



LIVINGSTONE
ELEMENTARY

August 29, 2023

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Hello Livingstone Families,

We are looking forward to the start of a new school year! The purpose of this letter is to let you know about the plan for the first week back.

Tuesday, Sept 5 – First day for grade 1 -7 students only. Just one hour from 9:00am to 10:00am

- **Student Line ups:** 8:55am. Please line up outside at last year's class line **see map below**, look for your old division # sign and teacher name. Your teacher from last year will be welcoming you back.
- We will have signs posted up. Guiding families to student line ups.
- 10:00am Students will be dismissed outside in the same line up spots.

New students: For students new to our school, please line up by the "**Welcome New Students**" sign on the black top. We will walk you to your new classrooms today and you can let your parents know where your classroom line ups are at the end of the first day.

Wednesday, Sept 6-Friday September 8th, 2023

- **Grade 1-7 students** attend from **9:00 am to 3:03pm** (please bring lunch, water bottle and a snack)
- Grades 2-7 head to classes when the bell rings.
- Grade 1s line up at the undercover area.
- Kindergarten gradual entry begins. Please meet Kindergarten teachers at the undercover area for the drop off and pick times.

Classroom Assignments for students

We hope to move students to this year's classrooms on Monday September 12th. Sometimes we need to make some changes to our lists as new students arrive. Our plan is for class placements to be determined by Friday September 16th.

Kindergarten Gradual Entry

Kindergartens on the bus We recommend that Kindergartens who have registered for the bus only start riding the bus once they have started attending full time at school, Wednesday September 14th.

Please note that Kindergarten parents will need to arrange to pick up their children from Livingstone at the earlier dismissal times (Sep.6 – 12) during the gradual entry schedule.

Gradual Entry: Below is our Kindergarten gradual entry schedule which begins on **Wednesday September 6th**.

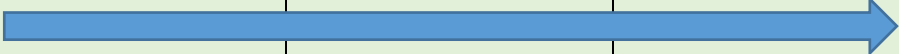
Kindergarten class placements with teachers will be confirmed with families on Tuesday September 12th.

On Wednesday September 13th

- Kindergarten students attend for the whole day, from 9:00 – 3:03pm daily.

September 2023 Kindergarten Gradual Entry Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4 Labor day Holiday School closed	5 Grade 1-7 students only 9:00 – 10:00 am	6 First Day for Kindergartens Group A 9:00-10:15 Group B 11:00-12:15 ----- Families will be contacted to sign up for conferences	7 Group A 9:00-10:15 Group B 11:00-12:15 -----	8 All K Students 9:00-11:00 Please bring a snack ----- Conferences 1:00-3:03
11 All K Students 9:00 – 12:00 Please bring a snack ----- Conferences 1:00-3:03	12 All K Students 9:00 – 1:00 Snack & Lunch today! Conferences 1:30-3:03	13 All Day K Regular Program 9:00 – 3:03	14 All Day K Regular Program 9:00 – 3:03	15 All Day K Regular Program 9:00 – 3:03



Not attending School right away?

If your child will not be able to attend on Wednesday, Sept 6th, please contact Ms. Susan Stelmack in our school office livingstone@vsb.bc.ca

Please let the office staff know each day when your child will be away from school:

Please give us your child's **first and last name, grade, division number.**

School email livingstone@vsb.bc.ca

School phone: **604-713-4985**

Thank you! 😊

School Bell Schedule:

School Starts: 9:00am

Recess: 10:40-11:00am

Lunch 12:10-12:57pm

School Ends 3:03pm

If you have any questions about the first week, or anything related to your child's education, please don't hesitate to reach out to myself either by phoning the school or contacting me at scvieira@vsb.bc.ca

I look forward to a year of learning together!

Sincerely,

Sharon Vieira, Principal, David Livingstone Elementary School

Student line up map below 😊



Student Line Ups Week of Tuesday September 5th

