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School Newsletter FINAL—June, 2021 PHONE: 604-296-9022 https://maywood.burnabyschools.ca Twitter: @maywoodsd41

Principal's Report: A Year of Gratitude

As we end the school year, I want to acknowledge the many people who made a difference at Maywood.

Thank you to the Maywood parents. You made thoughtful decisions about what's best for your child throughout the school year. Some of you moved to online learning. Some of you sent your children to school for in person instruction. Some of you accessed the transition program. Some of you home-schooled. Regardless of you choice, you supported your child in their learning in new ways. You connected with teachers in new ways—virtual meetings, emails, look at your child's TEAMS portfolio. You also supported the staff by following the safety protocols—daily health checks, mask wearing, physical distancing. You made a difference.

Thank you to the Maywood staff. You reinvented school this year. You found ways to engage kids in learning while keeping them safe. You recreated new lessons and spent endless hours organizing materials and preparing your covid-safe space. You taught and retaught healthy habits like handwashing and physical distancing. You helped children feel calm when the world was full of worry and stress. You risked your own health to keep schools open and to support children and families during a very stressful year. You kept things clean and sanitized. You made a difference.

Thank you to our generous community partners. You donated thousands of dollars to provide food support for families in need. You provided funding for birthday books, boots and coats and school supplies. You provided low cost and no cost out of school time programs to keep kids connected and social. You provided adult education and childcare. You made a difference.

Thank you to the amazing Maywood students. You have shown resilience and flexibility as we adapted to new safety protocols. You kept yourself safe and thought about safety of others by washing your hands, staying home when you were sick and wearing masks. You worked hard to learn new things and persevered as you learned new ways of using technology. You connected with the others in our learning cohort and worked through conflicts and problems peacefully. You spoke up for what is right on our path toward reconciliation and in our fight against racism. You connected with nature and focused on your own well being. You made a difference.

Thank you. Together we made a difference and lifted each other up during this very stressful year.

On behalf of the Maywood staff, we wish you a safe and fun-filled summer.

Stay tuned for September startup plans by checking our website at http://maywood.burnabyschools.ca and by checking your email in August.

Kathryn Yamamoto

Staggered Times to Create Space: During this pandemic year, we were forced to change and do things differently. By doing this, we realized that there are some things that made school a better place. We really liked connecting with parents outside at the beginning and the end of each day. We would like to continue having this connect time next year but with two teams. Half of the school will start at 9:00am and end at 3:00pm. The other half would start at 8:50am and end their day at 2:50pm. Parents will drop off and pick up their children in an outside space. If you have any concerns or questions, feel free to reach out to Ms. Yamamoto at Kathryn.yamamoto@burnabyschools.ca

Goodbyes: Please join me in thanking the following staff who will be leaving Maywood at the end of June. We are grateful for their contributions to the school community.

Amy Zheng—Kindergarten Clarisse Yeh—Ell/LSS Katie Worboys—ELL/LSS Alison Haworth—EA Meredith McKenzie—Primary Teacher Niall McPherson—Music Teacher Lisa Hall– Music Teacher Rweda Al-Qass Elia—EA Vivian Chung—Primary Teacher Thurgha Ravindran—EA Sandy Nazaruk—Kindergarten Teacher Kelsey Eberwein—Connect Worker Belinda Chi—LSS Nicole Evans—Intermediate Teacher Jessica Lam—EA Tania Gill—Counsellor Stephanie Tsamis-ELL

We also wanted to acknowledge Ms. Halina Quibell as she has decided to retire from teaching this June. She has had a wonderful career as a learning support and reading recovery teacher and has spent the last dozen years at Maywood. She has taught so many children to read and has made such a difference for our students with special needs. Thank you, Ms. Quibell. We wish you all the best in your retirement.



South Central Youth Centre PRETEEN SUMMER

For Grades 5-7

Please Call or Email to book your child's spot!

FREE DROP-IN All SUMMER

Pool, Air Hockey, PS4, Outdoor activities, Snacks and more!

Preteen Summer Schedule

Every Monday & Wednesday 3-5pm

South Central Youth Centre 604-297-4497 | Jordan.Campbell@burnaby.ca



KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST 2021-2022

Here is the list of school supplies needed for Kindergarten students this year. Please try to get the same brand name (Crayola, Elmers, Expo. Etc.) to ensure they last for the whole year. Please label your child's name on <u>ALL</u> supplies and put them in a bag to keep at school. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to email the school.

- 2 WHITE erasers (large)
- 1 (10 pack) Broad (thick) tip felt pens—Crayola
- 1 (12 pack) Fine line felt pens—Crayola
- 1 (24 pack) Pencil Crayons—Crayola
- 1 Liquid white glue (150ml) Elmers
- 8 White glue sticks (35g or larger) Le Page or Elmers
- 12 HB Pencils—Dixon or Ticonderoga
- 1 Pair of children's scissors—Fiskars
- 1 box of facial tissue (Kleenex)
- 5 Dry erase markers (thick) Expo
- 1 Black Sharpie (fine point)
- 1 Black Sharpie (ultra fine point)
- 3 Duotangs (3 prong Report Covers) colours: blue, red, green
- 1 Supply Box (plastic) big enough to keep pencils, crayons, scissors, glue inside.

If the cost of these supplies presents a problem for you, please don't hesitate to speak t the Community School Coordinator or your child's teacher.

Maywood Community School Primary School Supply List 2021-2022

- 4 Erasers—WHITE (large)
- 1 (10 pack) Broad tip felt pens—Crayola
- 1 (12 pack) Fine line felt pens—Crayola
- 1 (24 pack) Pencil Crayons Crayola
- 1 (24 pack) Crayons—Crayola
- 1 Liquid white glue (150 ml) Elmers
- 6 White glue sticks (35 g or larger) Le Page or Elmers
- 24 HB Pencils—Dixon or Ticonderoga
- 1 Pencil sharpener (with enclosed shaving compartment)
- 1 Pencil Box
- 1 Pair of children's scissors—Fiskars
- 2 Boxes of facial tissues (150's size) Kleenex
- 5 dry erase Expo markers—thick
- 2 dry erase Expo markers—thin

Note: Your classroom teacher may send a request for additional supplies in September.

Throughout the school year your child's teacher may also request other supplies.

Maywood Community School Intermediate School Supply List 2021–2022

School supplies for Grades 4 to 7 will be posted on Maywood's website. Please check the website regularly for updates.



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Labour Day	7 School Opening	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27 Pro D Day—No School for Students	28	29	30		

Maywood Community School 2021-2022 –Important Dates Dates Subject to Change

September 6, 2021 September 7, 2021 September 27, 2021 October 11, 2021 October 22, 2021 November 11, 2021 November 26, 2021 December 20, 2021—January 3, 2022 January 4, 2022 February 21, 2022 February 25, 2022 March 14—March 25, 2022 April 15, 2022 April 18, 2022 April 25, 2022 May 23, 2022 May 30, 2022 June 29, 2022 June 30, 2022

Labour Day School Opening Pro D Day—No school for students Thanksgiving Pro D Day-No school for Students Remembrance Day Pro D Day—No school for students Winter Vacation School Re-Opens Family Day Pro D Day—No school for students Spring Vacation Good Friday Easter Monday Pro D Day—No school for students Victoria Day Pro D Day-No school for students Last day of school for students Administrative Day

Bell Schedule

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