

May 22, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians and Students:

## Re: COVID-19 Information Bulletin

Our teachers and staff have been working hard over the last week connecting with you to gather the information needed to plan our partial return to in-school learning. We appreciate your time and attention in informing us about your child's attendance and other considerations. We will use this information to organize schedules, staffing, configuration of our buildings, and to ensure we meet health and safety protocols such as physical distancing, as well as balance both onsite and remote learning. As we embark on this challenging task, we want you to know that we have student and staff health and safety top of mind. We are continuing to follow guidelines set by the Ministry of Education, Provincial Health Office, BC Centre for Disease Control and WorkSafeBC. We will be ready to adjust to any changes in the coming weeks.

What you can expect next week:

DATE	Action or Communication
Monday, May 25 <sup>th</sup>	Langley School District to submit district-wide plan to the Ministry of Education
Tuesday, May 26 <sup>th</sup>	Langley School District to present district-wide plan to the Board of Education at Regular Board Meeting, begins at 7pm (available for public viewing)
Wednesday, May 27 <sup>th</sup> or Thursday, May 28 <sup>th</sup>	Langley School District to share district-wide and school-based plan with parents/guardians/students and staff
Friday, May 29 <sup>th</sup>	Langley School District to share weekly Information Bulletin from Superintendent
Monday, June 1 <sup>st</sup>	Return to partial in-school learning begins
	Continuation of remote learning, in-school learning for essential service workers, and in-person support for vulnerable learners

The District's goal is to have a consistent plan set-up for all schools. Please be aware that with more than 40 sites, diverse populations, and varying numbers of students, **not all school sites will look and feel the same**. We will do our best to keep your family informed and prepared prior to June 1<sup>st</sup>.

Thank you for your continued support during this unprecedented time. As we break for the weekend, our Board of Education has a video message of appreciation to share with our community on YouTube <u>here</u>.

Sincerely,

Gord Stewart Superintendent of Schools