



NEW WESTMINSTER SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We hope that you and your loved ones are well, both safe and healthy. We value our interactions with students, and as such, we miss seeing your children at school and are looking forward to their return.

Starting Monday, June 1st, NWSS welcome students who completed the school survey to indicate their intentions of voluntarily returning to school. The collection of this data is crucial in order for us to plan our school organization and ensure every student and staff are accounted for and that we comply with the Provincial Health Officer's mandate and follow all protocols of Work Safe BC.

Over the past nine weeks, our students have been immersed in remote learning. This will continue for ALL students. The voluntary return of your child is to provide optional support sessions where students will be on-site to receive face-to-face instruction and receive additional assistance with their remote learning. With support sessions, whether invited by a teacher or requested by the student, there can only be limited numbers in each classroom.

As such, we are sending your child home today with this letter. We kindly ask that you email our Vice-Principal, Ms. Susana Quan (squan@sd40.bc.ca), at your earliest convenience to provide her with the following information:

- Your child's full name
- Your child's student number
- Subject area(s) that your child needs support in during this voluntary return to NWSS

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
0900 - 1135	Grade 9 and 10 students with surnames A → K who need support in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English/French Language Arts • English/French Social Studies • Modern Languages (French, Spanish, Japanese, Punjabi) • ELL 	Grade 9 and 10 students with surnames L → Z who need support in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English/French Language Arts • English/French Social Studies • Modern Languages (French, Spanish, Japanese, Punjabi) • ELL 	Grade 9 and 10 students with surnames A → K who need support in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English/French Science • English/French Mathematics • Visual and Performing Arts • CLE 10 • ADST and Business Education • Physical Education 	Grade 9 and 10 students with surnames L → Z who need support in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English/French Science • English/French Mathematics • Visual and Performing Arts • CLE 10 • ADST and Business Education • Physical Education 	Remote Learning or Pre-arrangements between teacher and student to enter NWSS to conduct assessment (presentations/tests etc)
1135 - 1220	All Grade 9/10 students must exit the building. Staff on Lunch				
1225 - 1500	Grade 11 and 12 students with surnames A → K who need support in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English/French Language Arts • English/French Social Studies • Modern Languages (French, Spanish, Japanese, Punjabi) • ELL 	Grade 11 and 12 students with surnames L → Z who need support in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English/French Language Arts • English/French Social Studies • Modern Languages (French, Spanish, Japanese, Punjabi) • ELL 	Grade 11 and 12 students with surnames A → K who need support in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English/French Science • English/French Mathematics • Visual and Performing Arts • Capstone/CLC 12 • ADST and Business Education • Physical Education 	Grade 11 and 12 students with surnames L → Z who need support in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English/French Science • English/French Mathematics • Visual and Performing Arts • Capstone/CLC 12 • ADST and Business Education • Physical Education 	Remote Learning or Pre-arrangements between teacher and student to enter NWSS to conduct assessment (presentations/tests etc)

Ms. Quan will respond to you within one business day which will give her time to restructure the organization of our school and ensure that we continue to comply with the Provincial Health Officer's mandate.

We look forward to the return of your child to NWSS.

Regards,

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