



September 19th, 2025

Greetings, everyone, and thank you all for another exceptional week in Anmore!

It was great to see everyone who made it out to Thursday's Open House Event, and the follow-up sing along and gathering around the fire in the outdoor classroom out back. The closeness and warmth of this community continue to show itself in new and extraordinary ways! I would especially

like to thank the Parent Advisory Council for their organization of last night's Passport path through the school, as well as the Anmore staff for opening their classrooms and helping guide families around the building.

Today the staff met for Professional Development and discussed the Human and Social components of our school's [Action Plan for Learning](#). Specifically, we reflected on our own purposes as educators, and how we can each contribute to the themes of caring for ourselves, others, and this place that we have been discussing with students. Looking ahead, we are hopeful that these conversations will support our planning around Social and Emotional Learning this year.

The end of September will recognize the [National Day for Truth and Reconciliation](#), on September 30th. Classes will be looking to engage students in discussions of Canada's history (in age-appropriate ways) and creating visions of a future that is inclusive of all Peoples: First Nations, Inuit, Metis, new Canadians, and established settlers. We will be hosting a school gathering (assembly) on September 29th to honour the day and share the learning that has been happening in classrooms.

Also in September, the intermediate classes (Divisions 1 & 2) will be beginning to discuss the water cycle in preparation for a field trip to the Coquitlam Watershed and beginning a novel study to support discussions of Truth and Reconciliation. Our primary students are continuing to learn the routines of school, early literacy and numeracy learning, and about embracing a growth mindset.

As ever, if you would like to connect regarding any questions, or a quick chat, please contact me in the office.

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Need to Know?

- [Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [Absence Report](#)
- [Parent Forms](#) – Please complete and return the Emergency Release Form or contact the office if you do not have it. Also, log in to School Cash Online to complete the Policy & Permission Document there, as this is required for some school events which will be beginning shortly.
- **“West Coast Recess”** – Along with the natural beauty of our temperate rainforest climate, children will experience rain during recesses and lunch breaks at Anmore Elementary. As we look to promote healthy outdoor play in all seasons, recesses and lunch breaks will generally be enjoyed outside, unless the weather is particularly inclement (heavy rain, strong winds, extreme heat/cold, etc). Please send your child to school with appropriate clothing for the season (jackets, boots, etc, for rain, gloves and toques for snow, etc), as well as a change of clothes or gym strip (especially dry socks), so that they can get changed if they get wet.

On the Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
22 nd <i>Earthquake Drill (Morning)</i>	23 rd	24 th	25 th <i>Hot Lunch</i>	26 th <i>Division 1 to the Coquitlam Watershed</i>
29 th <i>Truth and Reconciliation Assembly</i>	30 th <i>National Day for Truth & Reconciliation (No School)</i>	October 1 st	2 nd <i>Hot Lunch</i>	3 rd

