



Langley Fundamental Elementary School

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Dear Parents:

What beautiful weather we had for our sports day today. Although it was different from previous years our kids had a great time and enjoyed some fun games. Teachers gave out team points for various reasons: creativity in the relay, sportsmanship, skills, team building, etc. New point totals will be announced on Tuesday.



You may have noticed our outdoor classroom that was recently installed. This was a district initiative and we are looking forward to learning outdoors especially with this nice weather.

This week the final Grade 5 classroom (Mrs. McClelland and Mrs. Kim) will be highlighted.



Hello! I'm Mrs. Kim and I am one of the grade five teachers at LFES! I feel fortunate to be a part of this school community as both a teacher and a parent - our three kids attend the Fundamental elementary and middle schools. I've been teaching for sixteen years, in Abbotsford and Langley, in different grades from 1-7. I love that teaching allows me to continually learn, be creative, and be inspired by the students and other staff. My favorite subjects to teach are Art and French - seeing students get excited about learning a new language is so much fun. Getting to know new students and their families each year is also a very wonderful part of teaching. In my time outside of school I enjoy

being active in the mountains - skiing, hiking or backpacking - going camping, playing piano or just enjoying time at home with my family and our very new, very first puppy!

Mrs. McClelland:

I am one of the grade 5 teachers here at LFES. I have been teaching in the Langley School District for 15 years at various grade levels. However, I have to say that I enjoy teaching grade 5 the most! This is my fourth year teaching here at the school. I have always been a student of some kind- I have two bachelor's degrees in Science and Education and a master's degree in Educational Leadership. Currently, my focus has shifted from being a student to being a mom of three boys: Beckham (gr 3), Kingston (gr 1), and Hudson (a soon to be Kindee). In my 'spare time' you will find me doing Crossfit. I find exercise helps me to unwind and clear my mind. I recently competed in my first competition as a team and won!

Reminders for Parents

Please remember not to arrive early if your child is part of the second pick up as this stops traffic flow. Thanks.

Learning Commons News

Sign up for the Fraser Valley Summer Reading Program! This year's program is called "Crack the Case!" and families may begin to register on June 1st either online or at your nearest branch. Although our school wide home reading is finished the public library offers a great way to keep up your reading over the next few months.

Upcoming Events

Friday, May 21	Pro-d - school not in session
Monday, May 24	Victoria Day - holiday

House Points

	Team Colors Day	Totals
Canucks:	430	2773
Canadians:	495	2897
Lions:	514	2991
Whitecaps:	493	2853

Our next Spirit Day is Friday, June 18. Pirate Day!

School Goals

Character: for the third term of school we will be working on compassion/empathy. Here is the quote of the day:

- **"If there is any one secret of success, it lies in the ability to get the other person's point of view and see things from his angle as well as your own." – Henry Ford**

Home and School Working Together for Student Success

Numeracy:

This week's winners from the which one doesn't belong picture are: Ava (Div. 90) Kingston (Div. 18) and Luke (Div. 3). Well done!

Here's this week's challenge: How many are there?



<p><u>Clue #1</u> The answer is a 2-digit number that is greater than 50.</p>
<p><u>Clue #2</u> The answer includes the digit 2.</p>
<p><u>Clue #3</u> The answer is not 72.</p>
<p><u>Clue #4</u> The answer is not 20 more than 72.</p>
<p><u>Clue #5</u> The answer is not 10 less than 72.</p>

Mrs. Paton



Fraser Health COVID-19 School Update – Immunization for 12-17 year olds

Health Canada has approved the use of the Pfizer vaccine for youth aged 12 to 17. British Columbia is expanding the COVID-19 Immunization Plan to include this age group.

Youth are excited to protect themselves and their families.

Children aged 12 to 17 can register to get vaccinated now by going to www.gov.bc.ca/getvaccinated, calling 1-833-838-2323 or in person at any Service B.C. centre. Once child(ren) are registered in the provincial system they will be contacted at a later date via the method they indicated (either email or text) to book their vaccine appointment.

Household and group vaccination options are also available to make it easy for households to be immunized at the same time. Multiple young people in a household can attend one booked appointment and be vaccinated together. Young people accompanying adults to the adult's new vaccine appointment can register on site and do not need to be registered or booked in advance. Just let clinic staff know you have arrived.

Ensure all family members bring identification and ideally, their personal health card if they have one.

In the coming days, schools will receive an information package to be shared with families with key information such as how to prepare for and what to expect during your child's vaccine appointment.

More information can be found at www.gov.bc.ca/getvaccinated and at www.fraserhealth.ca/vaccine