



# **Seycove Secondary School**

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Dear Grade 7 Parent/ Guardian,

Re: Information for Students/Parents for Grade 8 at Seycove Secondary

Let me begin by welcoming you to the Seycove community! In supporting you with the transition from your child's elementary school to Seycove Secondary, please note the following dates and opportunities for our Grade 7 students to familiarize themselves with our Seycove community.

## **1. Grade 8 information Evening- Wednesday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Seycove Cafeteria @ 6-7 pm**

All grade 7 parents and students are invited to Seycove Secondary's Information night on Wednesday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020 from 6-7pm in Seycove's Cafeteria. Parents and students will meet with administrators and counsellors to receive information on Seycove such as Grade 8 courses at Seycove, extracurricular activities and more. There will be ample opportunity to ask any questions you may have about this important transition in your child's life.

## **2. Seycove "Student for a Day": 8:30-3 pm**

**Friday, January 24, 2020 – Dorothy Lynas**

**Monday, January 27, 2020 – Cove Cliff**

**Wednesday, Feb 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020 – Sherwood Park**

Grade 7 students spend the whole day on their designated date at Seycove attending classes and getting to know what makes Seycove such a unique and vibrant learning community. Grade 7 teachers will advise their students on how to get to Seycove. Students will receive a course programming sheet on this day.

## **3. Course Preference sheets due Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020**

Please return completed course programming sheets directly to grade 7 classroom teachers.

## **4. 7/11 Buddy Activities at Elementary School on Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 1- 3pm**

Seycove Grade 11 students are visiting Elementary schools for 7/11 Buddy activities. The grade 11s design and engage in some team building activities with their Grade 7 buddies.

## 5. 7/11 Buddy barbeque at Seycove Friday, May 29th, 2020 1:30-3pm

All Grade 7 students and teachers are invited for a barbeque at Seycove and some fun activities.

## 6. Welcome Assembly, Homeroom & School Photos Tuesday, September 8th, 2020 @ 8:45am

We will be looking forward to officially inviting our Grade 8s to join Seycove with a welcome assembly in the school gym. Please ensure that your child arrives in time to be seated for a prompt 8:45am start. Students will meet their homeroom teachers to collect schedules, important documentations and have their photos taken on this day. Please note that there are no official classes on this day and that **students will only attend for approximately an hour and a half this morning**. Families will receive a letter via email providing more comprehensive details in late August 2020.

## 7. First Day of classes. Wednesday, September 9th, 2020 @ 8:30am

This is the first day of school for all our students! Students will have classes until 3pm today. All students will first report to their homeroom class for 20 minutes before continuing to attend their Day 1 classes. Parents and guardians can support their children on this day by ensuring that children arrive in time to find their way to their homeroom.

**Please continue to check the Seycove school website for updated information on Grade 7/8 Transition.** <https://www.sd44.ca/school/seycove/Students/grade8information/Pages/default.aspx#/=>

We hope to meet you all at the Parent information Evening on February 5<sup>th</sup> at 6pm in the Seycove Cafeteria.

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