Minnekhada Middle

The 2016-2017 school year is almost here! We hope everyone has had a wonderful summer – and with any luck there is still more sunshine to come.

Please note that school re-opens on Tuesday, September 6th. The first day of school is used province wide to get accurate numbers so we can ensure we have appropriate staffing levels for the first full day. Students will stay only for 30 minutes on Tuesday, Sept. 6th.

We divide up the students on the first day. Arrival times are as follows:

* Grade 6’s: 9:00 am in the gym
* Grade 7’s: 10:00 am in the gym
* Grade 8’s: 10:30 am in the gym

Wednesday, September 7th will be a full day: 8:35-2:50.

On Tuesday, Sept 6th students will be given information about the first week, school fees, anything they need for the remainder of the week, and where attendance will be taken on Wednesday, Sept. 7th. Please do not bring supplies with you on the 6th. Those who ordered supplies will pick them up on the 6th to take home and return with them the following week. Our expectation is that students will be placed in ‘teams’ for Wednesday and Thursday, and hopefully in homeroom classes by Friday morning.

For school supplies info, please go to: [www.sd43.bc.ca/School/minnekhada](https://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/minnekhada/)

Ms. Ross and Ms. McKay and the office staff will be available in the office starting on Monday, August 29st. We will be available for new registrations, questions and other administrative issues.

Enjoy the last few days of summer!

Susan Ross, Principal

Sharon McKay, Vice Principal