



Chilliwack Middle School

June 2017



Chilliwack
School District

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

We hope you are having a great summer! We are very excited for the students' return to school on September 5th. As a reminder, here are a few key dates:

- **Thursday, August 31 – Gr 7 WEB/New Student Orientation Day**
8:30 am to 12:30 pm
 - All grade 7 students are invited to attend the student orientation.
- **Tuesday, September 5 – First day of School 8:30-9:30 am**
 - Homeroom lists will be posted in the multi-purpose room indicating Teacher, Section, and Room #. Students are to proceed to their homeroom. **Students should plan on arriving early to allow time to locate their class.
 - Grade 7 students will report to the gym at 8:30 and homeroom teachers will escort their students to classes.

Students need only bring a pen and some notepaper on the first day of school!
- **Wednesday, September 6 (Day 0) and Thursday, September 7 (Day 0)**
 - Students will be in attendance from 8:30 am to 2:33pm.
 - Students will be rotating through all of their classes on these two days as well as learning about our Positive Behaviour Intervention Support model at CMS.
- **Thursday, September 7 – Student Photos**
 - All students should come prepared to have their picture taken, as **ALL STUDENTS** will have their picture taken for the Student ID Card and the Yearbook. Purchasing photo packages is optional. Retakes will be on October 6.
- **Thursday, September 21 – OPEN HOUSE/BBQ – 5:30 - 7:30 pm**
 - CMS parents/guardians and students are invited to attend our Open House/BBQ. This is an opportunity to meet staff, ask questions and become familiar with our school.

On our school website cms.sd33.ca you will find information that will help you and your child have a successful school year Chilliwack Middle. We encourage you to read through it all before school begins in September.

Also, please note that **Chilliwack Middle School and all other middle schools in Chilliwack are CLOSED campuses**. Visitors are not permitted on campus, and students are not permitted to leave the grounds during school hours, including lunch time, without prior approval from the administrative team.

On behalf of the staff at Chilliwack Middle, we would like to welcome you to our school for the 2017-2018 school year. We have a very talented, dynamic, and enthusiastic staff that is eager to work together with you and your children. We also encourage you to be a part of your child's middle school experience by volunteering, attending school events and communicating with school staff. Once again, we have many exciting opportunities ahead of us!

If you have any questions or concerns, please call the school at 604-795-5781.

Sincerely,

Paula Gosal
Principal