# **Uplands Elementary/Uplands Montessori**

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## Family Fridge Memo Dec 13, 2024

#### Principal's Message:

Dear Uplands Families,

As we approach the final week before Winter Break, I wanted to take a moment to express my gratitude for your continued support and involvement in our school community. This time of year, is always filled with excitement and anticipation, and we have some wonderful events planned to celebrate the season.

Winter Concert: We are thrilled to invite you to our annual Winter Concert, which will be held on Thursday at 1:30 PM in the school gym. Our students have been working diligently to prepare a delightful program, and we are excited to share their hard work and talent with you. Please join us for an afternoon of music and festive cheer.

#### **Reminders:**

Attendance: Regular attendance is important, even in the final week. Let's ensure our students finish the term strong.

**Winter Break:** School will be closed from December 21 to January 5. Classes will resume on January 6.

Lost and Found: Please check the lost and found for any missing items before the break.

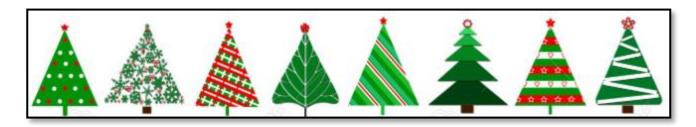
Thank you for your continued partnership.

Ryan Neufeld, Principal - Uplands Elementary School



### **Action Required:**

- On Monday December 16th, our school gym will be used as a by-election polling station from 8am 8pm as we are in the Cloverdale-Langley City riding. Please take note of extra pedestrian and vehicle traffic in the area on by-election day. The school will be open as usual. The District appreciates the support and cooperation from families and members of our community.
- □ **Uplands Giving Trees** Thank you for your help this Holiday Season. Please **bring your wrapped gift back to the school by Dec 19<sup>th</sup>.**



☐ Learning Updates will be posted by Friday Dec 13<sup>th</sup>

We encourage all families to login to their account prior to the reports being published. If you do not have an account, or are having trouble accessing your account, please use the link below for assistance:

#### MYED Help website link:

https://www.sd35.bc.ca/students-parents/myedbc-family-portal-help/

☐ Winter Concert - Our teachers have been planning and putting together a performance that is planned for Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> We plan to have a dress rehearsal in the morning and a Matinee in the afternoon @ 1:30 pm



	□ Dec 20 <sup>th</sup> - The PAC will be hosting a Santa Breakfast during school hours. Students will be called down by division to the gym to enjoy some delicious pancakes, sausage and fruit. There might even be a special visitor!		
	□ <b>Dec 20<sup>th</sup> -</b> Pajama Day		
<u>Impo</u>	ortant Date	<u>s:</u>	
	Dec 19	Winter Concert _ Dress Rehearsal @ 10:00 am	
	Dec 19 -	Winter Concert @ 1:30	
	Dec 20 -	Santa Breakfast	
	Dec 20 -	Pajama Day	
	Dec 20 -	Last Day prior to Winter Break	
	Dec 21 -	Winter Break _ School is Closed	
	Jan 6 -	School Re-Opens after Winter Break	
	Kindergarte	n Registration 2025	
	Kindergarten registration across the Langley School District runs January 6, 2025 – February 18, 2025. If your child will be five years old by December 31, 2025, you will be able to register your child online.		
	Information about required documents and instructions is available online and will also be posted on catchment school websites in January.		
		tion, please visit the District webpage <b>here</b> . To learn more about en in the Langley School District, read our brochure <b>here</b> .	
From	the PAC:		
	Munch-A-Lunch will be open Friday for January, February and March Orders!		
	Dec 20 <sup>th</sup> – Santa Breakfast – Volunteers Needed – Sign up below. <b>We are still in need of some 7:00 am helpers!!</b> <u>www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0849AAAC2DA6FCC70-52923280-santa</u>		

Student Inclusive Conference

# Anchor Document





## To access Student Inclusive Conference Anchor Document;

- ⇒ Log in to MyEducationBC
- ⇒ Family Top Tab
- ⇒ Click into student
- ⇒ Documents Side Tab
- ⇒ Click floppy disk icon to download document





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# **School Status Info During Inclement Weather**

Information about school status during **inclement weather**, **snow closures and power outages are an annual occurrence in Langley School District.** So, where do you go to get information about the status of schools during periods of inclement weather?

**If you are able to access the internet** via computer or smartphone, current information about Langley schools can be accessed on:

- On the District and School websites
   (See alert announcing the effected schools displayed at the top of the district website)
- On Facebook, X (formerly twitter) and Instagram
- On media outlets such as CKNW 980AM, News1130, 170.1FM Country, CBC Radio 690AM, Pulse Radio 107.7 or 88.1FM

If you don't have internet connectivity but your phone is working, call a relative or friend in an area that has not been affected by the storm and ask them to check the district website for you.

Please note that Langley District schools are all considered 'open' until a decision to close is required. Decisions on school closures are usually made by 6:30 am. As always, it is a parent's decision whether to send their child to school based on safety and individual circumstances. If you feel it is unsafe for you or your child to travel to or attend an open school for any reason, please keep your child home and report an absence to the school.

In the event of inclement weather, please do not call the school. During a power outage we are reduced to one landline. We need to this line free for emergencies. Also, the office is not able to answer so many phone calls.

Thank you for your cooperation - Uplands Office Staff.