (or designate) first.

- Leave areas the way you found them. For example, if you are using our gym equipment please return them in the same place (and manner) in which you found them. Same goes for our Staff Room.
- Please be respectful of other spaces and other groups that may be in the building at the same time. Students and/or adults under your supervision should not be entering other classrooms unless they have explicit permission to do so.

Playground & Equipment

Safety	Respect
Stay in boundaries (inside the fences and not in the parking lot area)	Use playground equipment as it is meant to be used
Use common sense & ask an adult if you're not sure	Play fairly & play nicely
Leave sticks & stones on the ground at all times	Place garbage in garbage cans
Limit of four people on the Saucer Swing – no jumping off when it's in motion	Listen to supervisors
Ask an adult for support to solve a problem if you can't solve it on your own	Use your words to solve problems peacefully
	Include peers in games when appropriate



Playground – Soccer Fields

Safety	Respect
Stay in boundaries	Play fairly & play nicely
Leave sticks & stones on the ground at all times	Use your words to solve problems peacefully
Ask an adult in the school for support to solve a problem if you can't solve it on your own	Look after equipment
Come in when the bell goes	Listen to supervisors
	Include peers in games when appropriate



Soccer Rules

- **Language:** all players have to use appropriate language – no swearing or put-downs allowed.
- Everyone is welcome to play as long as the teams are fair. We often separate based on grade.
- Players are not allowed to switch teams in the middle of a game unless both teams agree, and the teams are clearly unfair.
- No pushing, tripping, hitting allowed.
- If a player is reported to the Office as playing too rough, Mr. Gaster will speak to that player and give him/her an official warning. If it happens again, that player may be suspended from play for several days.

Classroom at Lunch

Safety	Respect
Wash your hands before you eat	Stay in your seat while eating
Walk to get your lunch and to return your lunch tray	Follow instructions given by lunch hour supervisors & lunch monitors
Clean up your garbage	Use an inside voice
Stay in your own classroom	During an inside day, find something quiet to do with your friends.
Do not share food with others	
On inside days, stay inside your classroom	

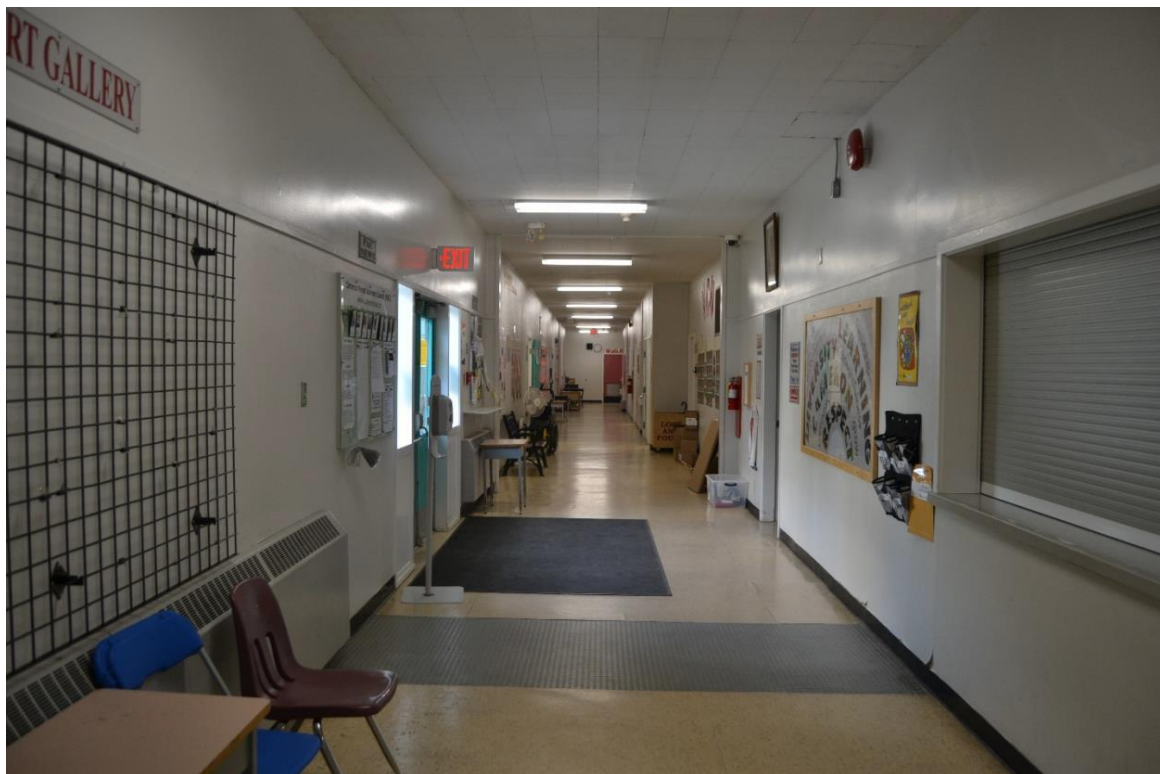


In Assemblies

Safety	Respect
Keep your hands, feet, and body to yourself	Use polite applause
Follow entrance and exit directions	Stand quietly for the Coast Salish Anthem and O'Canada. Then sit quietly
	Enter & exit quietly
	Plan to stay for the entire assembly



Hallways	
Safety	Respect
Walk in a line, staying to the right	Be quiet in the hallways so you don't disturb others
Walk carefully around doors & corners	Go directly to where you are going, don't hang out in the hallways
Keep hands, feet & objects to self	Stop, look & listen when spoken to by adults



Washrooms

Safety	Respect
Report any accidents or messes to the office	Leave walls free of graffiti
One person per stall only	Put paper towels in the bin (not in the toilet)
Wash your hands	Be quiet
Return to the classroom when finished	Respect the privacy of others
Use only the washrooms near your classroom	Flush the toilet
	Don't stand on the toilet seat or toilet paper dispenser



Additionally, there are specific instructions for intermediates and primaries:

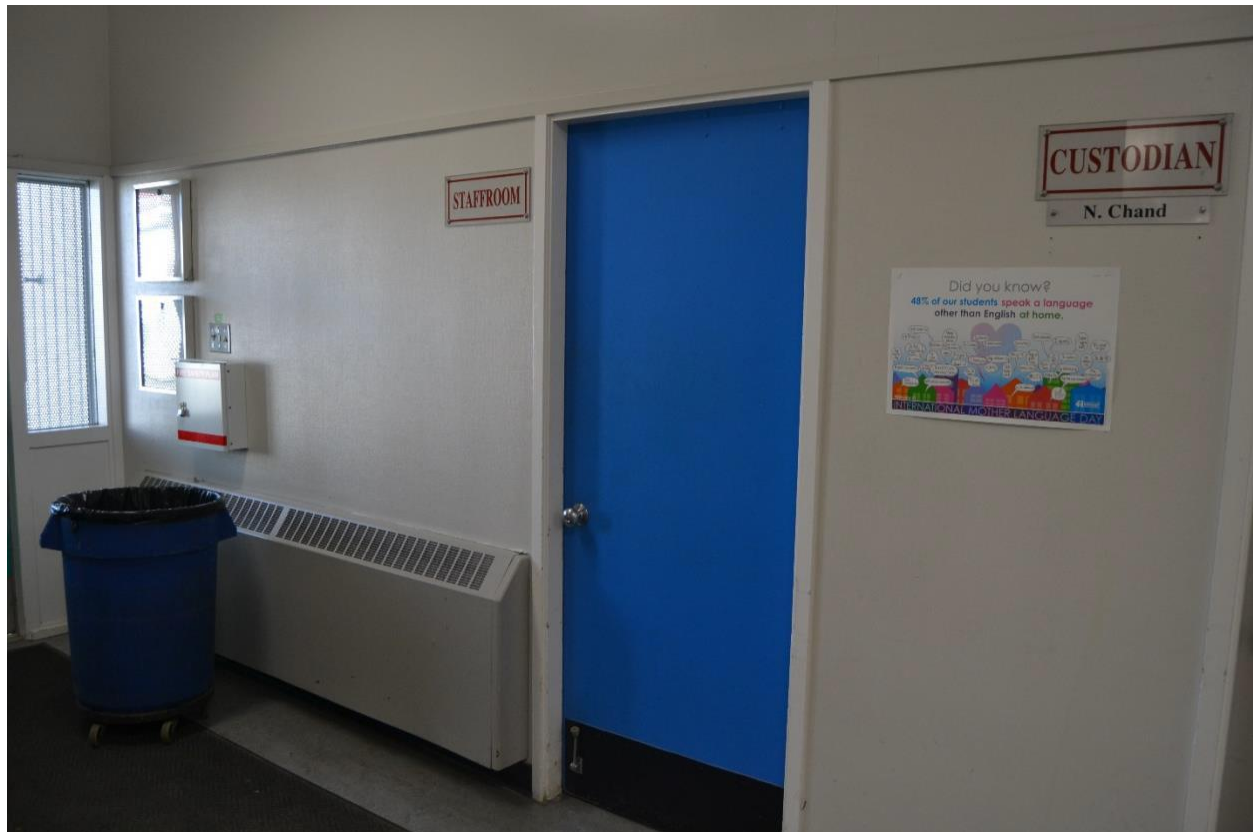
Intermediates: Please use the washrooms near Room 3 for safety and convenience.

Primaries: Please use the washrooms near Room 8, **except at lunch and recess times**, as part of the respect for their schedule and to maintain order.

Library	
Safety	Respect
Push chairs back into tables after using them	Keep food or drinks out of the library
Use library only with supervision or permission only	Return books & materials when due and to where they belong
	Use a quiet voice
	Handle books with care
	If not choosing a book, sit quietly & read



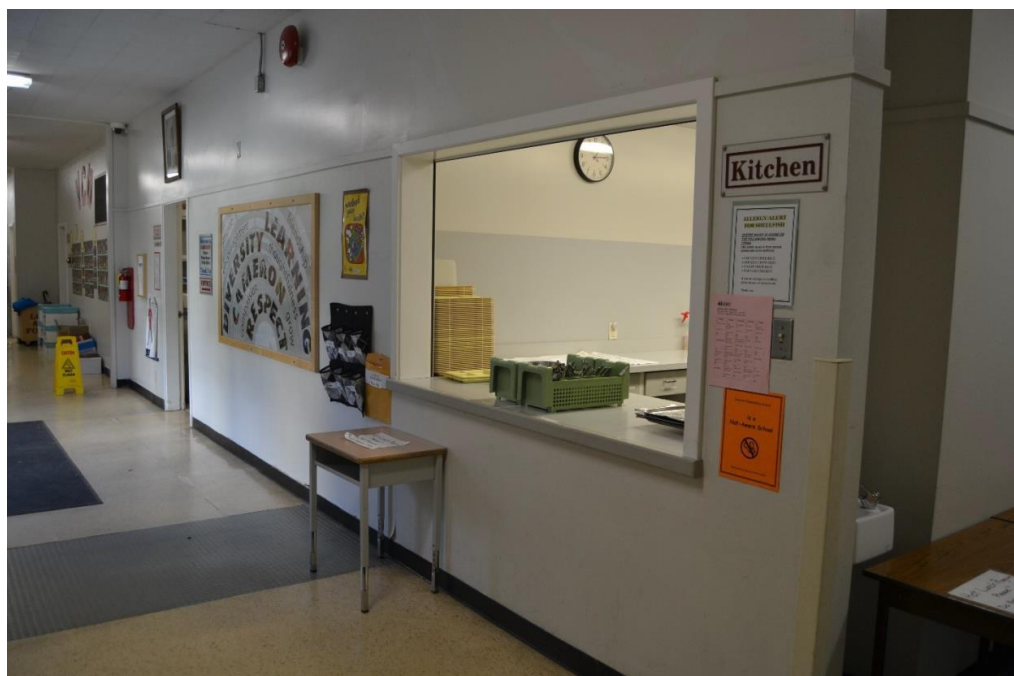
Staff Room	
Safety	Respect
Students should only be in the staffroom with a supervisor	Leave the space neat and tidy
	Please knock on the door and wait for someone to open it



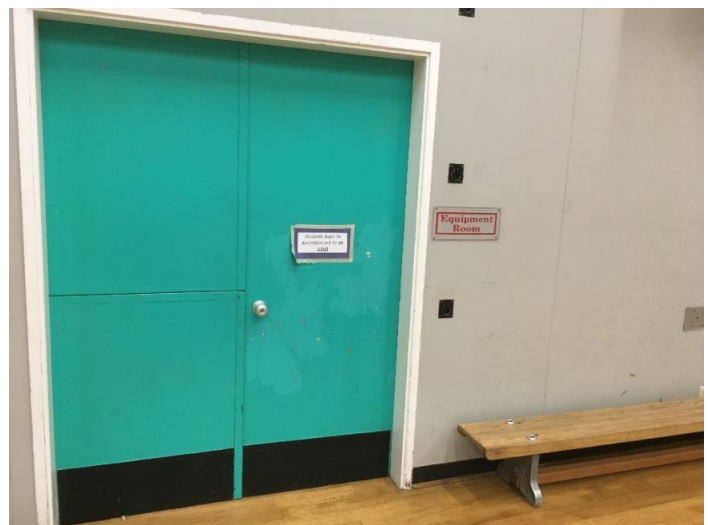
Office	
Safety	Respect
Sign in at the office when you are late and sign out when you leave early	Wait at the counter until an adult acknowledges you
Make sure you talk to an adult if you or a friend are hurt	Use a quiet voice when in front of the office
If you are waiting at the office for any reason, do not leave	Ask an adult for permission to use the phone



Hot Lunch Kitchen	
Safety	Respect
Please WALK when you have a tray in your hands	When it's your turn for lunch please line up quietly
Clear your trays into the green waste bins	Remember to say please and thank you
Wait until you get to your classroom to eat	Return your trays to the appropriate spot
	Please eat in the classroom and not in the hall (unless you are a helper in the hot lunch program)



Gymnasium	
Safety	Respect
Students should not be in the gym without a supervisor	Please leave the equipment rooms tidy
Students should not be in the gym equipment room without a supervisor	If you find things out of place, put them back where they belong
Only adults should move heavy equipment in the gym	



Boundaries

Safety

Please do not play in or near the parking lot

Please do not play at the front of the school

Please do not play at the Mall side of the school



Under Cover Areas

We have two main under cover areas. The upper area near the staffroom and Music Portable is primarily for **INTERMEDIATE** students. The lower area near the lower portables is mainly for **PRIMARY** students.

Safety

Respect

Please do not play soccer or games involving balls of any kind in the Primary undercover area

No screaming

Please do not play near, in, or around the Recycling Bins

