



Capilano Elementary

Weekly Reminders – October 11th, 2024



Important Dates

October 11	Ordering Deadline for Individual Photos (to avoid extra delivery fees)
October 14	Thanksgiving Day – Statutory Holiday - NO School
October 17	The Great BC Shakeout Earthquake Drill
October 17	Individual Photo Re-take Day
October 17-22	2pm early dismissal for Student/Family/ Teacher Conferences
October 25	Province-Wide Professional Day - NO School

Traffic and the Staff Parking Lot



Reminder that the staff parking lot is for NVSD staff only and not for student drop off at any time. **Please do not** use the staff parking lot for student drop-off or pick-ups, performing U-turns, or reversing. This is extremely unsafe and puts our students at risk as they have to move through the parking lot crosswalks to access the school and playing fields. It is also blocking our NVSD staff from entering and exiting the lot.

Please also remember to adhere to all traffic bylaws and posted signs. To report parking infractions please contact the District of North Vancouver's Bylaw Infraction Reporting line by calling 604-990-2400 or by clicking here: [Report a Problem \(dnv.org\)](https://dnv.org) to use the online reporting system.

Mountain West Photos Information

Exciting news! Your online gallery from your school photo session is now live!

- Please visit this link to access the gallery: <https://vando.imagequix.com/K9L3W9Z>
- Your webcode to access your images was provided on photo day.
- Any active email address can be used to login.

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- **Your order deadline is: Today - October 11, 2024**
- All orders will be shipped to the school. ***If you miss the deadline, your order will be shipped directly to your home with a \$5.99 shipping fee applied.***

Missing your login code? No problem!

1. Visit <https://www.mountainwest.ca/support-for-families>
2. Enter the information required.
3. Your code will be emailed within 1 business day.

About Retakes:

- Did you miss the first photo day or are needing a retake?
- If you would like retakes they will be held at the school on: October 17, 2024
- [Click Here](#) to sign up. The cutoff to sign up is October 15, 2024

[Click Here](#) to find out more about ordering.

Phone: 1.888.644.4494

Email: help@mountainwest.ca

Attendance

We ask that ALL visitors and parents come to the OFFICE to check-in regarding your visit to the school. For students' safety all other doors are locked before, during and after school.



STUDENTS ARRIVING LATE – If your student is late, please have them come to the office and sign in.



STUDENTS LEAVING EARLY – If you need to pick your child up early, please come to the office to sign your student out, and the office will call the classroom so the student can come down.

*Students must be picked up by individuals on their safe pick-up list (you provided this information on the Student Information Verification Form in the September Package), and cannot leave the school grounds by themselves between the hours of 8:45am – 3pm.

Attendance – Is your student leaving early, arriving late, or going to be absent? Please let the office know using one of the following...

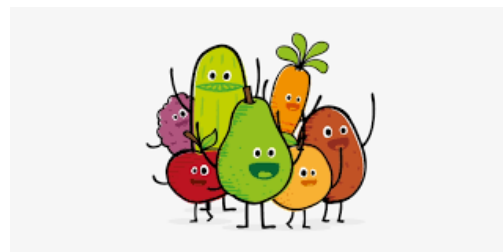
1. Use the [SafeArrival](#) system, or
2. Call (604) 903-3370, press '2' at any time to reach the absent line ***leaving a message is the preferred method when calling, as the office is extra busy in the mornings during attendance.**

Please provide the first and last name of your student, grade, and division, if known. **It is important to let both the office (using 2 methods above) and the classroom teacher know (by email) of any absences, late arrivals, or early departures.** Our school website (staff top tab) is updated with all of the current divisions and classroom teacher emails.

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Extra Snacks and Water

We have noticed many children coming by the office to ask for extra snacks, as they are still hungry after eating their lunches. We kindly request that families add extra snack items in lunch kits. Please remember to pack a water bottle and utensils too!



Dressing for the Weather



Please make sure your child/children are dressed appropriately for outside play. Students will be outside at lunch and recess **rain** or shine or **snow**. It is helpful for them to have an extra set of clothes at the school.

Lost and Found

Our Lost and Found is growing! Please remember to stop by the **Lost and Found** area in the atrium during our student/family/teacher conferences on October 17th - 22nd





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Wishing the whole Capilano Elementary School community a wonderful Thanksgiving.

We're grateful to everyone who came out for the Rocktober Dance and Walk & Wheel Week. Thank you for your support!

Here are some important PAC reminders for the next couple of weeks:

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- **October 14:** Thanksgiving – No School
- **October 17:** Goal Setting Conferences – 2pm dismissal – No PAC after school program
- **October 18:** Goal Setting Conferences – 2pm dismissal – No PAC after school program
- **October 18:** Fresh Air Friday – Walk, Bike, Roll, or Drive to 5 to school!

For any further information or inquiries, reach out to our dedicated team or visit [Capilano PAC's website](#), or follow us on [Facebook](#).