



Lyndhurst Elementary School

Lyndhurst Street, Burnaby, BC V3J 1E9 Phone: 604-296-9020

September 27th, 2024

Good afternoon, Lyndhurst Families,

Thank you very much for attending our Goal Setting Conferences on Thursday night. The opportunity to meet your child's/children's teacher(s) early in the school year allows teachers to set all of their students up for success. We look forward to continuing to work with all families this school year.

We honoured the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Day at our schoolwide assembly this morning. In addition to the work that teachers have done in their classrooms, this assembly gave us the opportunity to honour and recognize the impact of Residential Schools on Indigenous communities.

Thank you to our community members and parents who attended the assembly.

Thank you to Division 1 for hosting the assembly.

Thank you to Divisions 3, 4, and 5 for their contributions.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support and commitment to making our school a safe, kind, and respectful place for all. Let's keep this momentum going as we move forward into the rest of the school year.

A FEW IMPORTANT REMINDERS...

School Website

Our school website is an excellent place to find information about school events, important dates, and links to school district and community services. Please have a look!

[Lyndhurst Elementary | Burnaby School District \(burnabyschools.ca\)](https://burnabyschools.ca)

Supervision

A reminder to families that there is no supervision for students before 8:50am and after 3:00pm unless students are in school programs (i.e. clubs, sports, etc.)

Late Arrivals

If your child arrives late, please have them sign in at the office before going to their classroom. This ensures that the school office is aware of our students' attendance.

Tips on Arriving on Time:

- Pack backpacks in the evening
- Have your child get to bed at a reasonable time so they will have an easier time waking up in the morning
- Have your child set an alarm in their own room



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Absences

If your child is going to be away from school, please email lyndhurst.info@burnabyschools.ca or phone 604-296-9020 and leave a message with your child's first name, last name, and their division number or the name of their teacher.

Leaving During the Day

If a student is leaving during the day or for the afternoon, they are asked to check out at the office. Also, the school or teacher must be notified by the parent that the student will be absent. Students will not be permitted to leave the school grounds during the school day without parental consent.

Recess and Lunch Hour

All students will be enjoying the outdoors for 15 minutes at recess and approximately 40 minutes during the lunch hour. Our outdoor time is called a "West Coast Recess and Lunch". Please ensure that your child is prepared with appropriate clothing for the weather outside throughout the school year. It is recommended that students also keep a change of clothes at school in case it is needed.

Snacks and Lunch

It is important that students come to school with healthy options for their snacks and lunches. Also, we are a NUT AWARE school as there are a number of students with nut allergies. We ask that families are cognizant of sending their children to school with food items containing nuts. Please pack easy to open containers and all utensils needed for your child's snack and lunch.

Scent Aware School

Exposure to perfumes, colognes and other scented products can trigger adverse health reactions in some individuals with asthma, allergies, and other conditions. There are quite a few members of our school community who have sensitivities to scents. We respectfully request that if you plan on visiting Lyndhurst, you refrain from wearing scented products.