

École Ross Road School

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École Ross Road Elementary School strives to foster an inclusive school community where everyone is valued and supported to realize their fullest potential as individuals and as a collective.

Monday Message

Dear Ross Road Families,

We are excited to kick off the 2025 part of this school year and warmly welcome back all students and families. We hope you had a restful and enjoyable winter holiday. We are pleased to share that we were fortunate to have most of the interior hallways of the school painted over the break and the fresh coat makes a big difference. We are thankful to facilities for all their hard work.

Absences or Lates

Please remember to notify the office about any student absences or lates. The best way to do this is to use the School Messenger app.

Athletics

Grade 6 and 7 students should look for information about Triple ball coming soon on the announcements.

Ultimate practices will continue on Tuesdays and Thursdays afterschool.

Thank you: École Ross Road Youth to Youth Giving Campaign

Thanks to your generosity, Ross Road Elementary raised over \$2500 in gift cards and online donations. We really appreciate your support with this student-led charitable donation.

PAC INFORMATION

Munchalunch

Term 2 for hot lunch will run from Feb 7- June 20 and it's now taking orders. Cut off for each lunch date is 10 days before. If you have any questions, please reach out to <u>rossroadlunch@gmail.com</u>

After School Activities

Last Chance to Register for After-School Programs!

The Winter term is just around the corner-don't miss out on these amazing programs for your child!

- Monday: Lights Up Music Theatre Schools
- Tuesday: Paper Crow Creative Arts and Crafts
 - New this term: Kiln-fired clay projects for Grades 4–7!
- Wednesday: L'Ecoline Group Academy: French and STEM Club
- Thursday: *Steamoji: Intro to Fabrication (Grades 2–4)*
 - Learn 3D design, prototyping, and even some aerodynamics! Students will create and print their own projects on a 3D printer. Let's get building!
- Friday: Brainiacs Adventures: Board Games and Chess

Spots are filling up fast—register today to kick off the term with fun and learning!

For detailed program information and registration links, visit the PAC Newsletter or the PAC website: <u>https://rossroadpac.ca/after-school-programs/</u>

North Vancouver School District Information

There is a link to the Superintendent's Updates <u>here</u> & other helpful district links for Parents and Guardians <u>here</u>.

Important Dates:

January 6 – First day back after winter break, full day of school

January 8 – PAC meeting 7pm on Zoom

January 24 – Pro-d (no school for students)

February 14 - Pro-d (no school for students)

February 17 - Family Day (no school)

February 26 – Early dismissal for staff collab at 1:50pm & Pink Shirt Day February 28 – Musical sound check

Please remember to check the school <u>website</u> for important dates, a copy of all school newsletter and other important information. You are also encouraged to **subscribe** to the <u>school calendar</u>. <u>https://www.sd44.ca/school/rossroad/Pages/default.aspx#/=</u>

Best regards,

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