

APRIL 2026

CEDAR ELEMENTARY NEWSLETTER

Principal's Message

We had a wonderful start to spring with the amazing music showcase at Timberline at the beginning of March and then a District Chess Tournament at Georgia Park. Congratulations to all our students who partook in both of the events. We hope that you had FUN! Jayanth was a medal winner at the chess tournament and even played up a grade level!

- Days are getting longer and warmer and schedules often get busier at this time of the year. It is still important to maintain consistent routines and sleep patterns for students to support their learning and well-being throughout the school day.
- Southgate Middle School hosted a grade 5 basketball tournament last week and our students represented us well and played a lot of games in the day. Way to go Seahawks!
- Some of our classes have been taking advantage of the nice weather and walked to City Hall to celebrate 'Hanami' Japanese cherry blossom viewing. Poems have been written and art created in that theme. We have also connected learning and inspiration to real world events with the Artemis II space mission.
- Teachers focussed on outdoor learning and numeracy for our most recent Pro-d day. We shared the day with Ecole Willow Point staff and math educator Janice Novakowski.

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Upcoming Events

- April 13 - Play and Ride Club begins and goes to June 8
- April 17 - Public Health Kindergarten Vaccinations
- April 22 - Earth Day
- April 27 - Phoenix counsellors visiting for Grade 5 information
- April 30 - Student Led Conference Day and BOOK FAIR (in the library)
- May 12 - Salmon Feast
- May 13 - Class Photo Day
- May 14 - Intermediate Track Meet / 7:00 PAC Meeting

Ms.K celebrated her 65th birthday with us and received many student made cards and a bouquet of 65 flowers. We appreciate you Ms.K!





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EXTRA CLOTHING
FOR YOUR CHILD?

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FREE GENTLY USED CLOTHING
ROBRON CENTER

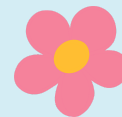
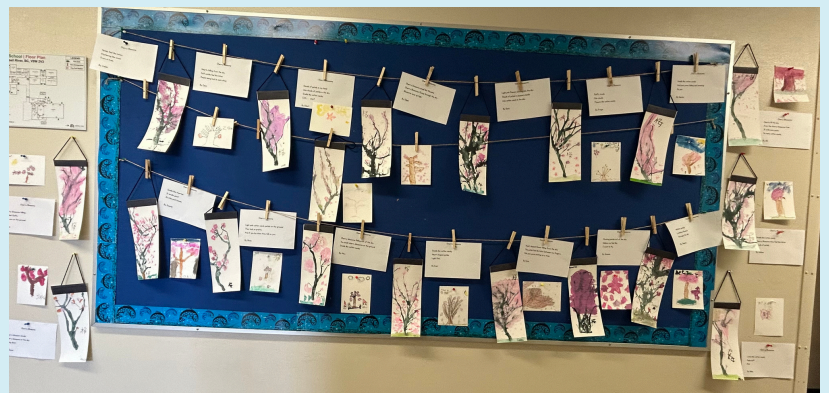
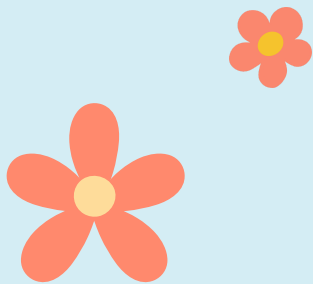
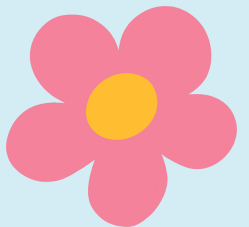
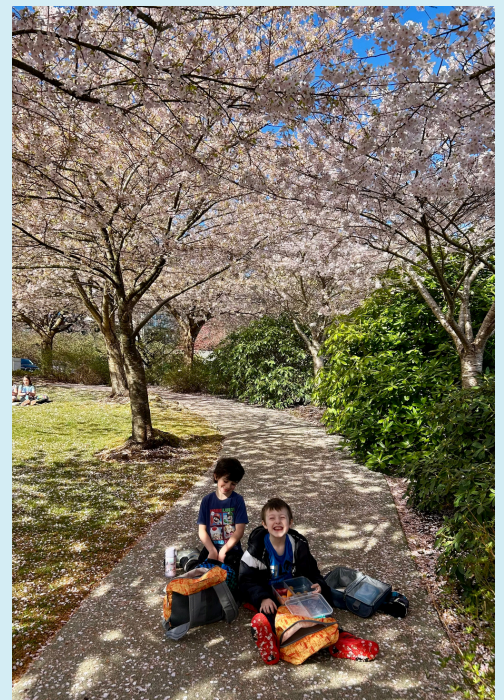
Shopping day
Thursday, Apr 30, 2026

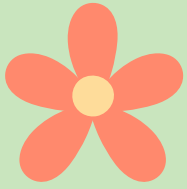
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Room A119

Contact your child's school or Erin at
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any questions

Photo Gallery





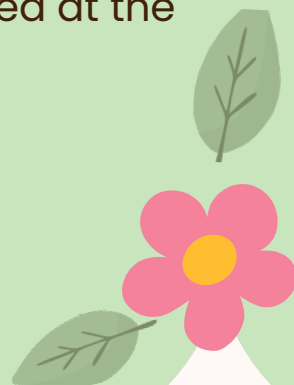
Student Learning Survey 2025 / 2026

The Provincial Student Learning Survey is unique in its scope, size and usefulness to schools. It gathers information from parents/guardians/caregivers, teachers, and students on topics related to school environment, safety, and achievement. The information is used for planning in individual schools and provides a district and provincial perspective.

The Student Learning Survey will be administered to students in grades 4, their parents/guardians/caregivers, and all school staff. We encourage parents/guardians/caregivers to participate in this survey, as the results are important in identifying and celebrating current strengths, as well as determining where the school needs to focus improvement. The surveys contain standard questions for the Province – in addition, questions from the school and/or district that focus on local conditions or issues may be included.

The survey can be completed electronically and can be accessed on the Internet at <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/student-learning-survey>. Any computer or mobile device with an Internet connection can be used, and access to the e-survey is simple and secure. The survey can be accessed through the link and by clicking on Take the Survey. On the login page, click on the Parents icon, and then select the school district and school name where your child attends school. Provincial, District and School Reports for previous years can be viewed at the same site under the Results section.

The e-survey site will be open until May 1, 2026.





Are you ready to find your place on the field?

Join us for Try Rugby Day and experience a welcoming, inclusive sport where every player has a place and every team becomes a family.

Saturday April 25 - 10 to 1pm

We Wai Kai sports feild

- non-contact
- snacks provided
- prizes

- ALL AGES - ALL GENDERS -

-Free

-No experience necessary

-Everybody belongs here

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