

JUNE 2020

Building the Foundation for Growth.



How to Make the Most of Remote Learning

Many families and students are experiencing a transition to remote learning and online classes right now, and while it may appear that in-person instruction will resume soon, there is some uncertainty surrounding when this will happen and what it will look like.

So, with the possibility of online learning still present, this week we would like to share some tips for both students and educators regarding making the most of your remote learning experiences.

Tips for remote learning for students and families:

Plan a daily routine: This is a tip that we have shared frequently in relation to managing the day at home due to the COVID-19 pandemic. This tip applies to online learning as well. Setting a routine helps to add

predictability and comfort. It also helps to make sure that you schedule time for your online classes.

Create a learning space: the environment can play a large role in the creation of learning opportunities. It can also sometimes serve as an unwanted distraction. Many experienced educators design their classroom spaces in specific ways in order to optimize focus and engagement. This may not always be possible at home, however creating a space that is designated for learning can be beneficial to supporting student focus and remaining engaged and on task.

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Important Dates

MON JUN 1:

Optional return to school for SD43
Optional return to daycare for Parkland Players. See Reminders section for more details.

FRI JUN 12

Virtual Graduation, see Reminders section for more details.

SUN JUN 21

Father's Day. Wishing a Happy Father's Day to all the fathers and grandfathers in our Parkland Players community!

THUR JUN 25

Last day of school (SD43 and Out of School Care)

MON JUNE 29

First day of Summer Camps programming

Reminders

- **Optional Return to School:** The Coquitlam School District (SD43) is offering part time return to school starting from June 1st. For information on their return to school options, visit the district website [here](#).
- **Optional Return to Childcare:** Parkland Players has re-opened for optional return to care as of May 19th. If you would like your child to begin attending again, please submit the form on our website [here](#). Please note that our capacity is also dependent on staff scheduling, and currently we can only offer the same hours that children would have attended for in their previous program prior to closure.
- **Graduation 2020:** We will be sharing a virtual graduation video to celebrate the preschool, daycare, and OSC graduates this year. Please keep an eye on your email for more information.

Looking Forward: Jul/Aug

MON JUNE 29

First day of Summer Camps programming

WED JULY 1

Canada Day: stat holiday, centre closed

MON AUG 3

BC Day: stat holiday, centre closed

FRI SEPT 4

Last Day of Summer Camps programming

MON SEPT 7

Labour Day: stat holiday, centre closed

Activities for Home and at School



Blooming Flower Art (Pre)

This is a fun science experiment that explores reactions in water and reveals beautiful flower art as if the flowers were really blooming!

[Watch the video.](#)



Flower Printing (Pre)

This activity uses flowers instead of paint brushes to explore the effect of different textures when painting.

[Watch the video.](#)



Poster from the Talent Show children were hosting in March.



Children in OSC creating a house from loose parts before closure.



Staff and children in one of our weekly webinar classes.



Colour mixing science experiments from April.

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