



Hixon Elementary School

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From the Principal's Desk

Well the wonderful warm weather has arrived! Students have been able to take learning and physical activity outside and enjoy the learning. It has been wonderful watching them outside and enjoying themselves.

Students have settled back into expectations and routines here at the school since after the break and we will continue to have activities in the school in class as long as Covid safety protocols have been met. There will be bike rodeos, Jump Rope for Heart and cultural events over the next couple months.

Just a reminder that new safety protocols have been put in place since spring break with the most important one being masks mandatory for gr. 4-7 students. We will continue to assist our students with this to ensure their safety.

We continue to work on being BRAVE here at Hixon; B=bold, R=Resilient, A=Accountable, V=Versatile, E=Empathetic. Please ask your child about this and get them to share with you how they are BRAVE at school, at home and in the community.

We also continue to work on the problem-solving strategy of using our WITS. WITS stands for Walk Away; Ignore; Talk It Out; Seek Help. Students are always encouraged to use these strategies to solve their problems in peaceful ways.

And finally, we continue to thank parents for working in partnership with the school daily to ensure students have healthy lunches, outside activity and limited screen time.

Sincerely

Brenda Anderson, Principal

L'Donna Lynds, Vice-Principal



Calendar of Upcoming Events

April

- 20 Spirit Day – Hixon Hawks wear
- 22 Spirit Day – Blue & Green for Earth day
- 23 NID – no school for students
- 27 Spirit Day – Hixon Hawks wear
- 30 Tribal Vision Dance

May

- 4 Spirit Day – Star Wars day
- 4 Kick off for Jump Rope for Heart
- 11 Spirit Day – Hixon Hawks wear
- 11 Bike Rodeo
- 17 Primary report writing day
- 18 Spirit Day – Hixon Hawks wear
- 24 Victoria Day holiday
- 25 Spirit Day – Hixon Hawks wear

June

- 1 Spirit Day - Rainbow day
- 4 NID – no school for students
- 11 Intermediate report writing day
- 22 Spirit Day - Beach day
- 25 Last day of school

2020/21 Bell Schedule

8:15	Supervision begins
8:25	Warning bell
8:30	Morning classes begin
11:45-12:30	Lunch
12:30	Afternoon classes begin
2:12	Dismissal



Indoor Shoes

Please check with your child regarding indoor footwear. In the event of a fire drill (or real emergency), students need to be prepared to go outside (i.e., have indoor shoes on).

Dogs

Just a reminder that dogs are not allowed on the school grounds.

Daily Health Check

An updated daily health check was sent home with all students the last week of September. This form is also available on the Hixon Elementary website, www.hixo.sd57.bc.ca. Please continue to do the daily health check with your children before sending them on the bus or off to school. Thank you!

Kindergarten Registration

If you haven't already registered your eligible child for Kindergarten starting in September, please contact the school office to make arrangements as soon as possible.