



WEEK AT A GLANCE

LORD BYNG ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

January 24-28

Monday, Jan 24

Tuesday, Jan 25

Wednesday, Jan 26

Thursday, Jan 27

Friday, Jan 28



Upcoming Events

Jan 31 - Pro-D Day
(No school for students)

Feb 4 - Mid Year Summaries
posted on e portfolios

Feb 9 - PAC Meeting

Reminders

Please report any absences, lates, early dismissals, etc. to our
Early Warning Line at (604) 668-6637

Let us know your child's name, division and WHY they are away and for how long

If your child(ren) will be arriving late, please drop off at the office in order for us to adjust attendance accordingly.

Daily Health Check



SHOULD I GO TO SCHOOL TODAY?

Just a reminder to please complete a daily health check before sending your kids to school.

The website and app will contain the most up-to-date BC health guideline information.

Here is a quick link to the [K-12 Health Check](#)

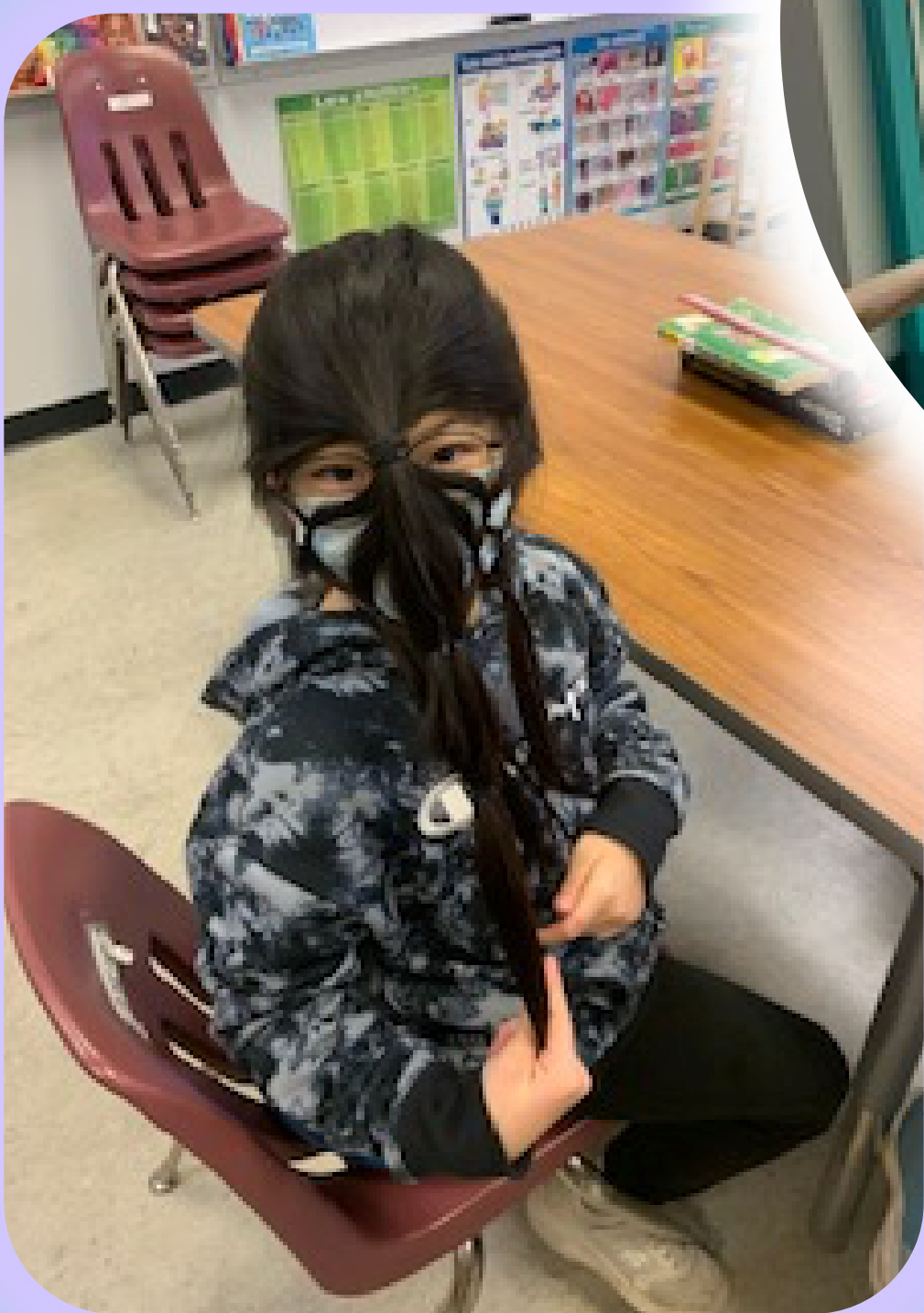


What's Happening in: Ms. MacKinnon/Ms. Burns Class

We used epic, books & digital resources from @bynglibrary to research how different cultures celebrate New Years. Sts chose what they wanted to research & how to display their info. So far sts have shared info on Chinese New Year, Tet, Songkran & Rosh Hashanah.



Wacky Hair Day @ Byng





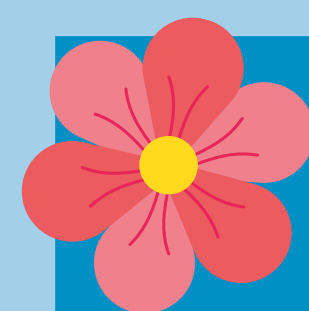
"We need to cultivate listening, partnership, and solidarity to carve out a better collective future."

— Desmond Cole, *The Skin We're In: A Year of Black Resistance and Power*

Every February, Canadians are invited to participate in Black History Month festivities and events that honour the legacy of Black Canadians, past and present. While Black History Month was established in the U.S. in 1976, Canada declared February to be Black History Month in 1995.

Black History Month offers opportunities for students to learn about strength and resilience in the face of racism and injustice. Through critically understanding the impacts of systemic and individual discrimination on human lives both in the past and continuing today, students can begin to reimagine and work towards a world that is free from marginalization—a place that honours and celebrates the diversity and vibrancy of all cultures, rather than one that cultivates xenophobia.

Although there is a month dedicated to celebrating Black history, diversity should be the lens through which we approach all learning. The voices, accomplishments and stories of Black Canadians may be embedded throughout the year.

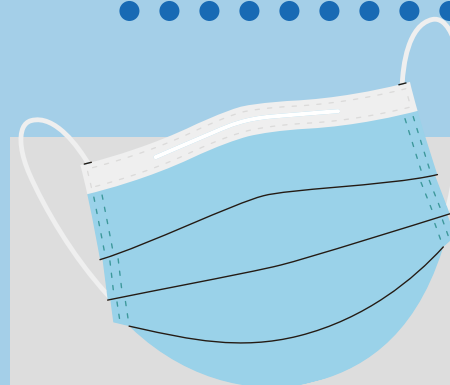


Welcome Ms. Lawrence

We would like to welcome Ms. Lawrence to Byng. She will be in for Ms. Kempin until the end of the school year.

Ms. Lawrence is excited to get to know everyone!

We hope you enjoy your time here!

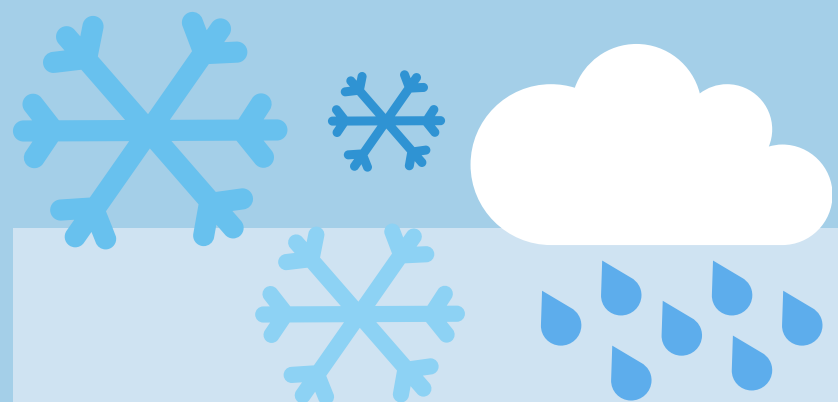
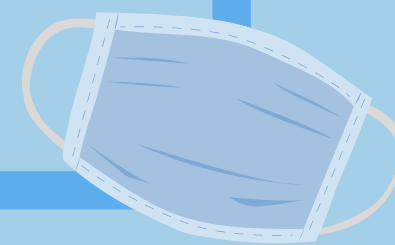


How Long Do I Need To Isolate?

For the most up to date information, please call 811 or visit the BCCDC website [HERE](#)



A reminder that the **mask mandate** applies to students in K - 12 and all staff.



Dress for the weather!

As it continues to be rainy and cold, it might be helpful to bring:



winter coat



rain coat



rain or waterproof snow boots



mittens



tuque



scarf



extra clothing including socks