May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 le 21 mai 2020 ?u<del>l</del>umi (*Water starts to rise*)



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**Upcoming Dates** 

June 5

Pro-D Day

June 12

Yellow Day

June 26

Last Day of School

#### **BC's Restart Plan**

On May 6, Premier John Horgan announced <u>BC's Restart Plan</u>, to restart BC's economy. Public health staff and officials will continue to review the health data while the Ministry of Education and school districts all around BC are reviewing options to allow for a safe return to school.

Parents will have the choice of bringing their children back to class on a part-time basis this school year as a part of BC's Restart Plan, with the goal of returning to full-time classes in September 2020, provided it is safe to do so. For Kindergarten to grade 5, this means most students will go to school half time to allow for 50% capacity.

In hopes of planning adequately for the return of our students to the classroom we require your feedback. The survey is aimed at ensuring safety protocols are considered and articulated, staff are available and facilities are prepared to welcome students safely.

# Link to survey

Thank you for taking the time to provide us with valuable information as we move to support the BC Restart Plan. As plans must be articulated by May 25<sup>th</sup> to the ministry we are asking for feedback to be submitted no later than **today at noon**.

Any questions about the safety of the building and protocols from the Ministry can be found on the School District Website. www.sd5.bc.ca

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## Ready, Set, Learn!

Calling all pre-k students! **Ready, Set, Learn** is an initiative that recognizes that families need positive connections with the school system and community agencies that provide relevant resources and information.

Please see the attached flyer for more information.

#### **Student Information**

If your child's address, parent email and/or phone number information has changed over the school year, please contact the office with your new information. This also includes any changes to your contacts and/or their information. We sent out Student Information Verification forms at the beginning of the year for your review but rely on you to advise us with other changes during the year. Thank you for your help.

### Kids These Days - Online Course by Dr. Jody Carrington

Our District has purchased a license for an online course by Dr. Jody Carrington for staff AND parents. This course is informative, entertaining, enlightening and possibly game-changing. In order to access this course, click here: <a href="https://drjodycarrington.teachable.com/p/kids-these-days2">https://drjodycarrington.teachable.com/p/kids-these-days2</a> and enter the coupon code **SK2020** to receive this course for **FREE**, **value of \$175**. Let us know if you enroll, we'd love to hear what you think.

Her book, *Kids These Days*, is in high demand. Lucky for Mrs. Hart she has friends who share. <u>Click</u> here to see video.



If you would like photos of your child's home learning to be showcased in the newsletter and / or on the new SD5 Facebook page, please send them to tmres.mailing@sd5.bc.ca.

# **Learning at Home:**



Zoe Olstead, grade 3, building a fairy home in her yard. Zoom in to see all of the impressive details!



Mrs. Reinarz / Mrs. Gauthier's grade 5/6 participated in Genius Hour. Jake made a raised bed, Jennica sewed herself new PJ's and Will created a bee habitat.



