

Remind is a simple and safe text-messaging tool that helps us communicate efficiently with students by texting information and reminders relating to school activities (eg: late starts, theme days, school events, school forms to return, etc.). It is a free service however standard text messaging rates apply.

Remind messages are not sent from personal cell phone numbers nor will the school have access to a student or parent's personal mobile number. All *Remind* messages are one-way; subscribers are not able to reply to any messages sent.

Sutherland Secondary is assigned a *Remind* phone number, which a student or parent can text to subscribe, and from which all messages will be received.

A smartphone is not necessary to send or receive *Remind* messages. However, you must be able to receive texts. If you cannot receive texts you can sign up to receive *Remind* messages by email.

An iOS and Android app is available. If you choose not to download the app *Remind* messages will simply come as <u>regular text messages</u>.

iOSapp: Remind: Safe Classroom Communication

Android: Remind: Free, Safe Messaging

Online: www.remind.com/join (to sign up for email alerts)

For more information about *Remind* go to <u>www.remind.com</u>

STUDENTS: To sign up for text alerts, text the appropriate @code below to Sutherland's *Remind* phone number. Parents are welcome to sign up too.

For example, if you are in grade 8 text:



Sutherland's Remind Number: 778-651-5293

Class Codes: Grad 2016 (grade 12s) @sabres2016
Grad 2017 (grade 11s) @sabres2017
Grad 2018 (grade 10s) @sabres2018
Grad 2019 (grade 9s) @sabres2019
Grad 2020 (grade 8s) @sabres2020