



SCHOOL DISTRICT 5

S O U T H E A S T K O O T E N A Y

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL FOR THE 2022/2023 SCHOOL YEAR

The Board of Education of School District 5 Southeast Kootenay and its employees would like to welcome all returning and new students to the 2022/2023 school year. School District 5 provides a warm, caring learning environment for all students. We are providing you with the following information to assist with either your introduction or reintroduction to the school system. If you require additional information, please contact your neighbourhood school or the School District office at 250-426-4201 (1-866-489-4201 toll-free) or check our web page at www.sd5.bc.ca. All school offices will be open the week of August 29 to help with registrations/information.

First Day of School – Tuesday, September 6, 2022

School District 5 welcomes students back to school on Tuesday, September 6, 2022. All elementary schools will be in session from 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. including Jaffray Elementary Junior Secondary. Please see the schedules below for the following schools:

Elkford Secondary School	Homeroom	9:00-9:30
	Assembly	9:30-10:00
	Tuesday Week 1 Rotation	10:00-11:00
Fernie Secondary School	Assembly	9:00-9:30
	Homeroom	9:30-10:00
	Wednesday Rotation	10:00-11:00
Laurie Middle School	Grade 7	9:00-10:00
	Grade 8 & 9	10:00-11:00
Mount Baker Secondary	Grade 10/New Students	9:00-10:00
	Grades 11 & 12	11:00-12:00
Parkland Middle School	Grade 7	9:00-10:00
	Grade 8 & 9	10:00-11:00
Sparwood Secondary School	Assembly	9:00-9:30
	Homeroom	9:30-10:00
	Tuesday Week 1 Rotation	10:00-11:00

Buses will be running at the regularly scheduled pickup times for the before-school run and will be departing schools at 11 a.m. If you are unsure of your scheduled busing time, please refer to our website. [School District 5 Busing Schedules](#)

New registrants are asked to register their children at their neighbourhood school. Please use the school locator tool on the School District 5 website if you are unsure of your catchment area school. **A birth certificate or other legally acceptable documents along with proof of B.C. residency, i.e., current year property tax receipt or current month rental receipt, must be provided at the time of registration.**

Online Learning

Please contact the Kootenay Discovery School for parents who wish to enroll their children in a remote learning program. The Kootenay Discovery School follows the BC curriculum and provides teacher support, either online or face to face, to parents and students. Please call 250-423-4912 for more information.

French Immersion

French Immersion is available at T.M. Roberts Elementary, Parkland Middle School and Mount Baker Secondary in Cranbrook and Isabella Dicken Elementary and Fernie Secondary in Fernie.

Welcome to School District 5 Southeast Kootenay!