

The Quadra Weekly Briefing

- **Jan 14**
 - PAC Sponsored Bottle Drive
 - **Jan 15-19**
 - 2024-25 French Immersion Kindergarten/Grade 1 Registration
 - **Jan 18**
 - PAC Meeting
 - **Jan 26**
 - Pro-D – no school for students
 - **Jan 29-Feb 2**
 - 2024-25 English Kindergarten Registration
 - **Feb 2**
 - Read Around Quadra
 - **Feb 12-16**
 - SD61 District Transfer Week
 - **Feb 21-22**
 - Kindergarten Screening
 - **Feb 28**
 - Pink Shirt Day
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The wet, windy, and sometimes snowy west coast winter weather is still happening. Therefore, it is essential that students dress appropriately for these conditions. We greatly appreciate your ongoing support in ensuring that your child arrives at school on cold and rainy days equipped with warm, water-resistant or waterproof clothing, including a jacket or poncho (preferably with a hood) and closed shoes (preferably rain boots, if possible). Our students go outside for recess and exercise activities, and some field trips may involve extended periods outdoors, even in inclement weather.

During particularly wet days, we often have numerous children coming to the office in search of dry clothing from our spare clothing cupboard. Unfortunately, our clothing cupboard has a limited supply of clothes.

If you are able to contribute gently used clothes, especially pants and socks, we would be immensely grateful. Your support will make a significant difference.

*Dear Parents of children born in 2019,
We are quickly approaching Kindergarten registration time in the Greater Victoria School District. Please visit our website: <https://www.sd61.bc.ca/registration/kindergarten-registration/> to find more information about registering your child. Your first step is to identify*

your school catchment by using the school locator (found on the website above). Early French Immersion registration is January 15-19 and English Kindergarten registration is January 29-February 2. All required documents needed for the online registration are found here:

<https://www.sd61.bc.ca/registration/documentation/>

We are very excited to meet you and your child.

Welcome to School District 61.

News from Our School District

Dear Families,

The Greater Victoria School District is looking for feedback on accessibility in our district and wants to hear from you!

Our district is committed to ensuring that all students and staff have equitable access to our programs, services, and buildings. We recognize the importance of accessibility for those with disabilities and for the entire community.

The school district invites you to share your ideas and suggestions regarding accessibility through our accessibility survey. Please share your feedback and experiences. Your participation is confidential; providing any personal information is optional. Please complete the survey on or before January 31, 2024.

To complete the survey either online or by downloading a printable pdf, go to our [Accessibility webpage](#). This page also links to our Accessibility Plan feedback tool and our Report an Accessibility Barrier feedback tool.

All feedback will be used to update our [Accessibility Plan](#) and to guide our ongoing work to make our district more accessible.

Thank you,

Inclusive Learning Department
Greater Victoria School District No. 61

Please see the following pdf. for information about the Student Learning Survey:

News from Our Wonderful PAC

Happy Friday Families of Quadra and Happy New Year:

Bottle Drive: The Next Bottle Drive is this Sunday, January 14th, from 10-2:30. If you can help, please contact PAC at connect@quadrpac.net. Please find the time to donate any empties you might have!

Next PAC Meeting on Thursday, January 18th, from 7:00 to 8:30: Please join us on Zoom at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2505145143>.

Have a wonderful, warm weekend!