



# Parent News

Week of October 3, 2022

**MONDAY, October 3, 2022**

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**TUESDAY, October 4, 2022**

**WEDNESDAY, October 5, 2022**

- Terry Fox Run (wear red and white)
- World Teacher Day

**THURSDAY, October 6, 2022**

- Elementary Collaboration afternoon - **students dismissed at 12:24pm**

**FRIDAY, October 7, 2022**

- Fire drill



### COMING UP

- **October 6:** Collaboration Day – early dismissal at 12:24
- **October 10:** Thanksgiving Stat-students do not attend
- **October 21:** Non-Instructional Day – students do not attend
- **October 26 & 27:** Student Conferences – early dismissal at 12:24pm

### Bell Schedule

8:50 a.m. Welcome Bell  
8:55 a.m. Instruction  
10:25 a.m. Recess  
10:40 a.m. Instruction  
12:24 p.m. Lunch  
1:10 p.m. Instruction  
3:00 p.m. Dismissal



### 2021-2022 SCHOOL GOAL

Our school goal this year is to build positive and caring relationships that strengthen school climate.

### FIRST NATIONS TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

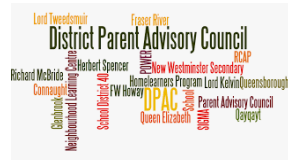
Westminster Schools recognizes and acknowledges the Qayqayt First Nation, as well as all the Coast Salish peoples, on whose traditional and unceded territories we live, we learn, we play and we do our work.

## DPAC's All Candidates Meeting

The All Candidates Meeting is taking place on **Sunday October 2nd at 7 pm at NWSS**. We would love for you to gather questions to pose to school board candidates from your school community. Asking questions to get to know the candidates running, where their priorities are, as well as the values and experiences they would bring to the position helps us all make informed voting decisions.

You can share our question form link (below) and poster (attached) on your social media so parents and caregivers can submit questions, as well as enter questions from your PAC exec into the form. Please go ahead and submit more than one form if you have more than three questions!

Question form link: <https://forms.gle/vsD8K3kYAawbUfMG7>



## Terry Fox Run



Lord Tweedsmuir is proudly taking part in this year's Terry Fox School run to continue Terry's legacy. Our school event will be held on Wednesday October 5<sup>th</sup>. Students are welcome to wear red and white to show their spirit. Let's get our fundraising going and show everyone how we can 'Try Like Terry'! We will be collecting donations from September 22<sup>nd</sup> to October 7<sup>th</sup>. To donate please use this [link](#).

We will be looking for volunteers for this year's Terry Fox run on October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022 between 9:15am and 11:15am. Classes will be split into 3 time slots.



## School Cash Permissions

Each year, New Westminister Schools asks parents to complete several consent forms to ensure we have parent permission for student participation in school activities and up to date contact information. Please take a moment to complete these forms as soon as possible.

## School Supplies



It is that time of year again! If you have not had the chance to connect with your child's classroom teacher, please reach out. Classroom supply lists can be found on our District website at <https://lordtweedsmuirschool.ca/parents/notices-information/supply-lists/>. Please let us know if you are needing support with school supplies.

If you are purchasing school supplies from the school, you should have received an email about School Cash. Thank you for your patience.



## Dress for the Weather

**Please be sure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather.** We always try to have the students enjoy outdoor recess as much as possible and the right outerwear makes a much more pleasant playtime.

**Sending along a change of clothing** (to keep in the classroom) is welcomed by teachers for those inevitable days when clothing gets wet and dry socks and pants are needed.



## Educational Policy and Planning

The first Educational Policy and Planning meeting will be held at École Herbert Spencer Elementary School on October 4, 2022 at 3:30pm if any one is interested in attending.



## Fuel Up Lunch Program has started

We're committed to making sure the no child goes hungry at school, and every child has the chance to eat healthy. Find out how you can order lunches and apply for subsidized meals [here](#).



## Help with Lost and Found

Please help us keep our lost and found down to a minimum by labelling your child's clothing and school items. Thank you!

# CELEBRATION OF LEARNING

