

Welcome Back



Lions!

August 31, 2022,

To Lee Lion parents and guardians,

We hope that you and your family has enjoyed your summer and that this email finds you healthy and rested. On behalf of the staff at Lee, we would like to welcome everyone to the 2022/23 school year.

Please see the following items for information for next week.

First Day of school is for 1 hour

Tuesday, September 6th

8:45am-9:45am

Returning students will be picked up by last year's classroom teacher at last year's drop-off and pick-up location.

New students will meet by the front playground at 8:45am and when prompted enter through door # 7. More information will be provided for new families for drop off and pick up for the rest of the week at 9:45am

Kindergarten students have a separate gradual entry schedule. Please refer to the email sent in July.

Wednesday, September 7 – Friday, September 9

8:45am-2:45pm full school days for grades 1 – 7.

Kindergarten students will continue to follow the gradual entry schedule.

We are hoping to be able to transition all students to their 2022/23 classrooms by Friday, September 9th. More information will be shared through email by the end of the week.

Health and Safety

We begin this school year adhering to the same health and safety measures put in place at the end of the last school year. We follow guidance outlined from the BCCDCS. Some key items:

- **Stay home if you are not feeling well.**
 - [When to Get Tested for COVID-19](#) resource for more information
 - Use the [B.C. self-assessment tool](https://bc.thrive.health/covid19/en): <https://bc.thrive.health/covid19/en>
- **Teach and model good hygiene**
 - We will continue teach and model good hygiene practises. Staff and students will be encouraged to:
 - wash hands as a regular routine,
 - practice respiratory etiquette and
 - be aware of and respect everyone's personal space
- **Masks**
 - Mask wearing is no longer mandatory but it continues to be an effective layer of protection. Students and staff will continue to have the option to wear a mask at school. Extra disposable masks are available at the office.

Early Warning and Absences

- Please inform the office if your child will not be able to attend school during the first week of school and the expected return date.
- Call the early warning number 604-668-6269 & PRESS "1" or email lee@sd38.bc.ca

If you have questions, please feel free to contact the school for more information.

Sincerely,

Alfred Chan
Principal