

Dear Valued Families of VMS!

Re: **Barnard Street Neighbour Construction Site**

VMS is working with our development neighbours on the parking on Barnard Street. We will have our staff on site, as usual, at all times. Vancouver has major construction affecting streets all over our city, which we all experience. We on Barnard are informing everyone of the following. We so appreciate all cooperation as we try to ease the impact as best possible.

STREET PARKING: Please note the front of the school area is for quick drop off in the morning only; no parking. The neighbours have temporary buildings on the street in front of their property according to the COV permit.

ARRIVAL: Please arrive before the designated time for your child's class start and leave quickly to allow for more arrivals.

AM Preschool and Extended Day starts 8:30 sharp! Arrive between 8:15 and 8:25.

Elementary starts at 8:45 sharp! Drop off only in front of the school between 8:25 and 8:40.

PM preschool arrival 12:50.

PICK-UP:

AM PRESCHOOL– 11:30 – Please pick-up your child quickly and go directly to your car. Sorry, no waiting or playing in the parking lot. Rooms 1 and 2 pick up at walkway door and room 3 at playground gate.

EXTENDED DAY -3:00PM - Please pick-up your child quickly and go directly to your car. Sorry, no waiting or playing in the parking lot.

LOWER ELEMENTARY – 3:15 – Please do not arrive before 3:10 - Please pick-up your child quickly and go directly to your car. Sorry, no waiting or playing in the parking lot.

On PE day, please pick up 3:15 at Fraser River Park at the second parking lot where the bus will be waiting. PE classes will start Monday, Sept. 9th. PE schedule to pickup at park:

Room 4 – Wednesday

Room 5 – Tuesday and Friday

Room 6 – Monday and Thursday

UPPER ELEMENTARY – 3:30 - please do not arrive before 3:25. Please pick-up your child quickly and go directly to your car. Sorry, no waiting or playing in the parking lot.

PM PRESCHOOL – 4:00PM - Please pick-up your child quickly and go directly to your car. Sorry, no waiting or playing in the parking lot.

VMS is doing its very best to facilitate the drop off and pick-up time in a safe and efficient manner during this construction. We appreciate all your efforts and recognize that this 'plan' for parent parking may have a few unavoidable exceptions. We all do our best, understandably. And again, we thank you for your efforts.

Kind regards,

Your VMS TEAM!