



ANDERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Weekly Newsletter

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Anderson School

This Weeks News! – October 2nd to October 6th

RE M I N D E R

No school on Monday, October 2nd – Truth and Reconciliation

Drop Off Lane and Parking Lot Safety

We continue to have issues with cars parking in our drop off lane each morning. This makes it more difficult for cars to enter our driveway. Please be reminded of the parking guidelines listed below. Thanks in advance for being part of our solution!

We have a VERY busy parking lot – both in the morning and after school.

Tips to help keep students SAFE!

- 1) Please walk to school with your child if you live close by
- 2) Please be sure to use the crosswalks if you are walking to school – don't cut through traffic!
- 3) **The drop off lane is not for parking** – please drop off your child and go, making room for others.
- 4) If you are a kindergarten parent or need to drop your child off at their classroom door, **please park in our visitor lot** or near the school and walk. (the visitor lot is the first lot on the left as you enter our parking lot)
5. ALWAYS keep your vehicle speed at a very LOW speed in our entire parking loop.
6. DOUBLE PARKING IS DANGEROUS. Please do not stop beside a car that is already parked in the drop off lane. For children to get into these cars they have to pass between traffic.



National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Thank you to the many Anderson students who wore orange today to show their support for Truth and Reconciliation. We had two assemblies today that shared why we wear orange and what Truth and Reconciliation means to us at Anderson.

Today we are gathered to formally recognize Truth and Reconciliation. We are lucky to live in such a beautiful country like Canada. Today's assembly is about looking back in the history of Canada and reflecting on some parts of our history that we are not proud of. Truth and Reconciliation is learning about how our indigenous people were treated by those who came to Canada as settlers and how we can learn and grow to honour indigenous people and their culture in our future. We hope our Anderson families can spend some time reflecting tomorrow during our National Day of Truth and Reconciliation.



Reminder to Parents – if your child is going to be LATE or ABSENT from School please call the Early Warning Line at 604-668-6358 before 9:00 am (Full Name and Division #)

Upcoming Dates to Remember

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Saturday, September 30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
Monday, October 2	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation – All Schools Closed
Thursday, October 5	World Teachers Day
Monday, October 9	Thanksgiving – School is Closed
Wednesday, October 11	Hot Lunch Day
Tuesday, October 17	Individual Photo Day – Say Cheese! Re-take Photo Day – Tuesday, November 14th
Wednesday, October 18	11:50 am dismissal for Parent/Teacher Conferences
Friday, October 20	Provincial Professional Development Day – School is not in session

