



SCHOOL OPENING - SEPTEMBER 10, 2020

For the community of **Kitimat**

WELCOME BACK!

On behalf of the Coast Mountains School District, I would like to welcome families and communities to the 2020-2021 school year. As you know, we will be starting our school year with staff only on September 8 and 9, and students beginning on September 10 with Orientation Sessions.

The school district's first priority is to ensure the safety and well-being of all students and staff. We have developed a Safety Plan and Cohort Plan that will see the school district maximize face-to-face instruction while at the same time ensuring safety. Some of our students have not been in school since March and we are looking forward to providing face-to-face educational programs balanced with an environment that recognizes the importance of student social emotional well-being.

Families and communities can be further assured that our Principals, Vice Principals, and District Staff have designed unique Stage 2 plans for each of our schools in Coast Mountains School District. We will be sharing our plans with you on or before August 26 via the school district's website at www.cmsd.bc.ca.

Enjoy what is left of summer and know that we are working to ensure a safe and positive start to the 2020-2021 school year.

Sincerely,
Janet Meyer
Superintendent of Schools

PRE-REGISTRATION FOR ALL SCHOOLS (WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE NORTHWEST TRADES & EMPLOYMENT TRAINING CENTRE) WILL BE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY AS FOLLOWS:

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

SEPTEMBER 1 & 2, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.

****PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL TO ARRANGE AN APPOINTMENT TIME****

Students not pre-registered should register on the above registration dates by appointment. Kindergarten students are requested to begin attending on the date arranged by the school.

DISTRICT SCHOOLS WILL OPEN FOR ORIENTATION FOR STUDENTS ON THURSDAY,

SEPTEMBER 10, 2020

(except Kindergarten students)

SPECIAL NOTE TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS IN LIGHT OF COVID-19, EACH SCHOOL WILL HAVE UNIQUE STUDENT ORIENTATION SESSIONS ON SEPTEMBER 10 AND 11. SCHOOLS WILL CONTACT PARENTS/GUARDIANS DIRECTLY WITH FULL ORIENTATION DETAILS INCLUDING ADDITIONAL BUS RUN DETAILS.

Regular school hours and bus runs will commence MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2020

MIDDLE AND SECONDARY STUDENTS SHOULD WEAR NON-MEDICAL MASKS WHILE RIDING THE BUS TO AND FROM SCHOOL. MASKS SHOULD BE PUT ON BEFORE LOADING. MASKS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

SCHOOL	PRINCIPAL	PHONE #	START TIME
Kildala Elementary	Ms. Janelle Hittel	250-632-6194	8:45 a.m.
Nechako Elementary	Mr. David Mills	250-632-2912	8:45 a.m.

MIDDLE/SECONDARY SCHOOLS

STUDENTS WHO FAIL TO REGISTER IN MIDDLE/SECONDARY SCHOOLS PRIOR TO SCHOOL OPENING MAY EXPERIENCE A DELAY IN BEING ASSIGNED TO CLASS

SCHOOL	PRINCIPAL	PHONE #	START TIME
Kitimat City High	Ms. Nancy Tormene	250-632-2811	8:40 a.m.
Mount Elizabeth Middle/Secondary	Ms. Christine Byrd	250-632-6174	8:45 a.m.

WARNING BELLS ARE USUALLY 5 MINUTES PRIOR TO THE SCHOOL START TIME.

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BUS ROUTE #37 (Red) CABLECAR / ALL SCHOOLS

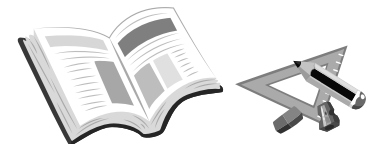
STOP LOCATION	TIME
MORNING	
GREYLING AVE / CHAR ST	7:50
GREYLING AVE / KOKANEE AVE	7:52
KOKANEE AVE / CHAR ST	7:56
COHO AVE / RAINBOW BLVD	7:58
RAINBOW BLVD / DOLLY VARDEN ST	8:00
DOLLY VARDEN ST / CHINOOK AVE	8:02
CHINOOK AVE / RAINBOW BLVD	8:04
MOUNT ELIZABETH MIDDLE/SECONDARY SCHOOL (STUDENT PARKING LOT) TRANSFER KILDALA STUDENTS FROM RUN 40	8:14
KITIMAT CITY HIGH SCHOOL	8:18
ROY WILCOX ELEMENTARY (PICK UP NECHAKO STUDENTS ONLY)	8:21
NECHAKO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	8:28
ROY WILCOX ELEMENTARY (PICK UP FRENCH IMMERSION STUDENTS ONLY)	8:33
KILDALA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	8:41
AFTERNOON	
KILDALA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	3:05
ROY WILCOX ELEMENTARY	3:15
NECHAKO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	3:20
ROY WILCOX ELEMENTARY	3:29
KITIMAT CITY HIGH SCHOOL	3:32
MOUNT ELIZABETH MIDDLE/SECONDARY SCHOOL (STUDENT PARKING LOT) TRANSFER KILDALA STUDENTS TO RUN 40	3:36
GREYLING AVE / CHAR ST	3:49
GREYLING AVE / KOKANEE AVE	3:50
KOKANEE AVE / CHAR ST	3:51
COHO AVE / RAINBOW BLVD	3:53
RAINBOW BLVD / DOLLY VARDEN ST	3:55
DOLLY VARDEN ST / CHINOOK AVE	3:56
CHINOOK AVE / RAINBOW BLVD	3:58

BUS ROUTE #40 (Yellow) KITAMAAT VILLAGE/ ALL SCHOOLS

STOP LOCATION	TIME
MORNING	
650 RAVEN CRESENT	7:37
DOCK AREA	7:43
BUS STOP BOTTOM OF HILL	7:45
OLD FIRE HALL	7:46
FISHERIES OFFICE	7:48
OWEKENO ST	7:50
WATHL CREEK	7:53
MOUNT ELIZABETH MIDDLE/SECONDARY SCHOOL (STUDENT PARKING LOT) TRANSFER KITIMAT CITY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS FROM RUN 37	8:14
KITIMAT CITH HIGH SCHOOL	8:21
ALEXANDER AVE / BAXTER AVE (ACROSS FROM BAXTER AT TRANSIT BUS STOP)	8:28
ALEXANDER AVE / BANYAY AVE (ACROSS FROM JEHOVAH'S WITNESS HALL AT TRANSIT BUS STOP)	8:31
NECHAKO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	8:40
AFTERNOON	
NECHAKO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	3:10
ALEXANDER AVE / BAXTER AVE (ACROSS FROM BAXTER AT TRANSIT BUS STOP)	3:17
ALEXANDER AVE / BANYAY AVE (TRANSIT BUS STOP ACROSS FROM JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES HALL)	3:20
KITIMAT CITY HIGH SCHOOL	3:27
MOUNT ELIZABETH MIDDLE/SECONDARY SCHOOL (STUDENT PARKING LOT) TRANSFER KITIMAT CITY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TO RUN 37	3:34
WATHL CREEK	4:04
OWEKENO ST	4:07
FISHERIES OFFICE	4:08
OLD FIRE HALL	4:09
BUS STOP BOTTOM OF HILL	4:11
DOCK AREA	4:12
650 RAVEN CRESENT	4:18

NOTE

Bus routes are available for viewing on the School District's website at www.cmsd.bc.ca



THIS SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO REVISIONS BUS TIMES AS SHOWN MAY VARY SLIGHTLY DUE TO WEATHER AND ROAD CONDITIONS

NOTE TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS

To allow for familiarization of kindergarten students to the school and the classroom, they are requested to begin attending on the date arranged by the school.

Coast Mountains' Board of Education encourages parents to ensure that children have measles immunization prior to entering school and requests that proof of measles immunization or a doctor's certificate that a child has had measles be presented to the school at the time of registration.

BUSING:

All areas: Should you have questions or concerns regarding bus routing and scheduling the following steps are suggested: 1) Contact your School Principal, 2) Contact the Operations Manager at Diversified Transportation bus lines at **(250) 635-7042** or **1-855-538-5287** for out-of-town.